



Electricity Advisory Committee Overview

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EAC Objectives and Scope of Activities

Advises DOE on electricity reliability, security, and policy issues of concern:

- Periodically review and make recommendations on DOE electricity programs and initiatives, including electricity-related R&D programs;
- Advise on current and future reliability and resiliency of the electricity system;
- Identify emerging issues related to production, delivery, end-use, reliability, security and electric utility regulation, and make recommendations, if appropriate, concerning DOE policy and initiatives;
- Advise on coordination between DOE, State, regional officials, and the private sector on matters affecting production, delivery, end-use, reliability, security and electric utility regulation; and
- Advise on the coordination between Federal, State, and utility industry authorities in the event of supply disruption or other emergencies related to electricity transmission, generation and distribution.

For more information: <https://www.energy.gov/oe/activities/electricity-advisory-committee-eac>

EAC Structure and Function

- **32 Members representing industry, academia, state governments and NGO's**
- **Two committees: Smart Grid and Energy Storage**
- **Meets three times a year in-person with monthly subcommittee meetings**
- **Provides written recommendations to the Department; DOE responds to recommendations in approximately one month**

