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Subject: Work thinking, not urgent

This morning I woke up thinking about the "safety TURN". Yeah, pathetic, and don't tell Larry. The TX PUC -- always leading edge -- contracts out for an "independent market monitor" who has offices at ercot and advises the commission. It's a multiyear contract, like 3. It's Potomac economics now. While under contract Potomac is restricted in who they can work for. So they mostly work for isos.

You could have an Independent Safety Monitor who reports to the Commissioners, not cpsd, and who weighs in on all safety plans. They would be technical types, like former ntsb guys. We would happily pay.

Sent from my iPhone