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### ISO symposium addresses California's energy, environmental future

FOLSOM, Calif. –California is on the cusp of dramatic changes in the electricity industry. The transition to renewable power and advanced technologies provides great opportunities and, at the same time, significant challenges. The California Independent System Operator Corporation (ISO) is hosting its annual Stakeholder Symposium to bring together a broad spectrum of electric industry participants to discuss how to strike the balance between renewables, reliability and reasonable cost.

#### ISO Stakeholder Symposium Partial Agenda:

**Tuesday, October 19, Sacramento Sheraton Hotel, 1230 J Street**

1:00 p.m. Keynote, Yakout Mansour, President and CEO, California ISO

1:30-5:00 p.m. presentations: The Environment, Renewable Integration, Carbon Emissions

7:00 p.m. Keynote, Jessie J. Knight, Jr., Chairman and CEO San Diego Gas and Electric

**Wednesday, October 20, Sacramento Convention Center at 1400 J Street**

8:30 a.m. panel discussion: California's Clean Energy Future

Moderator: Karen Edson, Vice President, ISO Policy and Client Services

Panelists: Mary Nichols, Chair, California Air Resources Board  
Karen Douglas, Chair, California Energy Commission  
Yakout Mansour, President and CEO California ISO

Conference registration waived for credentialed members of the media. The full agenda is available at: <http://www.caiso.com/27b8/27b88b86494e0.pdf>

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