Terms and conditions of membership in EUCG

1. **Obligations of member.** The member must become a member of the EUCG and actively participate in the work of the EUCG. At a minimum, “active participation” means: contribute to the creation of EUCG products, including surveys, studies, reliability reporting (using NERC GADS standards), presentations at workshops, service on subcommittees or on specific projects, data exchanges, best practices, benchmarking studies). In particular, members must cooperate in the collection of data such as operating costs, plant performance, staffing levels, safety statistics (including safety statistics reporting using OSHA standards), and any other information which may reasonably be required to carry out the work of the EUCG. The member must also have professional, competent staff available to carry out these tasks. A member which does not contribute to the production of EUCG products will not be entitled to receive them (the “give to get” policy). In order to provide representative sample of data, members may be required to provide initial data submission comprised of one to five years worth of data (this requirement varies across the Committees). Members are also required attend at least two of the three annual EUCG meetings. EUCG meets 3 times a year; two meetings are general workshops and one meeting is dedicated to data integrity review. A member must participate in at least one workshop per year and must participate in the data integrity review meeting. Members must agree to abide by the bylaws and all policies and procedures of the EUCG.

2. **Confidentiality.** All data and proceedings of the EUCG are confidential. Confidentiality is governed by EUCG Policy AP-02 Data preparation and release, which is specifically incorporated by reference herein.

3. **Payment.** Annual membership dues are due and payable on or before January 15 of the applicable year. Dues cover only operating expenses of the EUCG. Dues do not include the costs of participating in the work of the EUCG, such as travel, workshop fees or time spent carrying out EUCG activities (e.g., wages/salary of member’s employees or contractors involved in providing data).

4. **Authority.** The person signing this application represents that s/he has the authority from the applicant/member to sign this application form and to bind the member to compliance with all the terms and conditions thereof. This application becomes a binding agreement upon the
applicant, and the applicant becomes a member of the EUCG, as of the date the EUCG's executes this form and upon the applicant's acceptance for membership in EUCG.

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For [Name of applicant Utility:]

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Signature

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By: [Print name/title of person signing]

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Date