

LEGISLATIVE TRANSITION TASK FORCE

Established Pursuant to the Virginia Electric Utility Restructuring Act

Friday, September 7, 2001, 10:00 A.M.
Senate Room B, General Assembly Building

Proposed Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. Development of a Competitive Retail Market for Electric Generation within the Commonwealth:
2001 Report Pursuant to Section 56-596 of the Restructuring Act
 - a. Report Overview:
Richard Williams, Director, SCC Division of Economics and Finance
 - b. Development of Regional Competitive Markets:
Dr. Kenneth Rose, National Regulatory Research Institute, Columbus, Ohio
 - c. Status of Competition in Virginia; Recommendations to Facilitate Effective Competition:
Richard J. Williams, Director, SCC Division of Economics and Finance
 - d. Status of Consumer Education Program:
Kenneth J. Schrad, Director, SCC Division of Information Resources
3. Update on Other SCC Activities Related to Electric Utility Restructuring
Arlen K. Bolstad, SCC Office of General Counsel
4. Discussion of Possible Issues for Task Force Consideration Prior to 2002 Session
 - a. Task Force action directed by legislation:
 - Siting of electricity generation facilities (SJR 467)
 - Monitor SCC's implementation of Restructuring Act (§ 56-595)
 - b. Task Force action requested by Corporations, Insurance and Banking Committee:
 - HB 1940 - Member-regulation by electric cooperatives
 - HB 2853 - Rate caps and wires charges for municipalities
 - HB 2759 - Environmental impact analysis for electric utility facilities
 - c. Issues identified for Task Force Consideration Prior to the 2000 Session:
 - Interconnection of certificated service territories (Cooperatives)
 - Line extension credits (SCC staff)
 - Cooperatives rate discounts during the capped rate period (SCC staff)
 - Stranded cost recovery information (SCC Order)
 - d. Information-gathering activities/topics:
 - Proposed federal energy legislation
 - Status of regional transmission entities
 - Results of restructuring activities in other states
 - Consumer Advisory Board activities
 - e. Other issues:

5. Other Business

6. Adjournment

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