

**5<sup>th</sup> NARUC/CEER Energy Regulators' Roundtable****Washington, DC, February 12-13, 2005****Agenda**Saturday, February 12

- 10:00      **Welcome & Introduction**  
President Marilyn Showalter, NARUC  
President Jorge Vasconcelos, CEER
- 10:10      **Session I: Recent Regulatory Developments in the USA & EU**  
Moderators:  
  - Com. Frederick Butler (NJ)
  - President Jorge Vasconcelos, CEER
Speakers:  
  - Chairman William McCarty, Chair, NARUC Committee on International Relations (IN)
  - Com. Jacques-André Troesch (CRE, France)
- 11:00      Coffee break
- 11:15      **Session I Cont.: General Discussion**
- 12:30      Lunch
- 14:00      **Session II: Reliability and Security of Electricity Supply Issues**  
  - ❖ Reporting on 2003 black-outs – common issues & possible solutions
  - ❖ Incentives for TSOs to provide sufficient cross-border capacity
  - ❖ Reliability and operational rules – legal status & economic impact assessment
  - ❖ Impact of distributed generation
Moderators:  
  - Com. David Hadley (IN)
  - Com. Jan Moen (NVE, Norway)
Speakers:  
  - Com. Robert Clayton (MO)
  - President Alessandro Ortis, (AEEG, Italy)
- 15:30      Coffee break

15:45            **Session II Cont.: General Discussion**

17:00            Session Concludes

Sunday, February 13

09:00            **Session III: Development of Regional Electricity Markets**

Moderators:

- Chairman Thomas Welch (ME)
- President Alessandro Ortis, (AEEG, Italy)

Speakers:

Introduction of technical, economic and institutional issues

- Jacques de Jong , Netherlands

North America

- Com. Arnetta McRae (DE)

Regional Electricity Market in North Europe:

- Com. Jan Moen (NVE, Norway)

10:00            Coffee break

10:15            **Session III Cont: General Discussion**

11:30            Lunch

**NARUC Committee on International Relations Meeting**

1:00 pm	<b>INTRODUCTION &amp; WELCOME REMARKS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Hon. William McCarty</i>, Chairman</li></ul>
1:05 pm	<b>STAFF SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Mr. James Gallagher</i>, Staff Sub-Committee Chairman</li></ul>
1:10 pm	<b>NARUC INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS INCLUDING ENERGY REGULATORY PARTNERSHIPS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Ms. Erin Skootsky</i>, Director, International Programs, NARUC</li></ul>
1:20 pm	<b>PARTNERSHIP ROUNDTABLE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Commissioners/Staff</li></ul>
1:40 pm	<b>RESOLUTIONS</b>
1:50 pm	<b>USAID – Europe &amp; Eurasia Activities</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Dr. Robert Ichord</i>, Chief, Energy &amp; Infrastructure Division, E&amp;E</li></ul>

2:10 pm	<b>USAID – Global Activities</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Mr. Juan Belt</i>, Director, Office of Energy Information Technology, Energy Team, EGAT</li> </ul>
2:30 pm	<b>CLIMATE CHANGE UPDATE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Mr. Andrew Spahn</i>, Director of Grants &amp; Research, NARUC</li> </ul>
2:40 pm	<b>PURC UPDATE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Dr. Mark Jamison</i>, Director, PURC</li> </ul>
2:50 pm	<b>3RD WORLD FORUM ON ENERGY REGULATION – PLANNING</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Ms. Erin Skootsky &amp; Ms. Michelle Malloy</i>, NARUC</li> <li>• General Discussion</li> </ul>

15:15      **Session IV: Development of Regional Gas Markets**

Moderators:

- Charles Gray, Executive Director, NARUC
- Com. Jacques-André Troesch (CRE, France)

Speakers:

- Com. Robert Keating (MA)
- President Michael Caramanis (RAE, Greece) – “Marginal Cost-Based Guidelines for Setting Transit Fees in the Eurasian Trade of Natural Gas and Electricity”

General Discussion

16:30      Session Concludes