DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1106

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of	
Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC,)
for Approval of Renewable Energy and) SECOND MOTION
Energy Efficiency Portfolio Standard Cost) FOR EXTENSION
Recovery Rider Pursuant to G.S. 62-133.8) OF TIME
and Commission Rule R8-67)

NOW COMES THE PUBLIC STAFF - North Carolina Utilities Commission (Public Staff), by and through its Executive Director, Christopher J. Ayers, and moves for an extension of time until Thursday, May 26, 2016, for the Public Staff and the North Carolina Sustainable Energy Association (NCSEA), an intervenor in this proceeding, to file their testimony or affidavits. In support of this motion the Public Staff respectfully shows unto the Commission:

- In its application filed on March 9, 2016, Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (DEC), is seeking the annual redetermination of its Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Portfolio Standard (REPS) rider, together with approval of its REPS Compliance Report for 2015.
- 2. NCSEA filed a motion to intervene on March 10, 2016, and its intervention was authorized by the Commission in an order issued on March 15, 2016.
- 3. Pursuant to the Commission's Order Granting Motion for Extension of Time, issued yesterday, May 24, 2016, in this docket, the deadline for the filing of testimony or affidavits by the Public Staff and NCSEA is today, Wednesday, May 25, 2016.

- 4. Yesterday, the Public Staff provided to DEC, at its request, a draft of the affidavit of Jay B. Lucas, Utilities Engineer, which the Public Staff intends to file in this docket.
- 5. Today, DEC requested the Public Staff to make a number of changes to Mr. Lucas's affidavit.
- 6. Because of previously scheduled meetings, Mr. Lucas and the Public Staff personnel responsible for editing his affidavit will not be able to meet and discuss DEC's requested changes today. Consequently, the Public Staff is in need of a further extension of time until tomorrow, Thursday, May 26, 2016, to file its affidavits.
 - 7. DEC has agreed to the extension of time requested herein.

WHEREFORE, the Public Staff prays:

- For an extension of time until Thursday, May 26, 2016, for the Public
 Staff and NCSEA to file their testimony or affidavits; and
- 2. For such other and further relief as the Commission may deem just and proper.

This the 25th day of May, 2016.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of this Second Motion for Extension of Time has been served on all parties of record or their attorneys, or both, by United States mail, first class or better; by hand delivery; or by means of facsimile or electronic delivery upon agreement of the receiving party.

This the 25th day of May, 2016.

Electronically submitted s/ Robert S. Gillam