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**8:00 Registration and Continental Breakfast**

**8:30 Introduction and Overview**  
**David T. Doot, Esq., Program Co-Chair**  
 Day Pitney LLP ~ Hartford, CT  
**Mary Beth Gentleman, Esq., Program Co-Chair**  
 Foley Hoag LLP ~ Boston, MA

**8:45 A Big Year on the Hill: A Detailed Look at Federal Legislation of Most Interest to Energy Producers and Consumers in the Northeast**  
 Overview of the major pieces of Federal energy and climate change legislation  
**Douglas Smith, Esq.**  
 Van Ness Feldman ~ Washington, DC  
 Implications for the Northeast of changes in Federal law  
**Dennis Duffy, Vice President of Regulatory Affairs**  
 Energy Management Inc., Cape Wind Associates LLC  
 Boston, MA

**10:15 Break**

**10:30 State Legislation and Initiatives: Relation to Federal Legislation and Impact on the Northeast Energy Industry**  
 Overview of recent changes in state legislation and regulation relative to competition, portfolio standards, generation; how the goals of the states differ  
**Sandi Hennequin, Esq., Managing Director, Energy Policy**  
 Sigma Consultants, Inc. ~ Acton, MA  
 Perspectives on implications for the industry of changes in State law and regulation  
**Angela M. O'Connor, President**  
 New England Power Generators Association, Inc. ~ Boston, MA  
**Gavin J. Donohue, President & CEO**  
 Independent Power Producers of New York, Inc. ~ Albany, NY  
**Stephen L. Cowell, Founder, Chairman and CEO**  
 Conservation Services Group ~ Westborough, MA

**12:15 Lunch (on your own)**

**1:30 Progress Towards Implementing and Deploying Smart Grid Technology**  
 Overview of federal/state initiatives to foster the development of smart grid technology  
**Mason Emmett, Esq.**  
 Senior Legal Advisor Office of Policy and Innovation  
 Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ~ Washington, DC  
 Perspectives on how the smart grid will impact Northeast energy markets  
**Richard D. Tabors, Ph.D., Vice President**  
 CRA International ~ Cambridge, MA  
 Technology company experiences with and perspectives on the Smart Grid Initiative  
**Thomas J. Casey, CEO**  
 CURRENT Group, LLC ~ Germantown, MD

**3:00 Break**

**3:15 State of Electric Markets in the Northeast: Transmission Expansion and Development of Competitive Markets**  
 Overview of energy markets in the Northeast, including evolving capacity markets and the participation of price responsive demand, and how the evolving markets are impacting transmission development in the Northeast  
**Robert Ethier, Ph.D., VP Market Development**  
 ISO New England ~ Holyoke, MA  
**Stephen G. Whitley, President and CEO**  
 New York Independent System Operator ~ Rensselaer, NY

**4:15 Perspectives on the Primary Challenges for Adding Transmission to Support Renewable Generation**  
 New England utility perspective  
**James A. Muntz, President, Transmission**  
 Northeast Utilities ~ Hartford, CT  
 New York utility perspective  
**Stuart M. Nachmias, VP of Energy Policy and Regulatory Affairs**  
 Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. ~ New York, NY  
 Independent transmission developer perspective  
**Edward N. Krapels, Ph.D., Founder and Director**  
 Anbaric Holding ~ Wakefield, MA

**5:30 Continue the Exchange of Ideas: Reception for Faculty and Attendees Sponsored by Day Pitney LLP and Foley Hoag LLP**



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This annual conference brings together industry leaders and local, state and federal authorities to provide energy professionals at all levels of the industry with the latest information on issues facing the industry in the Northeast today.

~ Program Co-Chairs: David T. Doot, Esq., and Mary Beth Gentleman, Esq.



**8:00 Registration and Continental Breakfast**

**8:30 Update on New Supplies of Natural Gas**  
Update on global gas markets; prospects for extracting natural gas from the Marcellus Shale Formation and importing gas via the Canaport LNG Plant in New Brunswick and other new sources  
**Michael J. Quinn, Ph.D.,** *Managing Principal Analysis Group ~ Boston, MA*

**9:15 Federal Stimulus Funding: Tax Issues and Other Recent ARRA Developments**  
Update on ARRA guidance from Treasury and project development implications  
**Nicola M. Lemay, Esq.,** *Foley Hoag LLP ~ Boston, MA*

**10:00 Break**

**10:15 State Funding Incentives: Agency Perspectives on Stimulus Funds, RGGI Revenues, State Funding and New Revenue Sources under State Policies**  
Status report on rules and other agency guidance for accessing funds for efficiency, renewables, technology R&D, and demonstration projects  
**David T. Doot, Esq.,** *Program Co-Chair, Moderator*  
Connecticut  
**Lise Dondy, President**  
*Connecticut Clean Energy Fund ~ Rocky Hill, CT*  
Maine  
**John Kerry, Director of Energy Independence**  
*State of Maine Office of The Governor ~ Augusta, ME*  
Massachusetts  
**Dwayne Breger, Ph.D.,** *Director, Division of Energy Resources*  
*Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources ~ Boston, MA*  
New Hampshire  
**Amy L. Ignatius, Esq.,** *Director*  
*New Hampshire Office of Energy and Planning ~ Concord, NH*  
New York  
**Francis J. Murray, Jr., Esq.,** *President and CEO*  
*New York State Energy Research and Development Authority Albany, NY*

Rhode Island  
**Andrew Dzykewicz, Former Commissioner**  
*Rhode Island Office of Energy Resources Providence, RI*

Vermont  
**The Hon. David O'Brien, Commissioner**  
*Vermont Department of Public Service ~ Montpelier, VT*

**12:15 Lunch (on your own)**

**1:30 Credit Markets for Energy Development: What Does it Currently Take for a New Entrant to Get a Project Funded?**  
**Gregory J. Blasi, Esq.,** *Moderator*  
*Day Pitney LLP ~ New York, NY*  
Developer perspective  
**Edward M. Campana, Executive VP & CFO**  
*Countryside Ventures LLC ~ White Plains, NY*  
Equity perspective  
**Justin DeAngelis, Vice President**  
*Denham Capital ~ Short Hills, NJ*  
Debt perspective  
**Marshal L. Salant, Managing Director**  
*Citigroup Global Markets Inc. ~ New York, NY*

**2:45 Break**

**3:00 What Will Northeast Energy Markets Look Like Five or Ten Years Out?**  
**Mary Beth Gentleman, Esq.,** *Program Co-Chair, Moderator*  
**Nora Mead Brownell, Founding Partner**  
*ESPY Energy Solutions, LLC ~ Alexandria, VA*  
**Harvey Michaels, Energy Efficiency Scientist and Lecturer**  
*Massachusetts Institute of Technology ~ Cambridge, MA*

**4:00 Evaluations and Adjourn**



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## Faculty: Energy in the Northeast Conference

**David T. Doot**, *Program Co-Chair*, partner at Day Pitney LLP, practices public utility and energy law participating in mergers, acquisitions and contracts among electric utilities. He is Secretary and Lead Counsel for the New England Power Pool (NEPOOL) and past president of the Energy Bar Association.

**Mary Beth Gentleman**, *Program Co-Chair*, partner at Foley Hoag LLP, Co-Chair of the Energy Technology and Renewables Practice Group, advises developers and owners of community wind, micro-turbines, PV, biomass, land-fill gas and hydro facilities with respect to siting, permitting, interconnection, net metering, PPAs, REC agreements, and financing matters.

**Gregory J. Blasi**, *Moderator*, partner at Day Pitney LLP, practices in the corporate and securities areas, primarily involving the energy and electric power industries.

**Dwayne Breger, Ph.D.**, Director of Renewable Energy Development at Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources, implements the state's RPS Programs.

**Nora Mead Brownell**, Founding Partner, ESPY Energy Solutions, LLC and former Commissioner of the Federal Regulatory Energy Commission, championed the development of independent transmission organizations for wholesale power, which now represent the electricity market structure serving two-thirds of the U.S.

**Edward M. Campana**, Executive VP and CFO at Countryside Ventures LLC, focuses on M&A, project development and capital raising.

**Thomas J. Casey**, CEO of CURRENT Group, LLC, leads his company in Smart Grid solutions to increase efficiency and reliability of the electric grid while reducing the environmental impact of electric usage.

**Stephen L. Cowell**, Founder, Chairman and CEO of Conservation Services Group (CSG), leads the company in designing and implementing conservation and renewable energy programs throughout the United States.

**Justin DeAngelis**, Vice President of Denham Capital, is responsible for origination, analysis, structuring, valuation, and execution of investments in the power and renewable sectors and is a board director for BioTherm Energy.

**Lise Dondy** is President, Connecticut Clean Energy Fund and VP of Connecticut Innovations. Previously, she was managing director, investments, for Connecticut Innovations and served on the board of CiDRA Corporation.

**Gavin J. Donohue**, is President and CEO of Independent Power Producers of New York, Inc. (IPPNY), a state-wide trade association representing independent power projects in hydropower,

natural gas, oil, waste-to-energy, biomass, nuclear, coal and wind projects, power marketers.

**Dennis Duffy** is Vice President of Regulatory Affairs at Energy Management Inc. (EMI) and Cape Wind Associates LLC. Previously, he was partner at Patridge, Snow & Hahn LLP where he was Chair of the firm's Public Utilities Practice Group.

**Andrew Dzykewicz**, was Commissioner of the Rhode Island Office of Energy Resources, responsible for increasing the availability of liquefied natural gas, reforming the electric energy market, securing renewable energy resources, and conducting an energy audit of state government.

**Mason Emnet** is Senior Legal Advisor, Office of Policy and Innovation, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

**Robert Ethier, Ph.D.**, VP, Market Development, ISO New England, is responsible for design and development of wholesale electricity markets and oversees Wholesale Markets Strategy, Demand Resources Strategy, and Market Rules Integration.

**Sandi Hennequin**, Managing Director, Energy Policy for Sigma Consultants, Inc., focuses on electric restructuring, asset transactions, and advocating for fair wholesale electric market structures.

**Amy L. Ignatius**, Director of the Office of Energy and Planning for the State of New Hampshire, was General Counsel to the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission.

**John Kerry**, Director of the Governor's Office of Energy Independence and Security for the State of Maine, has background in energy and environmental fields after two terms in the state Senate, chairing the Utilities Committee.

**Edward N. Krapels, Ph.D.**, Founder and Director of Anbaric Holding, develops energy projects. He is Chairman of Atlantic Energy Partners, initial developer of Neptune Regional Transmission System and New England Independent Transmission Company.

**Nicola M. Lemay**, partner in Foley Hoag LLP's Taxation Group, assists clients with choice of entity and entity conversion decisions and provides creative tax planning for ongoing business. She is a Super Lawyer Rising Star.

**Harvey Michaels**, Energy Efficiency Lecturer in the MIT Department of Urban Studies Planning, Research Scientist within the MIT Energy Initiative, counsels policy leaders, utility executives and venture investors on energy efficiency technology, policy and business strategy.

**James A. Muntz** is President of Transmission, a division of Northeast Utilities, Previously, he worked at Exelon and PECo Energy.

**Francis J. Murray, Jr.**, President and CEO of New York State Energy Research and Development Authority (NYSERDA), was policy advisor to the United States Secretary of Energy assisting in development of the Clinton Administration's national energy policy.

**Stuart M. Nachmias**, VP of Energy Policy and Regulatory Affairs at Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc., identifies regulatory policy issues, recommends policy positions, and manages the company's relations with state and federal regulatory authorities.

**The Hon. David O'Brien**, Commissioner, Vermont Department of Public Service, is responsible for regulation of electric, natural gas, telecommunications and water industries, and is involved in development of a statewide Smart Grid proposal and advancement of the Governor's Green Growth Zone Initiative.

**Angela M. O'Connor**, President, New England Power Generators Association (NEPGA), leads the largest trade association of electric power associations in New England, and was Vice President of Energy Policy at Associated Industries of Massachusetts.

**Michael J. Quinn, Ph.D.**, Managing Principal, Analysis Group, specializes in the application of economics and finance in the natural gas industry, is an expert on natural gas transportation, distribution, storage, and commodity markets, as well as electricity transmission and distribution.

**Marshal L. Salant**, Managing Director at Citigroup Global Markets Inc. in Capital Markets Products, heads the new Alternative Energy Finance team providing advisory and financing services to clients in the Alternative Energy/Renewable Energy industry.

**Douglas Smith**, coordinator of the electricity practice at Van Ness Feldman, was General Counsel to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission and Deputy General Counsel for Energy Policy at U.S. Department of Energy. He specializes in utility regulation, climate change policy, and energy technology infrastructure matters.

**Richard D. Tabors, Ph.D.**, Vice President of Energy & Environmental Group, CRA International, is scientist and economist focusing on energy planning and pricing, water and wastewater systems planning and restructuring of international metric supply industry.

**Stephen G. Whitley**, President and Chief Executive Officer of The New York Independent System Operator, has experience in bulk power system planning and operations. He was Senior Vice President and Chief Operating Officer of ISO New England Inc.

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