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### FROM THE OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER STAN WISE NEWS RELEASE

#### WISE PICKED TO LEAD GAS COMMITTEE OF NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF REGULATORY UTILITY COMMISSIONERS

ATLANTA, January 8, 2015 — The President of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) today appointed Georgia Public Service Commissioner Stan Wise as Chair of NARUC's Committee on Gas. NARUC President Commissioner Lisa Polak Edgar of Florida made the announcement today. Through panel discussions and educational sessions, the Gas Committee fosters awareness and understanding of issues affecting the transportation, distribution, and sale of natural gas safely, efficiently, and economically. Committee members work closely with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission and the U.S. departments of Energy and Transportation. Commissioner Wise is a former past President of NARUC in 2003-2004.

"I am honored to be able to chair this committee as this is an incredible time to be involved in the regulated gas industry" Commissioner Wise said. "The shale gas boom is reshaping the U.S. energy sector both domestically and abroad. With prices at historic lows, we have a responsibility to ensure consumers are the beneficiaries of any new policies and regulations. We also must always keep our collective eye firmly planted on the safety of our pipeline systems. There is much work in front of us and I look forward to working with my colleagues going forward," said Commissioner Wise.



**Commissioner Stan Wise**

Commissioner Wise is serving his fourth six-year term on the Georgia Public Service Commission. He was first elected in 1994 and re-elected in 2000, 2006 and 2012.

His full bio is found at <http://www.psc.state.ga.us/content.aspx?c=/commissioners/stan-wise/>

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NARUC is the national association representing the state public service commissioners who regulate essential utility services in their states. NARUC members are responsible for assuring reliable utility service at fair, just, and reasonable rates. Founded in 1889, the Association is an invaluable resource for its members and the regulatory community, providing a venue to set and influence public policy, share best practices, and foster innovative solutions to improve regulation.

The Georgia Public Service Commission is a five-member constitutional agency that exercises its authority and influence to ensure that consumers receive safe, reliable, and reasonably-priced telecommunications, electric and natural gas service from financially viable and technically competent companies.

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