Committee on Energy and Commerce U.S. House of Representatives Witness Disclosure Requirement - "Truth in Testimony" Required by House Rule XI, Clause 2(g)(5)

1. Your N	ame: Joel K. Ivy		
2. Your T	itle: General Manager, Lakeland Elect	ric.	
1. Your Name: Joel K. Ivy 2. Your Title: General Manager, Lakeland Electric 3. The Entity(ies) You are Representing: Lakeland Electric American Public Power Association 4. Are you testifying on behalf of the Enderal or a State or local Ves. No.			
17. Alc you	testifying on behalf of the Federal, or a State or local ment entity?	Yes No	
5. Please list any Federal grants or contracts, or contracts or payments originating with a foreign government, that you or the entity(ies) you represent have received on or after January 1, 2013. Only grants, contracts, or payments related to the subject matter of the hearing must be listed.			
6. Please attach your curriculum vitae to your completed disclosure form.			
Signature:_	Date:	7-15	

Joel Ivy, is Lakeland Electric's General Manager. Lakeland Electric is Florida's third largest municipal electric utility and the 25th largest in the US, Lakeland Electric serves 113,000 customers through its transmission and distribution facilities from 1100 MWs of generation capacity fueled by coal and natural gas.

Prior to his appointment as Lakeland Electric's General Manager, Ivy managed the Energy Department for Imperial Irrigation District, a vertically integrated public electric utility located in El Centro, California. Imperial Irrigation District's Energy Department serves 145,000 customers in southern California. Ivy leads the Energy Department overseeing utility operations and 500 employees. Ivy assisted in planning, directing and controlling the Energy Department's administration, regulatory policy, operations and energy infrastructure, resource planning, system and trading operations and generation. He directed the development of the integrated resource plan and transmission master plan. In addition, worked to identify, pursue and contract for renewable energy projects to meet the IID's renewable energy portfolio requirements and he plans, develops and executes opportunities for native geothermal projects.

Ivy has an extensive professional career in the power industry that began almost 30 years ago when he started as a lineman in 1983. He has had a steady career path that includes climbing utility poles to managing multi-hundred million dollar operations with start-ups, investor owned and publicly owned utilities. Past experience includes his tenure as Chief Operating Officer at Visible Light Solar Technologies and Vice President of New Mexico Operations for Public Service Company of New Mexico, an investor owned utility with almost 500,000 customers.

Ivy has a bachelor's degree in electrical engineering from the University of Texas at Arlington.