



PJM Interconnection and its members benefit from the activities of the Organization of PJM States Inc., which is made up of the regulatory commissions of the 14 jurisdictions in PJM's region. OPSI plays an important role in fostering a cooperative regional approach among the states on PJM issues and in advising PJM on regulators' concerns and viewpoints.

Formed in 2005, OPSI acts as a liaison group to PJM and its members. The non-profit group collects information, monitors markets and developments, considers PJM-related proposals involving reliability, safety, facility siting and electricity prices and works with PJM on initiatives related to the regional transmission organization.

PJM maintains close contact with the group, holding regularly scheduled calls with OPSI to share information. The group also meets with the PJM Board at least once a year.

In a plan approved by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, PJM collects OPSI's annual budget through a formula rate. The rate is applied to every megawatt-hour of energy delivered under the PJM tariff; the charge is shown as a separate item on PJM customer bills.

The members of OPSI are:

- Delaware Public Service Commission
- District of Columbia Public Service Commission
- Illinois Commerce Commission
- Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission
- Kentucky Public Service Commission
- Maryland Public Service Commission
- Michigan Public Service Commission
- New Jersey Board of Public Utilities
- North Carolina Utilities Commission
- Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
- Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
- Tennessee Regulatory Authority
- Virginia State Corporation Commission
- Public Service Commission of West Virginia

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