**Required Template for Submissions**

**Submission to**

**U.S. Department of Energy**

**Electricity Industry Technology and Practices Innovation Challenge**

Tier Submission (check only one):

\_\_\_ Tier 1

\_\_\_ Tier 2

Title of Submission:

Key Area(s) of Interest Addressed (check those applicable):

\_\_\_ Cyber and physical risk mitigation

\_\_\_ Operational efficiency

\_\_\_ Reliability and resilience

\_\_\_ Facilitation of emergency response and recovery

\_\_\_ Safety

Name of Submitter (person or entity):

Type of Entity (Check all that are applicable):

\_\_\_ Individual

\_\_\_ Academia

\_\_\_ Industry

\_\_\_ Non-Profit

\_\_\_ Small Business

\_\_\_ Large Business

\_\_\_ Other (describe\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_)

Submitter Point of Contact Information:

Name:

Address:

Phone Number:

Email Address:

Video Link (Tier 1 Submissions Only):

**Abstract for [Title of Submission]:**

[On this page, under the Submission title, provide an abstract of the Submission in 1,000 words or less, with text only (i.e., no graphics). This is required for both Tier 1 and Tier 2 submissions.]

**Narrative for [Title of Submission]:**

Beginning with this page, provide a narrative addressing the entry specifics according to the rules and challenge scope. Submitters are encouraged to thoroughly address each of the four evaluation criteria and may choose to provide a separate section for each. [Tier 1 narratives must be no more than fifteen (15) pages. Tier 2 narratives must be no more than eight (8) pages.]

**Letters of Support for [Title of Submission]**

[Optional for Tier 1 or Tier 2]

[Following this cover page, provide up to eight (8) pages of letters of support for the Submission. Letters of Support will not count against the narrative page limitation]