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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Ms. A. Shonta Dunston
Chief Clerk
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4325 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4300

**RE: Duke Energy Carolina, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC's
Motion for Extension of Time
Docket No. E-100, Sub 178**

Dear Ms. Dunston:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket, please find Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC's Motion for Extension of Time to File Reply Comments to Implement Performance-Based Regulation of Electric Utilities.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Jack E. Jirak

Enclosure

cc: Parties of Record

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. E-100, SUB 178

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of)	MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF
)	TIME TO FILE REPLY
Rulemaking Proceeding of to Implement)	COMMENTS TO IMPLEMENT
Performance-Based Regulation of Electric)	PERFORMANCE-BASED
Utilities)	REGULATION OF ELECTRIC
)	UTILITIES
)	

NOW COME Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC (collectively, the “Companies”), by and through their legal counsel and pursuant to Rule R1-7 of the Rules and Regulations of the North Carolina Utilities Commission (“Commission”), and hereby move to extend the deadline for the parties to file reply comments in the above-referenced docket to and including Friday, December 17, 2021.

As further grounds for the Motion, the Companies state as follows:

1. On October 14, 2021, the Commission issued an order initiating a rulemaking proceeding to implement performance-based regulation (“PBR”) as authorized by House Bill 951 (S.L. 2021-165) (“PBR Rulemaking Order”). The Companies, along with Dominion Energy North Carolina, were made parties to the docket in the PBR Rulemaking Order which requests that the parties submit comments and proposed rules on or before November 9, 2021 and reply comments on or before December 7, 2021.

2. On November 9, 2021, the Companies and other parties to the docket submitted initial comments and proposed rules as required by the PBR Rulemaking Order.

3. The Companies are working diligently to complete their reply comments. However, due to the complexity of this matter, the Companies are in need of additional time to complete and file their reply comments. In addition, the Companies have noted areas of potential compromise with certain parties that filed comments and proposed rules in this docket and respectfully request additional time to collaborate with those parties to attempt to minimize the potential number of issues for the Commission to decide in this docket.

4. Based on the foregoing, the Companies request a short extension of time for all parties to file reply comments from Tuesday, December 7, 2021, to Friday, December 17, 2021.

5. The undersigned counsel has contacted counsel for all other parties in this docket and is authorized to represent that no party has objected to extending the deadline for reply comments.

Accordingly, the Companies respectfully request that the Commission enter an Order granting a short extension to file reply comments in this docket to and including December 17, 2021.

Respectfully submitted, this the 19th day of November, 2021.



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC's Motion for Extension of Time to File Reply Comments to Implement Performance-Based Regulation of Electric Utilities, in Docket No. E-100, Sub 178, has been served by electronic mail, hand delivery or by depositing a copy in the United States mail, postage prepaid, to parties of record.

This the 19th day of November, 2021.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jack Jirak".

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