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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 Motion for Extension Docket No. E-7, Sub 1230

Dear Ms. Campbell:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket is Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's Motion for Extension of Time to File Briefs and Proposed Orders.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

cc: Parties of Record

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1230

In the Matter of) Application of Duke Energy Carolinas,) **DUKE ENERGY CAROLINAS,** LLC for Approval of Demand-Side LLC'S MOTION FOR) Management and Energy Efficiency Cost **EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE**) Recovery Rider Pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. **BRIEFS AND PROPOSED**) § 62-133.9 and Commission Rule 8-69) **ORDERS**)

NOW COMES Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC ("DEC" or the "Company"), pursuant to Rule R1-7 of the Rules and Regulations of the North Carolina Utilities Commission ("Commission"), and moves the Commission for a twenty day extension of time through and including August 13, 2020 for all parties to file briefs and proposed orders as provided for in the Commission's June 25, 2020 *Notice of Due Date for Proposed Orders and Briefs*. In support of the foregoing, the Company shows the Commission the following:

1. On February 25, 2020, the Company filed its Application for Approval of

Demand-Side Management and Energy Efficiency ("DSM/EE") Cost Recovery Rider.

2. On March 17, 2020, the Commission issued an Order Scheduling Hearing,

Requiring Filing of Testimony, Establishing Discovery Guidelines and Requiring Public Notice ("Scheduling Order") in this proceeding.

3. On May 11, 2020, the Company filed supplemental testimony and revised exhibits in this proceeding.

4. On May 22, 2020, pursuant to the Scheduling Order and the Commission's subsequent May 18, 2020 *Order Granting Extension of Time and Taking Under Advisement Motion for Remote Testimony*, the Public Staff and the Southern Alliance for Clean Energy each filed testimony in this proceeding.

5. On May 29, 2020, the Commission issued an Order Scheduling Remote Hearing for Expert Witness Testimony.

6. On June 1, 2020, DEC filed rebuttal testimony in this proceeding.

7. The hearing was held remotely on June 9, 2020.

8. On June 25, 2020, the Commission issued a *Notice of Due Date for Proposed Orders and Briefs*, which required that proposed orders and briefs be filed on or before July 24, 2020.

9. DEC is working diligently to prepare its proposed order and brief but, due to the press of other business, requires additional time to complete them. Based on the foregoing, the Company respectfully requests an extension of twenty days, up to and including August 13, 2020, for all parties to file briefs and proposed orders in this proceeding.

10. The requested extension will not result in prejudice to any party.

11. Counsel for the Company has contacted counsel for all parties of record regarding this Motion, and no party has advised that it objects.

WHEREFORE, Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC respectfully requests that the Commission grant this Motion for an extension of time, through and including August 13, 2020, for all parties to file briefs and proposed orders in this proceeding, and such other relief as the Commission deems just and proper.

Respectfully submitted, this the 20th day of July, 2020.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's Motion for Extension of Time, submitted in Docket No. E-7, Sub 1230, has been served electronically or via U.S. mail, first-class, postage prepaid, upon all parties of record.

This, the 20th day of July, 2020.

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