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## Southern States Energy Board Briefing to:

Joint Meeting of the Arkansas Joint Energy Committee, Arkansas House Committee on Insurance and Commerce, Arkansas Senate Committee on Insurance and Commerce, and the Arkansas Senate Committee on State Agencies and Governmental Affairs

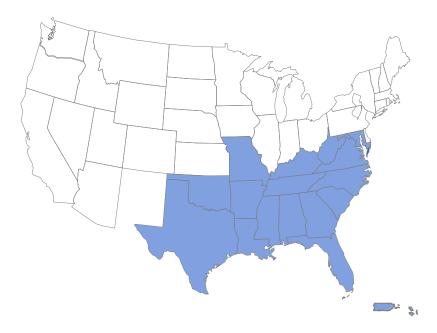
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## Background



"Through innovations in energy and environmental policies, programs and technologies, the Southern States Energy Board enhances economic development and the quality of life in the South."

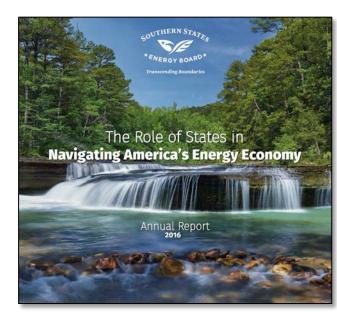
- Established 1960, expanded in 1978
- 16 U.S. States and Two Territories
- Each jurisdiction represented by the governor, a legislator from the House and Senate and a governor's alternate
- Federal Representative Appointed by U.S. President



## **Current Programs**

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- Associate Members
- Carbon Management Program
  - Southeast Regional Carbon Sequestration Partnership (SECARB)
  - Offshore Storage Resource Assessments
    - Southeast Offshore Storage Resource Assessment (SOSRA)
    - Offshore CO<sub>2</sub> Storage Resource Assessment of the Northern Gulf of Mexico (Texas-Louisiana)
  - Southeast Regional Carbon Sequestration Technology Training Program (SECARB-Ed)
  - Industrial CCS/CCUS Working Group
  - Central Appalachian Basin Unconventional (Coal/Organic Shale) Reservoir – Small-Scale CO<sub>2</sub> Injection Test
- Clean Coal Energy Policies and Technologies
- Transuranic Waste Transportation
- Foreign Research Reactor Spent Nuclear Fuel Shipments
- Southern Emergency Response Council
- Radioactive Materials Transportation
- Energy and Environment Legislative Priorities and Analysis





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