STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. E-100, SUB 127

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BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of Biennial Determination of Avoided Cost Rates for Electric Utility Purchases from Qualifying Facilities -- 2008

ORDER GRANTING EXTENSIONS OF TIME

BY THE PRESIDING COMMISSIONER: On January 7, 2011, the Public Staff filed a motion requesting that the due dates for comments, reply comments, and proposed orders in the above-captioned docket be extended. The motion states that all members of the Public Staff involved in this biennial avoided cost docket are involved in numerous other pending dockets and, because of this heavy workload, additional time is needed for the Public Staff to file its comments and exhibits in this proceeding. The Public Staff proposes that the due date for all intervenor comments be extended and that the due dates for reply comments and proposed orders be extended. Counsel for Duke, PEC, and DNCP either support or do not object to the proposed new due dates.

The Presiding Commissioner finds good cause to allow this motion as herein provided.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED as follows:

1. That all parties, other than the electric utilities, shall file with the Commission the comments and exhibits that they wish to present in this proceeding on or before February 22, 2011;

2. That the electric utilities and intervenors shall file reply comments on or before March 30, 2011; and

3. That parties are requested to file proposed orders on or before April 27, 2011.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the <u>12th</u> day of January, 2011.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

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Gail L. Mount, Deputy Clerk