

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
UTILITIES COMMISSION  
RALEIGH**

**STAFF CONFERENCE AGENDA  
September 4, 2018**

**COMMISSION STAFF**

NO AGENDA ITEMS

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P1. APPLICATIONS FOR CERTIFICATES OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO CONSTRUCT SOLAR FACILITIES

EXPLANATION: The following applications seeking certificates of public convenience and necessity pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. § 62-110.1 for construction of solar photovoltaic electric generating facilities were filed pursuant to Commission Rule R8-64.

Duke Energy Progress:

- Docket No. SP-8061, Sub 0 – Application of Crooked Run Solar, LLC, for an amended Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Construct a 75-MW Solar Photovoltaic Facility in Pender County, North Carolina (registration statement issued previously)

Dominion Energy North Carolina:

- Docket No. SP-12149, Sub 0 – Application of Williamston Hwy 125 Solar, LLC, for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Construct a 5-MW Solar Photovoltaic Facility in Martin County, North Carolina (no registration statement)

The Public Staff has reviewed the applications and determined that they comply with the requirements of N.C. Gen. Stat. § 62-110.1 and Commission Rule R8-64.

Unless otherwise indicated above, the applicants also filed registration statements for new renewable energy facilities pursuant to Commission Rule R8-66(b). The registration statements included certified attestations that: (1) the facility is in substantial compliance with all federal and state laws, regulations, and rules for the protection of the environment

and conservation of natural resources; (2) the facility will be operated as a new renewable energy facility; (3) the applicant will not remarket or otherwise resell any renewable energy certificates sold to an electric power supplier to comply with N.C. Gen. Stat. § 62-110.1; and (4) the applicant will consent to the auditing of books and records by the Public Staff insofar as those records relate to transactions with North Carolina electric power suppliers.

RECOMMENDATION: (D. Williamson/Thomas) That the Commission issue orders approving the applications and issuing the requested certificates for these facilities. Proposed orders have been provided to the Commission Staff.