



December 22, 2017

To: Ms. Lynn Jarvis
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North Carolina Utilities Commission
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From: North Carolina Sustainable Energy Association
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Re: Proceeding to Select the Independent Administrator of the CPRE Program
(Docket No. E-100, Sub 151)

Honorable Clerk and Commissioners:

I serve as counsel for the North Carolina Sustainable Energy Association (“NCSEA”), a party to the above-captioned proceeding. NCSEA files this letter in lieu of reply comments in accordance with the *Order Establishing Proceeding to Select the Independent Administrator of the CPRE Program* issued by the North Carolina Utilities Commission (“Commission”) on November 21, 2017. Pursuant to the Commission’s order, on December 8, 2017 Duke Energy Progress, LLC and Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (collectively, “the Companies”) jointly filed initial comments recommending that the Commission select the Accion Group, LLC (“Accion”) to serve as the independent administrator of the Companies’ competitive procurement of renewable energy program (“CPRE Program”). NCSEA files this letter in lieu of reply comments to inform the Commission that it has no objection to the Companies’ recommendation that Accion serve as the independent administrator of the CPRE Program.



Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that all persons on the docket service list have been served true and accurate copies of the foregoing Letter In Lieu of Post-Hearing Brief by hand delivery, first class mail deposited in the U.S. mail, postage pre-paid, or by email transmission with the party's consent.

This the 22nd day of December, 2017.

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