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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Ms. Kimberley A. Campbell, Chief Clerk North Carolina Utilities Commission 4325 Mail Service Center Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4300

RE: Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's Consent to Remote Hearing and Witness List Docket No. SP-13695, Sub 1

Dear Ms. Campbell:

Pursuant to paragraph (1) of the Commission's *Order Scheduling Hearing*, issued on October 21, 2020 (the "Order") in the above-referenced docket, I write to notify the Commission that Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC ("DEC" or the "Company") consents to the Commission holding the expert witness hearing in this docket by remote means. Pursuant to paragraph (2) of the Order, the witness for DEC in this hearing will be Orvane Piper. Pursuant to paragraph (3) of the Order, I will provide to the Chief Clerk by October 23, 2020 the names and email addresses of the attorneys and witnesses that will appear on the Company's behalf. Pursuant to paragraph (4) of the Order, I will file with the Commission by October 26, 2020 a list of Company's potential cross-examination exhibits and an electronic copy of those potential exhibits, if any. And pursuant to paragraph (5) of the Order, I will file a list of potential redirect exhibits by October 28, 2020 and an electronic copy of those potential exhibits, if any.

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

Sincerely,

Jack E. Jirak

cc: Parties of Record

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's Consent to Remote Hearing and Witness List, in Docket No. SP-13695, Sub 1, 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 23rd day of October, 2020.

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