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Ms. Kimberley A. Campbell, Chief Clerk North Carolina Utilities Commission 430 N. Salisbury Street Raleigh, NC 27603

> RE: Petition for Approval of Revisions to Generator Interconnection Standards NCUC Docket No. E-100, SUB 101

Dear Ms. Campbell:

On behalf of North Carolina Clean Energy Business Alliance, we submit the attached **Motion to for Extension of Time to File Comments** in the above-referenced docket.

Should you have any questions concerning this testimony or exhibits attached thereto, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Is Karen M. Kemerait

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CC: All Parties of Record Enclosures

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. E-100 SUB 101

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of

Petition for Approval of Revisions to Generator Interconnection Standards MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE COMMENTS

NOW COMES the North Carolina Clean Energy Business Alliance ("NCCEBA"), by and through counsel and pursuant to Rules R1-7 and R1-9 of the Rules and Regulations of the North Carolina Utilities Commission ("Commission"), and moves the Commission for a fifteen (15)-day extension of time to file comments regarding Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC's (together, "Duke") initial Implementation of IEEE 1547-2018 Guidelines and report entitled "Impact of Enabling Inverter Based Resource Reactive Power Controls" filed in this docket on April 1, 2020.

In support of this Motion, NCCEBA shows the Commission the following:

1. In the Commission's June 14, 2019 Order Approving Revised Interconnection Standard and Requiring Reports and Testimony in Docket No. E-100, Sub 101 ("NCIP Order"), the Commission directed Duke to "conduct stakeholder meetings in 2020 to consider how to address IEEE Standard 1547-2018 in the NC Interconnection Standard, including the use of software-based controls for limiting a generator's output, and to report to the Commission as to the status of this effort by [April] 1, 2020." NCIP Order, p. 10. The NCIP Order further directed that the "stakeholder process should allow for all participants to contribute to the joint development of meeting agendas, including topics to be addressed, and for all participants to have a reasonable opportunity to contribute to the discussion of all issues or items on the agendas." NCIP Order, p. 62.

2. The *NCIP Order* directed Duke to file a report on the stakeholder process and

the study results by April 1, 2020. The NCIP Order also allowed parties to file comments on

the report by June 1, 2020.

3. NCCEBA members participated in the stakeholder meetings about how to

address IEEE Standard 1547-2018 in the NC Interconnection Standard.

4. Duke filed its report about how to address IEEE Standard 1547-2018 in the

NC Interconnection Standard on April 1, 2020.

5. NCCEBA is in the process of considering the information contained in

Duke's report. As such, NCCEBA requires a fifteen (15)-day extension to file responsive

comments.

6. Duke, the North Carolina Sustainable Energy Association, and the Public

Staff have indicated that they support NCCEBA's request for a fifteen (15)-day extension

of time.

WHEREFORE, NCCEBA respectfully requests that the Commission grant a

fifteen-day extension of time so that NCCEBA may file comments on or before June 16,

2020.

Respectfully submitted this the 29th of May, 2020.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of North Carolina Clean Energy Business Alliance's **Motion for Extension of Time** in Docket No. E-100, Sub 101, has been served by electronic mail, hand delivery, or by depositing a copy in the United States mail, postage prepaid, properly addressed to all parties of record.

This the 29th day of May, 2020.

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