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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Ms. M. Lynn Jarvis, Chief Clerk North Carolina Utilities Commission Dobbs Building 430 North Salisbury Street Raleigh, North Carolina 27603

Re: Docket No. E-100, Sub 150

Dear Ms. Jarvis:

On behalf of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC, enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket is their <u>Motion for Extension of Time to File Reply Comments</u>.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

/s/E. Brett Breitschwerdt

Very truly yours,

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Enclosure

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. E-100, SUB 150

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of		
Rulemaking Proceeding to Implement)	DUKE ENERGY CAROLINAS, LLC'S
G.S. 62-110.8)	AND DUKE ENERGY PROGRESS, LLC'S
)	MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO
)	FILE REPLY COMMENTS

NOW COMES Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC ("DEC") and Duke Energy
Progress, LLC ("DEP") (collectively, the "Companies") by and through counsel and
pursuant to Rule R1-7 of the Rules and Regulations of the North Carolina Utilities
Commission ("Commission"), to respectfully request that the Commission enter an order
granting an extension of time until Wednesday, August 30, 2017, for all parties to file
reply comments in the above-referenced docket. In support of this motion, the
Companies show the Commission the following:

- 1. On July 28, 2017, the Commission issued its *Order Initiating Rulemaking* opening this docket and providing an opportunity for the Companies and other interested parties to file initial comments, suggestions, or proposed rules or rule revisions relating to the implementation of N.C. Gen. Stat. § 62-110.8, as enacted by Session Law 2017-192 (the "Order"). In Ordering Paragraphs 2 and 4 of the Order, the Commission directed parties to file initial comments, suggestions, proposed rules or rule revisions as discussed in the Order on or before August 16, 2017, and to file reply comments, suggestions, or additional proposed rules or rule revisions on or before August 25, 2017.
- 2. On August 16, 2017, the Companies and other parties to this proceeding filed their initial comments and proposed rules as permitted by the Order.

- 3. The Companies are continuing to prepare their reply comments, but despite their diligent efforts, require additional time to develop their reply comments to comprehensively and appropriately address the comments and proposals that have been submitted. The undersigned counsel has contacted counsel for all parties of record regarding this motion via electronic mail, and received confirmation from counsel for the Public Staff, the North Carolina Clean Energy Business Alliance, Carolina Industrial Group for Fair Utility Rates II and III, Carolina Utility Customers Association, Inc., and the North Carolina Sustainable Energy Association, that they do not object to this motion. Counsel for Dominion Energy North Carolina and the North Carolina Electric Membership Corporation, which have petitioned to intervene in this proceeding, also do not object. None of the other parties to this proceeding have advised that they object to this motion.
- 4. The Companies do not believe that the requested extension will prevent the Commission from adopting final rules in this proceeding on or before October 16, 2017, as stated in Ordering Paragraph 6 of the Order, and do not believe that any other party will be unduly prejudiced by the relief requested in this Motion.

WHEREFORE, Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC respectfully request the Commission grant an extension through and including August 30, 2017, for all parties to file reply comments, suggestions, and additional proposed rules or rule revisions, and grant such further relief as the Commission deems just and proper.

Respectfully submitted, this the 24th day of August, 2017.

/s/E. Brett Breitschwerdt

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing <u>Motion for Extension of Time to File</u>

<u>Reply Comments</u>, as filed in Docket No. E-100, Sub 150, was served electronically or via

U.S. mail, first-class, postage prepaid, upon all parties of record.

This, the 24th day of August, 2017.

/s/E. Brett Breitschwerdt

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