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### **MEDIA ADVISORY**

#### **PSC Chairman Stan Wise to Testify Before Congress on Wednesday September 14, 2011** *Will Appear before House Energy and Power Subcommittee*

Atlanta, September 13, 2011 – Commissioner Stan Wise, Chairman of the Georgia Public Service Commission (Commission,) will testify on Wednesday September 14, 2011 before the House Energy and Power Subcommittee of the House Energy and Commerce Committee. The hearing will begin at 9 a.m. in Room 2322 of the House Rayburn Office Building, Washington, D.C. The Subcommittee Chairman is Representative Ed Whitfield (R-KY). The full Committee is chaired by Representative Fred Upton (R-MI) of whom Georgia Representatives Phil Gingrey (R-Marietta) and John Barrow (D-Augusta) are members.

Chairman Wise's testimony will focus on the impacts of the Environmental Protection Agency's new and proposed power sector regulations on electric reliability. The Committee proceedings will be web cast live at [www.energycommerce.house.gov](http://www.energycommerce.house.gov). Chairman Wise's testimony will also be available on line. He has testified multiple times before Congress on matters related to energy, nuclear waste, telecommunications and pipeline safety.

Chairman Wise is serving as Commission Chair for 2011. He has served on the Commission since January 1995 and previously served as Commission Chairman in 1997, 1999 and 2006. Chairman's Wise full biography is available on the Commission web site at <http://www.psc.state.ga.us/pscinfo/bios/wise.asp?tab=Tab2>

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