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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Mrs. Gail L. Mount, Chief Clerk
North Carolina Utilities Commission
Dobbs Building
430 North Salisbury Street
Raleigh, North Carolina 27603

Re: Docket No. E-100, Sub 140

Dear Mrs. Mount:

On behalf of Virginia Electric and Power Company, d/b/a Dominion North Carolina Power, Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, and Duke Energy Progress, LLC, enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket is a Motion for Extension of Time.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

s/Andrea R. Kells

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Enclosures

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. E-100, SUB 140

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of)	
Biennial Determination of Avoided Cost)	MOTION FOR EXTENSION
Rates for Electric Utility Purchases from)	OF TIME
Qualifying Facilities – 2014)	

NOW COME Virginia Electric and Power Company, d/b/a Dominion North Carolina Power (“DNCP”), Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (“DEC”), and Duke Energy Progress, LLC (“DEP”) (together, the “Utilities”), by and through their respective counsel and, pursuant to North Carolina Utilities Commission (“Commission”) Rule R1-7, respectfully request that the Commission issue an order extending the deadline for the submission of compliance filings in this proceeding, as set out herein.

In support of this motion, the Utilities show as follows:

1. On December 17, 2015, the Commission issued an Order Establishing Standard Rates and Contract Terms for Qualifying Facilities in the above-captioned proceeding (“Phase 2 Order”). The Phase 2 Order directed the Utilities to file new versions of their respective avoided cost rate schedules and standard contracts, in compliance with the order, within 30 days of the date of issuance of the order. *See* Phase 2 Order at OP 27. Pursuant to that directive, the Utilities’ compliance filings are currently due to be filed with the Commission by Tuesday, January 19, 2016.

2. The Utilities have each been working diligently to meet the January 19, 2016 deadline. However, due to the complexity involved with determining how to most appropriately comply with all of the directives contained in the Phase 2 Order, the

Utilities need additional time in which to complete their compliance filings. Therefore, the Utilities respectfully request an extension of an additional two weeks, until Tuesday, February 2, 2016, in order to submit the compliance filings.

3. The Utilities have conferred with counsel for the Public Staff and the North Carolina Sustainable Energy Association regarding this motion, and neither of those parties objects to this request. The Utilities have also informed counsel for the Southern Alliance for Clean Energy of their intent to file this motion, and are not aware of any objection to this motion from that organization.

WHEREFORE, the Utilities respectfully request that the Commission enter an order extending the time for the Utilities to submit filings in compliance with the Phase 2 Order until February 2, 2016, as set forth herein.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: January 14, 2016

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served a copy of the foregoing in accordance with Commission Rule R1-39, by United States Mail, first class postage prepaid; by hand delivery; or by means of facsimile or electronic delivery upon agreement of the receiving party.

This the 14th day of January, 2016.

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