NETWORK OUTAGE REPORTING SYSTEM (NORS) QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE

Log into NORS

- 1. Go to the FCC Homepage: fcc.gov.
- 2. Select Browse by CATEGORY.
- 3. Select Licensing & Databases.
- 4. Select **NORS** (opens NORS Homepage).
- Select NORS link.
 Note: Alternate to Steps 1-5: insert https://www.fcc.gov/network-outage-reporting-system-nors in browser to navigate to the NORS Homepage.
- 6. Sign-in using the NORS login link.

Change Password in FCC User Registration for NORS Password

- Navigate to <u>FCC User Registration</u> Page.
- 2. Select Forgot or/Reset your Password.
- 3. Enter your e-mail address and click **Continue.**
- An e-mail will be sent from FCC Registration. Click on the link in email.
- 5. Answer your security question and click **Continue**.
- 6. Create a new password. Click Continue.

Note: Update security Question by clicking on the 'Update Password and Security Questions' link. An answer to the security question is required for every password reset request.

If assistance is needed for password / security questions, submit an inquiry to CORES@fcc.gov or call the FRN Help Line at 877-480-3201 (Mon.- Fri. 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. ET).

Create New Users (Inputter Account)

- 1. Go to the <u>FCC User Registration</u> System.
- 2. Select Create New Account.
- 3. Enter information in required fields.
- 4. Login to NORS using the newly created account Note: If coordinator privileges are required, send request to NORS administrators: FCCOutage@fcc.gov.

Assign User to an Existing Company

- 1. Select **Assign yourself to a company** from the left navigation links.
- 2. Select Register with an Existing Company? (Yes).
- 3. Search for the company to join as an inputter.
- Enter the Company Security Code.
 Note: Contact the company coordinator if the security code in not known.
- 5. Select Submit.
- 6. Logout and log back in for the new changes to take effect.

Create a New Company

- Select Assign yourself to a company from the left navigation link
- 2. Select No, Create a New Company.
- 3. Enter the required information.
- 4. Click **Yes** to confirm the company details.
- 5. The company is created; outages can now be filed for this company.

Logout of NORS

- 1. Select the User's name.
- 2. Select Logout.



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Submit Report Notification

- Select Report Notification from the left navigation links.
- Select the company for which you are filing a notification if you belong to more than one company.
- 3. Enter information in required fields
- 4. Select Submit Notification.
- 5. Select **Yes** in "Confirm Submission of Notification Report" dialogue box.

Submit Initial Report

- 1. Select **NORS Outages** from the left navigation links.
- Search and identify the applicable Notification from the List View (the Notification to update and submit as an Initial Report).
- 3. Click the (1) Icon to open NORS Outage Report form.
- 4. Enter information in required fields.
- 5. Select Submit Initial Report.
- 6. Select **Yes** in "Confirm Submission of Initial Report" dialogue box.

Submit Final Report

- 1. Select **NORS Outages** from the left navigation links.
- Search and identify the applicable Report from the List View (the Initial Report to update and submit as a Final Report).
- 3. Click the ① icon to open NORS Outage Report form.
- 4. Enter information in required fields.
- 5. Select Submit Final Report.
- 6. Select **Yes** in "Confirm Submission of Final Report" dialogue box.

Save Report as a Draft

Note: Initial and Final Reports can be saved as Drafts until the reports are complete and ready to submit.

- 1. Select NORS Outages from the left navigation links.
- 2. Select Update NORS Outages.
- Search and identify the applicable Report from the List View (the Report to update <u>before</u> submitting as an Initial or Final Report).
- 4. Select the ① icon to open NORS Outage Report form.
- 5. Enter information in required fields.
- 6. Select Save Draft.
- Select **OK** in "Saved as Draft" dialogue box.

Submit a Reopen Report Request for Final Notifications

- 1. Select **NORS Outages** from the left navigation links.
- Search and identify the applicable Report from the List View (the Report to reopen).
- 3. Select the icon to open NORS Outage Report form.
- 4. Select Reopen Report.
- 5. Enter information in required fields.
- 6. Select **OK** in "Request to Reopen Report" dialogue box.
 Note: The request is sent to a NORS administrator for review.

Withdraw Report

- Select NORS Outages from the left navigation links.
- 2. Search and identify the applicable Report from the List View (the Report to Withdraw).
- Select the ① icon to open NORS Outage Report form.
- 4. Select Withdraw Report.
- 5. Enter information in required fields.
- 6. Select Withdraw.
- 7. Select **Yes** in "Confirm Withdraw Report" dialogue box.

