

Minutes of the Independent State Agencies Committee (ISAC)  
Held via teleconference  
March 16, 2026

Commissioner McCabe called the meeting to order at 3:00 PM (ET).

The following members were present:

| Agency   | Representative          | Other Commissioners and Staff    |
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| Delaware Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control |                         |                                  |
| Delaware PSC   |                         | Samantha Kayne                   |
| Delaware Division of the Public Advocate                           |                         |                                  |
| District of Columbia Department of Energy and Environment          |                         |                                  |
| District of Columbia PSC   |                         | Tom Shetty                       |
| DC Office of People’s Counsel                                      |                         | Ade Adeniyi                      |
| Illinois Citizens Utility Board                                    |                         |                                  |
| Illinois Commerce Commission                                       | Commissioner Ann McCabe | Hannah McCorry<br>Zachary Callen |
| Illinois Department of Natural Resources                           |                         |                                  |
| Illinois Power Agency  |                         |                                  |
| Indiana Department of Environmental Management                     |                         |                                  |
| Indiana Office of Utility Consumer Counselor                       |                         | Art Iler                         |
| Indiana State Utility Forecasting Group                            |                         |                                  |
| Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission                              | David Veleta            |                                  |
| Kentucky PSC   |                         | Cooper Fogle<br>Justin McNeil    |
| Maryland DNR   |                         |                                  |
| Maryland Department of the Environment                             |                         |                                  |
| Maryland Energy Administration                                     |                         | Shannon Frede                    |

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| Maryland Office of People's Counsel                 |  |  |
| Maryland Office of the Governor                     |  |  |
| Maryland PSC  |  |  |
| Michigan PSC  |  | Erik Hanser<br>Advait Rode   |
| New Jersey Board of Public Utilities                |  | Amanda Lescano   |
| New Jersey Rate Counsel                             |  | Rob Glover<br>David Wand   |
| North Carolina Utilities Commission                 |  |  |
| North Carolina Public Staff                         |  | Jordan Nader   |
| Ohio Power Siting Board                             |  |  |
| Ohio PUC  |  | Anna Perry<br>Sarah Parrot<br>Christopher Zoeller<br>Kristin Clingan<br>Mahila Christopher   |
| Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection |  | Sarah Pinter   |
| Pennsylvania PUC                                    |  | Betsy Barnes   |
| Pennsylvania Office of Consumer Advocate            |  | Mel El Atieh   |
| Tennessee Public Utility Commission                 |  | David Althoff Jr   |
| Virginia Department of Energy                       |  | Victoria Ball  |
| Virginia SCC  |  | Annabelle Shotton<br>Derek Jones<br>Matthew Unger<br>Bill Chambliss<br>Fred Ochsenhirt<br>Allison Samuel<br>Andrew Boehnlein<br>David Dalton |
| West Virginia PSC                                   |  |  |
| PJM Staff   |  | Susan McGill<br>Ryann Reagan<br>Matthew Bernstein<br>Kaitlyn Toth<br>Matt LaRocque   |

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|                                  |  | Hisham Choueiki<br>Dave Anders<br>Stu Widom<br>Asanga Perera<br>Chen Lei<br>Jason Connell<br>Jason Stanek<br>Jessica Lynch<br>Nick Dumitriu<br>Andrew Gledhill<br>Dave Rardin<br>Emmanuele Bobbio<br>Jere Williamson Downs<br>Mike Bryson<br>Patricio Rocha-Garrido<br>Stephen Bennett |
| OPSI Staff                       |  | Greg Carmean<br>Ben Sloan  |
| Consumer Advocates of PJM States |  |  |

**Administration**

**Welcome and approval of the January 12, 2026**

The ISAC approved the minutes by acclamation.

**Announcements**

There were no announcements.

**Discussion Items, (3:00 – 4:00)**

**1. 2025 RTEP Deactivation Study Report**

PJM presented the 2025 RTEP deactivation analysis (Scenario 5).

**2. Transmission Planning and Resource Adequacy**

Derek Stenlik of Telos Energy presented a perspective on how transmission can function as a capacity resource to support resource adequacy, leveraging geographic diversity. He proposed a dual participation model that would treat new transmission, like merchant HVDC, as a supply-side resource procured in a market, requiring advanced wide-area resource adequacy modeling and probabilistic Effective Load Carrying Capability analysis. Sloan suggested PJM could improve its static Capacity Benefit of Ties calculation by identifying the specific inter-regional transfers that provide the most benefit, similar to a practice used by ISO-New England.

### **Future Agenda Items**

There were no future agenda items suggested. The next open meeting is scheduled for April 20, 2026.