

STLNA Liaison Report to the IEEE PES Switchgear Committee

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Chair: Frank DeCesaro **Technical Liaison Director:** Jean-Marc Torres

Meeting Highlights

1. The STLNA met on Tuesday, October 16, 2018. There were (15) in attendance. Five member labs were represented.
2. Jean-Marc Torres, the STLNA Technical Liaison Director, and Frank DeCesaro, the STLNA chair, will attend the STL-Technical Committee meeting in Milano, Italy November 13th and 14th.
3. Victor Savulyak of the KEMA Power Test Lab in Chalfont, PA was elected as the new STLNA chair beginning in April of 2019 when Frank DeCesaro's term expires. Both Mr. Savulyak and Mr. DeCesaro will attend the spring STL-Management Committee meeting.
4. The STLNA will host the STL Management Committee Meeting in spring of 2020. The Powertech Laboratory has offered to host this meeting. Chris Morton will coordinate with Frank DeCesaro to set details that can be announced to the STL-Management committee at their spring 2019 meeting.
5. The 2019 STLNA membership dues level will be set once it is determined how much the STL-Management Committee Meeting costs are anticipated to be. An email vote will be setup by the Secretariat if we increase from our standard yearly dues level.
6. **Technical Discussions:**
 - a. A technical interpretation request was submitted regarding IEC 62271-1 / IEEE C37.04 (1999) dealing with consideration of welded connections. This will be discussed at an on-line meeting once the group has time to review the question.
 - b. A technical interpretation request was submitted regarding IEC 62271-100 / C37.06 (2009), C37.09a-2005 dealing with back-to-back capacitive switching test inrush current values (peak & frequency) different from the values given in the table(s) because the customer as a non-preferred rating. This will be discussed at an on-line meeting once the group has time to review the question.