In June 2014, the EPA issued proposed guidelines under Section 111(d) of the Clean Air Act, which would regulate carbon emissions from existing power plants. EPA expects to issue the final guidelines in June 2015. States will submit implementation plans for compliance within a year following the issuance of the final guidelines. This forum focuses on Tennessee and the Southeast region and addresses some of the questions and concerns being voiced about the proposed guidelines, including potential impacts and compliance approaches.

1 - 1:05 pm Welcome Matt Murray, Director, UT Howard H. Baker Jr. Center for Public Policy
Molly Cripps, Director, Office of Energy Programs, TDEC

1:05 - 2:30 Overview of EPA Clean Power Plan/Clean Air Act Section 111(d)
Moderator: Bob Martineau, Commissioner, TDEC
Panelists: Beverly Banister, Dir., Air, Pesticides and Toxics Management Div., EPA – Region 4
Vicki Arroyo, Executive Director, Georgetown Climate Center
Brenda Brickhouse, VP for Environment, TVA

2:30 - 2:45 Break

2:45 - 3:45 State Panel: Diversity of Power Generation within the Southeast & Potential Compliance Approaches
Moderator: Michelle Walker, Director, Office of Policy & Planning, TDEC
Panelists: Len Peters, Secretary, Kentucky Energy and Environment Cabinet
Donald van der Vaart, Dep. Secretary, North Carolina Dept. of Environment and Natural Resources
Kathy Kinsey, Dep. Secretary, Maryland Dept. of Environment Regulatory Programs and Operations

3:45 - 4:45 Advocate/Industry Panel: Impacted Industries, Industrial Ratepayers, Technologies, & Advocates
Moderator: Joe Hoagland, VP for Stakeholder Relations, TVA
Panelists: Erica Bowman, VP, Research & Policy Analysis, America’s Natural Gas Alliance
Alejandra Nunez, Environmental Law Program, Sierra Club
Lloyd Webb, Strategic Planning Chair, TN Valley Industrial Committee

4:45 - 5 pm Closing Remarks: Selected Panel Members

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