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Ms. M. Lynn Jarvis Chief Clerk North Carolina Utilities Commission 4325 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-4300

## RE: Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC for Adjustment of Rates and Charges Applicable to Electric Service in North Carolina Docket No. E-7, Sub 1146

Dear Ms. Jarvis:

Pursuant to Rule R1-17(a) of the Rules of Practice and Procedure of the North Carolina Utilities Commission, please be advised that Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC intends to file a general rate application with the Commission on or about August 25, 2017.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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cc: Christopher J. Ayers, Executive Director, Public Staff David Drooz, Chief Counsel, Public Staff