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AGENDA

Wednesday, July 1, 2026
Upon adjournment of the Utilities and Energy Committee bill hearing
State Capitol Room 126
(Please note time and room change)

OVERSIGHT HEARING

The State of Electricity Reliability: Rising Demand, Shifting Reserves, and Retiring Resources

I. Opening Statements

- Assembly Member Cottie Petrie-Norris, Chair, Assembly Committee on Utilities & Energy

II. Reliability for this Summer and Beyond

Part 1: Summer 2026 Outlook

Part 2: Future Need for the Strategic Reliability Reserve

- Siva Gunda, Vice Chair, California Energy Commission
- Leuwam Tesfai, Executive Director, California Public Utilities Commission
- Mark Rothleder, Chief Operating Officer, California Independent System Operator
- Delphine Hou, Deputy Director for Statewide Energy, California Department of Water Resources

III. Public Comment