

SB 123: Acronyms

RCA	Regulatory Commission of Alaska
ERO	Electric Reliability Organization
IRP	Integrated resource plan
CPCN	Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity
RCC	Railbelt Reliability Council (envisioned by the 6 Railbelt Utilities)
ODT	Organizational Development Team (formed to develop the RRC)
IPP	Independent Power Producer
FERC	Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
NERC	North American Electric Reliability Corporation

Utilities:

GVEA	Golden Valley Electric Association (Fairbanks)
MEA	Matanuska Electric Association
CEA	Chugach Electric Association (Anchorage and parts of Kenai)
ML&P	Municipal Light & Power (City of Anchorage)
HEA	Homer Electric Association (Homer and parts of Kenai)

(Seward has no commonly used acronym: City of Seward Electric Department)

Others:

AEA	Alaska Energy Authority (State energy office and owner of some Railbelt generation and transmission assets)
RAPA	Regulatory Affairs & Public Advocacy section, within Dept. of Law (Advocates on behalf of the public interest on matters before the RCA)
AKIPPA	Alaska Independent Power Producers Association
REAP	Renewable Energy Alaska Project
AKPIRG	Alaska Public Interest Research Group