

Committee Agenda

Committee: Senate Commerce and Energy
Room: Room 412
Date: Thursday, January 15, 2026
Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

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Senators Crabtree, Peterson (Sue), Beal, Deibert, Hohn, Karr, Kolbeck (Steve), Larson, and Perry

INFORMATIONAL BRIEFING

10:00 AM Micah Derry, American Power Play
10:10 AM Chris Villarreal, R Street Institute
10:20 AM Kirk Phinney, Otter Tail Power

BILL HEARINGS

[SB 62](#)

discontinue the issuance of new Class B electrician licenses

(Introduced)

Introduced by: The Chair of the Committee on Commerce and Energy at the request of the State Electrical Commission

[SB 64](#)

revise and repeal provisions related to the athletic commission

(Introduced)

Introduced by: The Chair of the Committee on Commerce and Energy at the request of the South Dakota Athletic Commission

/s/ CASEY CRABTREE
Casey Crabtree, Chair



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