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Electric Utility Regulation

**COMMISSION ON ELECTRIC UTILITY REGULATION (CEUR)**

**Thursday, May 22, 2025, 11:00 a.m.**
Senate Room A, 3rd Floor, General Assembly Building
201 N. 9th Street, Richmond, VA 23219

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**MEETING AGENDA**

1. **Welcome and call to order** (Senator Surovell, Chair)
    a. Roll call of members

2. **Director's Update** (Carrie Hearne, ED)
    a. 2025 General Assembly Session and Governor's Actions
        i. Energy bills approved (overview)
        ii. CEUR bills and budget status update

3. **Panel Discussion: Update on Federal Actions Relating to Energy Grants, Loan Programs, Tax Credits, and Tariffs**
    a. **Perspectives from State Agencies:**
        i. Denise Surber, Dept. of Social Services (LIHEAP: Low-Income Heating and Energy Assistance Program);
        ii. Angel Deem, Virginia Dept. of Transportation (NEVI: National EV Infrastructure Program)
        *iii. Written Updates from DEQ, Virginia Energy, DHCD (see packet)*
    b. **Perspectives from Industry: Offshore Wind and Solar**
        i. Ben Norris, Solar Energy Industries Association (SEIA)
        ii. Bill Murray, Dominion Energy: Coastal Virginia Offshore Wind Project
        iii. Brittney West, The AES Corporation
        iv. Carlos Class, Solarix (Virginia-based manufacturing)
    c. **Perspectives on Energy Affordability, Ratepayer Education**
        i. Andy Farmer, SCC: Virginia Energy Sense Customer Education Program
        ii. Bill Murray, Dominion Energy Virginia
        iii. Chase Counts, Association of Energy Conservation Professionals (AECP)

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4. **Presentation: New Electricity Load Demand Projections by PJM**
    a. Asim Z. Haque, Senior VP for Governmental & Member Service at PJM Interconnection, LLC

5. **Action on Bill Referrals to CEUR** (Carrie Hearne, ED)
    a. Senate Bills: SB 1216 (Pekarsky), SB 1281 (Hackworth), SB 1485 (Srinivasan)
    b. House Bill: HB 2281 (McNamara)

6. **2025 Commission Workplan and Subcommittees** (Senator Surovell, Chair)
    a. Promote an Advanced Nuclear Economy in Virginia
    b. Analyze APCO and Dominion Energy Affordability Issues
    c. Promote Geothermal Industry in Virginia
    d. Promote Energy Storage Industry in Virginia
    e. Update IRP Legislation
    f. Continue Solar Deployment & Siting Discussion
    g. Validate JLARC Data Center Legislative Recommendations
    h. Finalize CEUR Jurisdiction/Merger with Coal & Energy Commission

7. **Public Comment** (Senator Surovell, Chair)
    a. *Please state name and affiliation. Comments are limited to 2 minutes each.*

8. **Next steps** (Carrie Hearne, ED)

9. **Adjourn** (Senator Surovell, Chair)

## Members of the Commission on Electric Utility Regulation

**Senate**
The Honorable Scott A. Surovell (Chair)
The Honorable L. Louise Lucas
The Honorable Mark D. Obenshain
The Honorable R. Creigh Deeds

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