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**Pledge / Invocation** – **Commissioner Jeremy H. Oden**

**Remarks** – **Chairman Julie Brown, Florida PSC**

**Special Guest** – **The Honorable Mignon Clyburn, FCC**

**Keynote** – **Commissioner Robert Powelson, NARUC 1st Vice President**

**General Session – Panel Discussion: 40/40 Blueprint – Looking Back at Energy Production 40 Years Ago, Today, and 40 Years in the Future**

**Moderator:** Ronald A. Brisé, SEARUC President

**Description:** 40 years ago U.S. energy policy was encapsulated by a ban on crude exports, the passage of the Energy Policy and Conservation Act which established the Strategic Petroleum Reserve, Energy Conservation Program for consumer products, and the CAFÉ program for automobile efficiency. Fast forward to today: the ban on crude exports has lifted, the shale revolution has changed US and global supply dynamics, LNG is being exported and
renewable generation is becoming a small but significant part of the energy mix. What will the next 40 years bring?

Panelists: Paul Greenwood, Business & Market Analysis Manager ExxonMobil Gas & Power Marketing Company
Rick Smead, Managing Director of Advisory Services RBN Energy, LLC
Lloyd M. Yates, Executive Vice President, Market Solutions President, Carolina Region Duke Energy
Misty McGowen, Director of Federal Relations American Petroleum Institute
Barbara Bauman Tyran, Executive Director, Gov’t & External Relations Electric Power & Research Institute (EPRI)

10:45 AM-11:00 AM Break

11:00 AM – 12:30 PM Concurrent Session – **Industrial Power Users: Strategies to Conserve Energy and Grow Your Bottom Line**

Description: Large industrial users of energy, gas, and water have to be innovative in their approach to managing their utility bills. Many utilize solar, recycle water or even start their own water utility to make small changes that affect their bottom line to the tune of millions of dollars each year. This panel taps the brilliant minds of some large industrial users and seeks to make the case that conservation and renewable investment techniques are good for business.

Moderator: Commissioner Jimmy Patronis, FL
Panelists: Warren Newell, Director of Development
11:00 AM – 12:30 PM  Concurrent Session – Solutions for Small Water Utility Non-Compliance: Acquisition Adjustments to Prevent and Resolve Troubled Water Utilities
Moderators: Commissioner John “Butch” Howard, SC
Commissioner Randy Randall, SC
Panelists: Kim Joyce
Regulatory Counsel and Director of Public and Legislative Affairs
Aqua America
Lila Jaber
Shareholder, Government Affairs
Gunster
Rob Moorer
C.O.O.
Receivership Management

12:30 PM – 1:30 PM  Lunch
Presentation: Kate Ringness, Program Manager
American Jobs Project

1:30 PM -3:00 PM  Concurrent Session – LNG, Utilities, & Economic Development
Description: Liquified Natural Gas remains a relatively underdeveloped opportunity in America’s energy boom. This panel will discuss the use of LNG in natural gas utilities, potential additional use by utilities and their customers,
the benefits of greater utilization, and the economic path to a greater role for LNG.

Moderator: Commissioner Art Graham, FL
Panelists: C. Eric Kuenzli
Director of Fuels, Pivotal LNG
An AGL Resources Company

Alan Mosley
Vice President – Energy and Logistics
JAX Chamber

Stan Wise
Commissioner
Georgia Public Service Commission

1:30 PM -3:00 PM Concurrent Session – Tel-economy: Competition & Connectivity Plaza 2
Moderator: Commissioner Elliott F. Elam, Jr. SC
Description: Connectivity and interconnection are an integral part of the pro-competitive and deregulatory policy established by Congress. Incumbent local exchange carriers are obligated by law to negotiate in good faith for the interconnection of telecommunications at any technically feasible point in their networks. These policies have been vital to the economic growth that has transformed the industry into a competitive and evolving marketplace. This panel will explore if there is still connectivity that needs regulatory or legislative oversight or if competitive market forces are sufficient.

Panelists: Hank Hultquist
Vice President – Federal Regulatory
AT&T

Joe Gillan
Owner / CEO, Gillan Associates

Sherry Lichtenberg
Principal – Telecom. Research & Policy
National Regulatory Research Institute
3:00 PM – 3:15 PM
Break

3:15 PM – 4:30 PM
Concurrent Session – **The Impact of Emerging Technologies on State Economies**

Plaza 1

Description: How has the emergence of new technologies impacted state economies? Do solar, wind, and other energy resources create new jobs and streams of income for local and state economies? Does it matter whether the technologies are user-driven or large-scale projects by the utilities? Is there a business-case for generation diversity? Has the deployment of new VoIP networks, wireless infrastructure, and broadband services been responsible for economic growth?

Moderator: Commissioner Lamar Davis, AR

Respondent: Austin Whitman
Director of Regulatory Affairs, FirstFuel

Panelists:
- Jay Caspary
  Dir. Research, Development & Special Studies
  Southwest Power Pool

- Ron Edelstein
  Director, Regulatory and Gov’t Relations
  Gas Technology Institute

- Joe Gibbons
  Chairman, Energy Equity Alliance

- Todd Hillman
  VP – South Region, Midcontinent ISO

- Benjamin Aron
  Director, CTIA – The Wireless Association

- Elise Banister
  Exec. Dir., Regulatory and Public Policy
  AT&T

- Isaac Panzarella
  Director, U.S. DOE Southeast CHP Technical Assistance Partnership
Concurrent Session – The Coming Retirement Crunch and Facilitating the Addition of More Women/Minorities/Veterans into Energy Jobs

Description: A large portion of the energy workforce is set to retire over the next ten years resulting in a need for replacement workers. There is a lack of knowledge with respect to these opportunities within the above mentioned communities. It is important to discuss current trends and what can be done to help encourage more diversity of applicants across the energy sectors.

Moderator: Commissioner Nikiya “Nikki” Hall, SC
Panelists: Paula Glover
President & CEO
American Association of Blacks in Energy

Tyra M. Metoyer
Campaign Manager, External Mobilization
API

Amy Watson
President, Watson & Associates

Tuesday, June 14, 2016
General Session – **If Not Nuclear, Then What?**

**Description:** In a carbon constrained world where coal is essentially retired, nuclear energy is our best option but if we are unable to build nuclear plants, how do we make up the difference?

**Moderator:** Commissioner Stan Wise, GA

**Panelists:**
- Senator Evan Bayh (D-Indiana, 1999-2011)
  Nuclear Matters, Co-Chair
- Jeremiah C. Haswell
  Nuclear Development Regulatory Manager
  Georgia Power Company

Concurrent Session – **The FCC’s Lifeline Modernization – Unlocking the Door to the 21st Century Digital Economy**

**Description:** The FCC, in its Lifeline Modernization Order, has adopted several reforms aimed at empowering low-income consumers to take part in the digital economy. This panel will discuss many of the reforms adopted by the FCC and discuss the potential impacts on Lifeline subscribers and their participation in the digital economy. The business and regulatory implications of the Order will also be examined.

**Moderator:** Commissioner ToNola Brown-Bland, NC

**Panelists:**
- Beth Fujimoto
  Exec. Dir. – Public Policy/External Legis. Affairs
  AT&T, Inc.
- John E. Benedict
  V.P. – Federal Regulatory Affairs & Counsel
  CenturyLink, Inc.
- Sherry Lichtenberg, Ph.D
  Principal – Telecom. Research & Policy
  National Regulatory Research Institute
- Javier Rúa Jovet
  Chairman – Telecommunications Regulatory Board of Puerto Rico
Concurrent Session – How PSCs Can Drive Economic Development By Expanding Corporate Access to Renewables and Encouraging Energy Efficiency

Description: Military bases and major corporations, including Apple, Amazon, Google, Microsoft and Facebook, are setting ambitious goals for renewable energy, and are increasingly aiming to source 100% of their electricity needs from renewable resources, using a mix of onsite resources and purchases. Couple that with plans by these companies to invest billions of dollars in building new data centers and you have a recipe for economic development—in states that are willing to expand corporate access to renewable energy procurement. How can energy efficiency and other new technologies help customers take control of their energy usage? What are the different options for allowing large buyers to access renewable power? How can procurement be done in a way that’s fair to all ratepayers?

Moderator: Commissioner Brandon Presley, MS

Panelists
Commissioner Lauren “Bubba” McDonald
Georgia Public Service Commission

Tom Starrs
VP of Market Strategy and Policy, SunPower Corporation

Micah Remley
Senior Vice President of Product
EnerNOC

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM Lunch on Your Own
1:00 PM Optional Group Activity – Golf
6:00 PM President’s Dinner

Grand Ballroom Salon II

Wednesday, June 15, 2016
8:00 AM – 10:00 AM  Registration
8:00 AM – 9:30 AM  Commissioners only Meeting and Breakfast
8:30 AM – 9:30 AM  General Attendee Continental Breakfast
9:30 AM – 10:45 AM  General Session – Consumers, Convergence, and Change

Description:  Join our general session as we continue to examine how we can unlock the many opportunities for consumers arising as a result of the convergence of the energy, water, and advanced communications sectors in the United States. During last year’s Annual NARUC Meeting in Austin, Commissioners from across the country came together with subject-matter experts to begin examining what convergence means, common challenges, and cross-sector collaboration. In this session, we’ll further the conversation by delving into specific examples of convergence in the Southeast, emerging issues and how regulators and service providers can work to ensure that the promise of convergence is realized for consumers and the country.

Moderator:  Commissioner Lisa Edgar, FL
Panelists:  John Ashford
Chairman, The Hawthorn Group
Nicholas Santillo, Jr.
VP, Internal Audit & Chief Security Officer
American Water
John Twitchell
Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers
Mohammed Alfayyoumi
Dominion Virginia Power
Frank Koza
Executive Director of Infrastructure Planning
PJM

10:45 AM – 12:00 PM  General Session – Leadership & Vision: A Conversation with our Executives

Flagler Hall
Ocean 1 & 2
Flagler Hall
Salons 2 & 3
Utility technology and regulation is continually evolving. It takes effective vision and leadership to navigate the ever-changing landscape in a highly-regulated environment. This panel will give us the opportunity to hear directly from C-Level executives about the challenges and opportunities their companies are facing.

Moderator: President Ronald A. Brisé, SEARUC
Panelists: Andrew W. Evans
President & CEO, AGL Resources

James Y. Kerr, II
Exec. V.P., General Counsel and CCO, Southern Co.

Mike O’Sullivan
Senior V.P. of Development, NextEra Energy Resources

Joe York
President, AT&T Florida, Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands

Lisa Sparrow
President and CEO, Utilities, Inc.

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