

# EU – US Energy Regulators Roundtable Athens, 5 – 6 December 2007 Omicron I Room Athenaeum InterContinental Hotel

### Agenda – final

### **Social Event**

### 4 December 2007, 20:15 Hrs, Welcome Cocktail,

### Café Zoe, Athenaeum InterContinental Hotel, lobby level,

# Day one: 5 December 2007<sup>1</sup> 09.00 - 09.15Welcome address by Michael Caramanis (Chairman RAE, Greece) 09.15 - 09.30Introductory Remarks by: Sir John Mogg (CEER President) President Marsha Smith (NARUC) and Chairman Joseph T. Kelliher (FERC) $09.30 - 13.00^2$ Session 1: Effective regulation and unbundling Chaired by Sir John Mogg (CEER President) and President Marsha Smith (NARUC, Commissioner, Idaho Public Utilities Commission) 09.30 - 10.15The European Commission's legislative proposals Jose Braz (3<sup>rd</sup> package) - Regulators' views: (Commissioner, ERSE Portugal) • Ownership unbundling; The ISO model; Retail markets. 10.15 - 11.00The scope of energy regulation in the United Commissioner Sam States: Ervin, North Carolina **Utilities Commission**



44.00 44.45	<ul> <li>State vs. Federal;</li> <li>Cooperation with competition and financial services authorities.</li> </ul>	(Chair, NARUC Committee on Electricity) Joseph T. Kelliher (Chairman, FERC)
11.00 – 11.15	Coffee break	
11.15 – 12.00	The concept of an independent regulator	Peter Plug (Director DTe, the Netherlands)
12.00 – 12.45	The RTO model	President James Yancey Kerr, II (Commissioner, North Carolina Utilities Commission)
13.00 – 14.30	Lunch, Café Zoe lobby level	
14.30 – 17.45	Session 2: Market integration  Chaired by Carlo Crea (Secretary General AEEG Italy), and Commissioner Sam	
	"Jimmy" Ervin, North Carolina Utilities Commission (Chair, Electricity)	
14. 30 – 15.15	State of play of the ERGEG Regional Initiatives	David Halldearn (OFGEM, UK)
15.15 – 15.35	Update on South East Europe and the role of the ECRB	Michael Caramanis, (Chairman RAE, Greece)
15.35 – 16.00	ERRA's Role in Regional Market Building	Gábor Szörényi, Chairman, ERRA
16.00 – 16.15	Coffee break	
16.15 – 17.00	Regional markets in the US	President James Yancey Kerr, II (Commissioner, North



17.00 – 17.45 Market monitoring: the FERC experience

Carolina Utilities Commission)

Susan J. Court (Director, Office of Enforcement, FERC)

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20:30 Hrs, Official Dinner, Premiere Restaurant,
Athenaeum Intercontinental Hotel, roof top terrace



# Day two: 6 December 2007

09.30 - 13.00	Session 3: Investment and security of supply		
	Chaired by Johannes Kindler (Vice President BNetzA, C Robinson (Director, Office of Energy Projects, FERC)		
09. 30 – 10.15	The concept of "critical infrastructure" (including electricity generation, electricity transmission and gas infrastructures)	Commissioner Robert Clayton (Missouri Public Service Commission and Chair, NARUC Committee on International Relations)	
10.15 – 11.00	International Regulatory Cooperation	Jacques-Andre Troesch (Commissioner, CRE, France)	
		Commissioner Robert Clayton (Missouri Public Service Commission, Chair and NARUC Committee on International Relations)	
11.00 – 11.15	Coffee break		
11.15 – 12.00	The Regulator and new LNG facilities in the US	Mark Robinson (Director, Office of Energy Projects, FERC)	



12.00 – 12.45	The ERGEG work on storage and LNG	Raul Yunta Huete (Director, CNE, Spain)
13.00 – 14.30	Lunch, Café Zoe lobby level	
14.30 – 17.45	Session 4: Climate change and other issues	
	Chaired by Finn Dehlbæk (Deputy Director, DERA, Denmark) and David Coen (Second Vice-President, NARUC, Commissioner, Vermont Public Service Board)	
14. 30 – 15.15	Climate change policies: the Regulator's role (initial discussion)	István Pataki (Commissioner, HEO, Hungary)
15.15 – 16.00	Looking forward: future EU – US Roundtables	CEER, FERC and NARUC
16.00 – 16.15	Coffee break	
16.15 – 17.00	Conclusions	Sir John Mogg (CEER President)
		President Marsha Smith (NARUC)
		Chairman Joseph T. Kelliher (FERC)

### **Social Event**

19:15 Hrs Bus Departure from Athens Intercontinental Lobby for the Museum of Cycladic Art 19:45 Hrs Arrival at the Museum of Cycladic Art

20: 00-21:00 Hrs, Guided Tour of the "El Greco and His Workshop" exhibition
21:15 Hrs, Dinner, Hotel Grande Bretagne Roof Garden, Syntagma Square,
(Kindly offered by the Rokas Group of Companies a member of the Iberdrola Group that also sponsored the Exhibition)