# STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

# STAFF CONFERENCE AGENDA OCTOBER 2, 2017

#### **COMMISSION STAFF**

NO AGENDA ITEMS

### **PUBLIC STAFF**

## D. <u>ELECTRIC</u>

# P1. <u>APPLICATIONS FOR CERTIFICATES OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO CONSTRUCT SOLAR FACILITIES</u>

EXPLANATION: The following applications seeking amended certificates of public convenience and necessity pursuant to G.S. 62-110.1 for construction of solar photovoltaic electric generating facilities were filed pursuant to Commission Rule R8-64.

#### **Duke Energy Progress:**

- <u>Docket No. SP-6151, Sub 0</u> Application filed on August 10, 2017, by ESA Church Road Solar, LLC, for an amended certificate to construct a 4.998-MW<sub>AC</sub> facility in Johnston County, North Carolina (registration statement previously issued)
- <u>Docket No. SP-6225, Sub 0</u> Application filed on August 10, 2017, by Pinesage Solar Farm, LLC, for an amended certificate to construct a 4.996-MW<sub>AC</sub> facility in Moore County, North Carolina (registration statement previously issued)

## **Dominion Energy North Carolina:**

 <u>Docket No. SP-5436, Sub 0</u> – Application filed on February 7, 2017, by Chestnut Solar LLC, for an amended certificate to construct a 74.9-MW<sub>AC</sub> facility in Halifax County, North Carolina (no registration statement)

The Public Staff has reviewed the applications and determined that they comply with the requirements of G.S. 62-110.1 and Commission Rule R8-64.

RECOMMENDATION: (Lucas) That the Commission issue orders approving the applications, and issuing the requested amended certificates. Proposed orders have been provided to the Commission Staff.