

NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC STAFF UTILITIES COMMISSION

February 2, 2021

Ms. Kimberley A. Campbell, Chief Clerk North Carolina Utilities Commission 4326 Mail Service Center Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4300

Re: Docket No. E-100, Sub 167 - Biennial Determination of Avoided Cost Rates

for Electric Utility Purchases from Qualifying Facilities - 2020

Dear Ms. Campbell:

On August 13, 2020, the Commission issued an Order Establishing Biennial Proceeding, Requiring Data, and Scheduling Public Hearing in the above-referenced proceeding. The Commission's Order scheduled a public hearing for the purpose of receiving public witness testimony for 9:30 a.m. on February 16, 2021.

On November 24, 2020, the Commission issued an Order Confirming Public Hearing to be Held Remotely and Requiring Public Notice. The Commission's Order confirmed the hearing scheduled for February 16, 2021, at 9:30 a.m. will be held remotely via Webex.

Please be advised that the Public Staff consents to holding the public witness hearing scheduled for February 16, 2021, in the above-referenced proceeding by remote means. Please do not hesitate to contact me should any questions arise in connection with this filing.

Sincerely,

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