

The Secretary of Energy

Washington, DC 20585

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Mr. Paul Cicio President Industry Energy Consumers of America 1776 K Street NW, Suite 720 Washington, DC 20006

Dear Mr. Cicio:

I am pleased to reappoint you as a member of the U.S. Department of Energy's (DOE) Electricity Advisory Committee (EAC). The EAC will continue to provide significant value to DOE in helping to define a strategy on long-range planning and priorities for the modernization of the Nation's electricity delivery infrastructure. As a reappointed member, you will continue to have the important responsibility of advising DOE on these critical issues, as outlined in the enclosed Charter at Paragraph 3.

Should you accept this invitation, you will be reappointed as a representative member of the EAC. As such, you will be expected to represent the viewpoints of end users. Your reappointment will be for a two-year term, ending on July 1, 2022.

The EAC reports to the Assistant Secretary for the Office of Electricity. The EAC must meet at least annually; however, the EAC may hold additional meetings and may appoint subcommittees, with DOE approval, to undertake certain projects. For example, the EAC typically plans a meeting in February, May, and October of each year. The EAC has established two subcommittees: Energy Storage Technologies and Smart Grid.

Members of the EAC are required to recuse themselves from participation in any meeting, study, recommendation, or other EAC activity that would have a direct and predictable effect on the companies, organizations, agencies, or other entities with which they are associated or in which they have a financial interest.

Members of the EAC serve without compensation. However, DOE will reimburse members for authorized travel and per diem expenses while attending Committee meetings.

Mr. Christopher Lawrence, in the Office of Electricity, is the Designated Federal Officer for the EAC. He can be reached at (202) 586-5260, or by e-mail at: christopher.lawrence@hq.doe.gov. Please contact Mr. Lawrence to indicate your response to this reappointment invitation.

We look forward to your acceptance of this reappointment and to advancing DOE's work on the modernization of the Nation's electricity delivery infrastructure.

Sincerely,

Dan Brouillette

Enclosure