

Jackson



PES

## IEEE Jackson, MS PES Chapter Meeting Minutes

May 9, 2012

12 noon to 1 pm

Entergy Nuclear Headquarter Building

**Number of attendees: 20**

### **Technical Presentation:**

*Topic* : Fault Location Techniques

*Speaker*: Sal Jadid

### **Purpose of Meeting:**

Technical Presentation and PES Chapter Business.

### **Meeting Details:**

The agenda was covered and accompanied with a power point presentation after the Technical Presentation. The technical presentation lasted for 50 minutes with another 10 minutes of questions and answers. The discussions from the Jackson PES Chapter Business portion of the meeting are shown below:

1) *PDH*

The PDH certificates were handed out.

2) *Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes*

The previous meeting minutes were distributed, shown in the presentation, and approved.

3) *Old Items*

*a. Chapter Approval Status*

Tom Field showed an email which stated the Chapter PE31 had been approved on March 13, 2012 and a congratulatory letter would be sent. Tom stated that the URL for the website had been granted and that he had ordered the membership development kit. He stated that the elections would be held at the next meeting after the official letter was received. He showed where the Mississippi section had posted the attendance from the previous meeting on the section website.

*b. Technical Program*

A draft schedule of technical topics through the end of 2012 were shown and discussed. ABB had committed to the presentation in June for Transformers. Everyone agreed to pursue presentations by the following:

July – Electric Vehicles - Nissan

August – Transmission Lines – Southwire or Smart Wire Grid

September – Capacitors – Cooper or other manufacturer

October – Planning – Entergy possibly on SVC study

November – Arresters – Siemens

December – Generators



Gabe Nielsen stated that we could do a tour of the generator assembly at Taylor Power and have a presentation in December. Jeremy Blair suggested a presentation by Rugged Com.

*c. Volunteers*

*i. Chapter Officers*

Tom F. stated that anyone that would like to run for an office should contact him to be put on the ballot. The current list of candidates were shown.

*ii. Committees*

All the committee chairs were shown. Tom F. pointed out that William Solano had volunteered at the previous meeting to chair the Future Conferences committee. Tom F. stated that anyone that would like to work on one of the committee should contact committee chair.

*iii. Section Newsletter Editor*

Tom F. stated that anyone that would like to be the IEEE Mississippi section newsletter editor should contact him. Irmari Rios-Negron volunteered to be the new section newsletter editor.

*d. News Article*

Tom F. stated that since the official letter recognizing the chapter had not been received yet, he was going to wait on writing the article.

*e. Website*

Jameson Mitchell stated that he had received the URL for the website and was working on the webpages.

*4) New Items*

*a. Next Meeting*

Tom F. stated that he had already reserved the Transmission Headquarter Cafetorium for the June meeting. He stated that he would try to have the room reserved before each meeting because he could not reserve it for this meeting even though we had agreed to it at the last meeting. Everyone agreed to the next meeting to be held on June 13 from noon to 1 pm at the Entergy Transmission Headquarter Building in Jackson. The presenter for the next meeting will be ABB. William Solano stated that the topic will either on transformer testing and test reports.

*b. Other Items*

There were no other new items

*5) Adjourn*