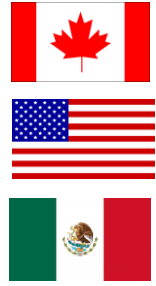




WIRES

WINTER MEETING 2018



Embassy of Canada

501 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, DC 20001

Wednesday, February 14, 2018

1:00 p.m. BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

2:30 p.m. BUSINESS MEETING (Full Supporting Members Only)

6:00 p.m. COCKTAIL RECEPTION (Members and invited Guests)

7:00 p.m. DINNER (Members and Invited Guests)

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: Representatives of U.S. and Canadian Governments

Thursday, February 15, 2018

MORNING ISSUES FORUM (Members, Guests, and Invited Public)
Embassy Auditorium

8:00 a.m. BREAKFAST

8:30 a.m. INTRODUCTIONS & WELCOME –

Nina Plaushin, ITC Holdings, WIRES President, Presiding

Jim Hoecker, Counsel & Advisor, Husch Blackwell & Hoecker
Energy Law

FEATURED SPEAKER

PANEL DISCUSSIONS/ Q&A

9:00 a.m. “NORTH AMERICAN TRADE ISSUES & THE GRID”

10:15 a.m. BREAK

**10:30 a.m. “GRID RESILIENCE: THE CONTRIBUTION OF
TRANSMISSION INFRASTRUCTURE & TECHNOLOGY”**

**11:45 a.m. “OPERATIONAL & POLICY CHALLENGES
AFFECTING CROSS-BORDER INFRASTRUCTURE**

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LUNCH (All Invited)



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