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FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

Principles for Efficient and Reliable Reactive Power  
Supply and Consumption

Docket No. AD05-1-000

NOTICE OF TECHNICAL CONFERENCE

(March 2, 2005)

As announced in a Notice of Technical Conference issued on January 31, 2005, in the above referenced proceeding, a technical conference will be held on March 8, 2005, from approximately 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. (EST), in the Commission Meeting Room on the second floor of the offices of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. All interested persons may attend, and registration is not required. Commissioners are expected to participate. Attached is the agenda for the conference.

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Deputy Secretary

**Reactive Power Conference  
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission  
March 8, 2005  
Agenda**

- 9:00 a.m.            Opening Remarks  
Richard O’Neill, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
- 9:15 a.m.            Panel I – Reliability and Technical Issues
- Panelists:  
Donald Benjamin, NERC  
Philip Fedora, Northeast Power Coordinating Council  
Michael Connolly, CenterPoint Energy  
Ronald Snead, Cinergy Services (MISO Transmission Owners)  
Michael Calimano, New York ISO  
Anjan Bose, Washington State University  
Robert O’Connell, Williams Power Company, Inc.  
Terry Winter, American Superconductor  
Eric John, ABB Inc.
- 11:15 a.m.            Panel II – Short-Term Reactive Power Issues
- Panelists:  
Dennis Bethel, American Electric Power  
Allen Mosher, American Public Power Association  
David Bertagnolli, ISO New England  
Steve Wofford, Constellation Energy Commodities Group, Inc.  
John Lucas, Southern Company  
John Simpson, Reliant Energy, Inc.  
Scott Helyer, Tenaska, Inc.
- 1:00 p.m.            Lunch Break

2:00 p.m. Panel III – Prospective Reactive Power Solutions

Panelists:

Fernando Alvarado, IEEE-USA Energy Policy Committee

Michael Calviou, National Grid USA

Mayer Sasson, Consolidated Edison of New York

Steven Naumann, Exelon Corporation

David Clarke, Navigant Consulting, Inc.

Harry Terhune, American Transmission Company LLC

Robert D'Aquila, GE Energy

Kris Zadlo, Calpine

Andy Ott, PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

4:00 p.m. Adjourn