



## **Asim Z. Haque**Sr. Vice President – Governmental & Member Services

Asim Z. Haque, Sr. Vice President – Governmental & Member Services, oversees Governmental Services, State Policy Solutions and Member Services, which includes Stakeholder Affairs, Client Management, Membership Process & Engagement and State & Member Training.

Haque is an officer of the company and leads the Governmental and Member Services Division. The Governmental Services team is the primary conduit between PJM and governmental entities, which includes legislatures, Governor's officers and regulatory bodies. The team also includes a technical arm that serves to assist government in the advancement of their policy initiatives. The Member Services Division is charged with providing cutting-edge service to PJM members and facilitating the PJM stakeholder process.

Prior to joining PJM, Haque was the chairman of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO). He was appointed to the PUCO by Gov. John R. Kasich in 2013 and was reappointed to a second term in 2016.

As the state's chief regulator, Haque led Ohio through some of the nation's most pressing energy policy discussions. He guided Ohio's Clean Power Plan compliance efforts, adjudicated cases pertaining to the future of baseload power plants in competitive markets, and successfully executed to completion Ohio's grid modernization endeavor, PowerForward.

Haque, an attorney, began his career at a large general practice firm and went on to work as in-house counsel at a global auto manufacturer prior to his appointment to the PUCO.

Additionally, Haque serves on the board of the Philadelphia Education Fund, which works to create equitable opportunities for all students to succeed in college and career.

He is a graduate of Case Western Reserve University, where he graduated cum laude with a bachelor's degree in chemistry and political science. He received his Juris Doctor from The Ohio State University Moritz College of Law, where he was awarded the school's Outstanding Recent Alumnus Award in 2015.

PJM Interconnection, founded in 1927, ensures the reliability of the high-voltage electric power system serving 65 million people in all or parts of Delaware, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Maryland, Michigan, New Jersey, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Virginia, West Virginia and the District of Columbia. PJM coordinates and directs the operation of the region's transmission grid, which includes over 84,236 miles of transmission lines; administers a competitive wholesale electricity market; and plans regional transmission expansion improvements to maintain grid reliability and relieve congestion. PJM's regional grid and market operations produce annual savings of \$2.8 billion to \$3.1 billion.

