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## **VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

M. Lynn Jarvis, Chief Clerk North Carolina Utilities Commission 4325 Mail Service Center Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4300

RE: Duke Energy Progress, LLC's Proof of Publication – Remaining Affidavit
Docket No. E-2, Sub 1175

Dear Ms. Jarvis:

Enclosed please find the remaining Affidavit of Publication that Duke Energy Progress, LLC had not received when the affidavits for the Public Notice were filed on September 13, 2018 in the proceeding for approval of the Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Portfolio Standard cost recovery rider.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

Robert W. Kaylor, P.A.

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Enclosure

cc: Parties of Record

# AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

# STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER

Before the undersigned, a Notary Public of Said County and State.

#### **Jarimy Springer**

Who, being duly sworn or affirmed, according to the law, says that he/she is

### **Accounting Specialist**

of THE STARNEWS, a corporation organized and doing business under the Laws of the State of North Carolina, and publishing a newspaper known as STAR-NEWS in the City of Wilmington

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was inserted in the aforesaid newspaper in space, and on dates as follows:

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And at the time of such publication Star-News was a newspaper meeting all the requirements and qualifications prescribed by Sec. No. 1-597 G.S. of N.C.

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	My commission expires 26 day of May, 202/	
Upon reading the aforegoing affidavit with the advertisement thereto annexed it is adjudged by the Court that the said publication was duly and properly made and that the summons has been duly and legally served on the defendant(s).  This day of		
MAIL TO:		Clerk of Superior Court

#### STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. E-2, SUB 1175
BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of Application of Duke Energy Progress, LLC, for Approval of Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Portfolio Standard Cost Recovery Rider Pursuant to G.S. 62-133.8 and Commission Rule R8-67

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the North Carolina Utilities Commission has scheduled a public hearing in the annual Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Portfolio Standard (REPS) cost recovery proceeding for Duke Energy Progress, LLC (DEP). The public hearing has been scheduled to begin immediately following the hearing in Docket No. E-2, Sub 1173, which is scheduled to begin at 9:30 a.m., on Tuesday, September 18, 2018, in Commission Hearing Room 2115, Dobbs Building, 430 North Salisbury Street, Raleigh, North Carolina. This proceeding is being held pursuant to the provisions of G.S. 62-133.8 and Commission Rule R8-67 for the purpose of determining whether an increment or decrement rider is required to allow DEP to recover all reasonable and prudent incremental costs incurred to comply with the statutory REPS requirement and to consider DEP's annual REPS compliance report. Public witness testimony will be received in accordance with Commission Rule R1-21(d).

Duke Energy Progress filed its annual REPS compliance report and an application and testimony relative to the subject matter of the proceeding on June 20, 2018. By its application, DEP proposes to implement the following REPS rates (including regulatory fee), effective for service rendered on and after December 1, 2018: \$1.42 per month for residential customers; \$7.96 per month for general service/lighting customers; and \$73.17 per month for industrial customers. DEP's proposed new REPS rates, if approved, would result in increases in the current REPS rates (including regulatory fee), as follows: residential, \$0.87 per month; general service/lighting, \$1.54 per month; and industrial, \$14.46 per month.

Further information may be obtained from the Office of the Chief Clerk, North Carolina Utilities Commission, 430 North Salisbury Street, Raleigh, North Carolina, where a copy of DEP's application and its annual REPS compliance report are available for review by the public. Also, documents may be viewed on the Commission's website at www.ncuc.net.

The Public Staff is authorized by statute to represent consumers in proceedings before the Commission. Correspondence concerning the REPS rider proceeding and the hearing scheduled thereon should be directed to the Public Staff. Written statements to the Public Staff should include any information that the writers wish to be considered by the Public Staff in its investigation of the matter. Such statements should be addressed to Christopher J. Ayers, Executive Director, Public Staff, 4326 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4300.

The Attorney General is also authorized by statute to represent consumers in proceedings before the Commission. Statements to the Attorney General should be addressed to The Honorable Josh Stein, Attorney General, c/o Consumer Protection-Utilities, 9001 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina, 27699-9001.

Written statements are not evidence unless the writers appear at a public hearing and testify concerning the information contained in their written statements.

Persons desiring to intervene in this proceeding as formal parties should file a petition to intervene pursuant to Commission Rules R1-5 and R1-19 on or before Tuesday, September 4, 2018. Such petitions should be filed with the Chief Clerk of the North Carolina Utilities Commission, 4325 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4300. The direct testimony and exhibits of expert witnesses to be presented by intervenors should also be filed with the Commission on or before Tuesday, September 4, 2018.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION. This the 2nd day of July, 2018.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION Linnetta Threatt, Deputy Clerk

#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that a copy of Duke Energy Progress, LLC's Remaining Affidavit of Publication, in Docket No. E-2, Sub 1175, has been served by electronic mail, hand delivery, or by depositing a copy in the United States Mail, 1<sup>st</sup> Class Postage Prepaid, properly addressed to parties of record.

This the 12<sup>th</sup> day of October 2018.

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