



DOUG SCOTT

Illinois Commerce Commission

Doug P. Scott was appointed chair of the Illinois Commerce Commission (ICC) by Governor J.B. Pritzker on June 17, 2023, to serve out the remainder of former Chair Carrie Zalewski's term. Doug previously served as chair of the ICC from 2011 to 2015. Before rejoining the ICC, he was vice president of energy systems for the Great Plains Institute (GPI), where he worked on decarbonization efforts with states, utilities, and other interested parties. His team at GPI focused on utility business models, transmission, and clean energy and climate plans. As part of that work, Doug served as an advisor to the Illinois Governor's Office on energy and environmental issues, including development of the state's Climate and Equitable Jobs Act. Prior to his first term with the ICC, Doug worked for more than twenty-five years in a variety of public-sector positions in Illinois, serving as director of the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, as mayor of the City of Rockford, as a state representative, and as city attorney for the City of Rockford. Doug is a native of Rockford, Illinois, and received a BA from the University of Tulsa (Oklahoma) and a JD from Marquette University.