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Emily Sanford Fisher is General Counsel and Corporate Secretary for the Edison Electric Institute (EEI) in Washington, D.C. EEI is the trade association that represents all domestic investor-owned electric companies. Emily is responsible for managing EEI's litigation and legal affairs, covering a wide range of energy and environment regulatory and policy issues, at the state and federal level. She has been with EEI for 12 years and most recently served as EEI's Deputy General Counsel, Energy & Environment.

Prior to joining EEI in 2008, Emily was a Foreign Service Officer with the U.S. Department of State. She served at the U.S. Embassies in Bangkok, Thailand and Bogotá, Colombia. Emily also worked at the law firms Dewey Ballantine LLP and Dickstein Shapiro LLP in Washington, D.C., representing investor owned electric companies and independent power producers in a range of regulatory proceedings before the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission and the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Emily received a B.A. in international affairs with a concentration in economics from the George Washington University and a J.D. from Georgetown University Law Center, where she was the Administrative Editor of The Georgetown Environmental Law Review. She is admitted to practice law in Maryland and the District of Columbia. She was 2014-2017 Co-Chair of the American Bar Association's Committee on Climate Change, Sustainable Development and Ecosystems and is currently one of that group's Vice Chairs for Deep Decarbonization. Emily is the legal counsel to the Women's Energy Resource Council and is a member of the Women's Energy Network National Advisory Council. She was appointed to the Energy Systems Integration Group's Advisory Council in 2019.

Emily lives in Washington, D.C. with her husband and son.

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Ellen C. Ginsberg

Sr. Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary



Ellen Ginsberg is senior vice president, general counsel and secretary of NEI. She has held those positions since 2005, previously serving as NEI's deputy general counsel.

Ms. Ginsberg is responsible for legal matters affecting the commercial nuclear energy industry. She directs and manages NEI's federal litigation on behalf of its members. NEI frequently participates as a party or amicus curiae in matters before the U.S. Supreme Court, federal courts of appeals, and state courts. She also represents NEI in proceedings before federal regulatory agencies, including the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) and the Department of Energy (DOE).

Under her leadership, NEI and the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) successfully argued to the D.C. Circuit that DOE's termination of the used fuel disposal program should relieve nuclear generators of the related fee. Since 2014, this action has saved electricity consumers \$750 million dollars per year in fees. Ms. Ginsberg's team recently prevailed in a contentious contract dispute over non-member access to member benefits.

Prior to joining NEI, Ms. Ginsberg practiced with the Washington, D.C., law firm of Swidler & Berlin. From 1984 to 1986, she served as a law clerk to the NRC's Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Panel (ASLBP).

Ms. Ginsberg is a 1980 magna cum laude graduate of Tufts University and was awarded a bachelor's degree with special honors in history and received her law degree from American University. She also has successfully completed the Reactor Technology Program for Utility Executives at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

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