



Lawrence B. Somers
Deputy General Counsel

Mailing Address:
NCRH 20 / P.O. Box 1551
Raleigh, NC 27602

o: 919.546.6722
f: 919.546.2694

bo.somers@duke-energy.com

OFFICIAL COPY

Feb 02 2021

February 2, 2021

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 Update to Allen Unit 3 Retirement Date
Docket No. E-100, Sub 165**

Dear Ms. Campbell:

I write to notify the Commission and all parties of the revised retirement date for the following Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (“DEC” or the “Company”) coal unit in connection with the Company’s 2020 Integrated Resource Plan:

<u>Unit</u>	<u>Capacity (net)</u>	<u>Old Retirement Date</u>	<u>New Retirement Date</u>
Allen Unit 3	270 MW (winter)	December 31, 2021	March 31, 2021

Allen Unit 3, which was placed in service in 1959, has served DEC customers well for 62 years but has reached the end of its useful life. Based upon the unit’s condition and economic evaluations, the Company has determined that Allen Unit 3 will no longer provide economic and reliable commercial service to customers, and the unit will be retired effective March 31, 2021.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Lawrence B. Somers

cc: Parties of Record

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's Update to Allen Unit 3 Retirement Date, in Docket No. E-100, Sub 165, has been served by electronic mail, hand delivery or by depositing a copy in the United States mail, postage prepaid to the following parties of record

Dianna Downey
Lucy Edmondson
Tim Dodge
Layla Cummings
Nadia Luhr
Robert Josey
Public Staff
North Carolina Utilities Commission
4326 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, NC 27699-4300
dianna.downey@psncuc.nc.gov
lucy.edmondson@psncuc.nc.gov
tim.dodge@psncuc.nc.gov
layla.cummings@psncuc.nc.gov
nadia.luhr@psncuc.nc.gov
robert.josey@psncuc.nc.gov

Brett Breitschwerdt
Mary Lynne Grigg
Andrea Kells
McGuire Woods, LLP
501 Fayetteville Street, 5th Floor
Raleigh, NC 27601
bbreitschwerdt@mcguirewoods.com
mgrigg@mcguirewoods.com
akells@mcguirewoods.com

Lauren Biskie
Paul Pfeffer
Dominion Energy
120 Tredegar St. RS-2
Richmond, VA 23219
lauren.w.biskie@dominionenergy.com
paul.e.pfeffer@dominionenergy.com

Peter H. Ledford
Benjamin Smith
NC Sustainable Energy Association
4800 Six Forks Road, Ste. 300
Raleigh, NC 27609
peter@energync.org
ben@energync.org

Molly Jagannathan
Troutman Sanders LLP
301 S. College St., Suite 3400
Charlotte, NC 28202
molly.jagannathan@troutmansanders.com

Thaddeus B. Culley
Vote Solar
1911 Ephesus Church Road
Chapel Hill, NC 27517
thad@votesolar.org

Christopher M. Carmody
NCCEBA
811 Ninth Street, Suite 120-158
Durham, NC 27705
director@nceba.com

Christina Cress
Bailey & Dixon, LLP
PO Box 1351
Raleigh, NC 27602
ccress@bdixon.com

Karen Kemerait
Fox Rothschild, LLP
434 Fayetteville St., Ste. 2800
Raleigh, NC 27601
kkemerait@foxrothschild.com

Matthew Quinn
Lewis & Roberts, PLLC
3700 Glenwood Ave., Ste. 410
Raleigh, NC 27612
mdq@lewis-roberts.com

Jannice Walker
City Attorney's Office
70 Court Plaza
Asheville, NC 28801
jashley@ashevillenc.gov

M. Gray Styers, Jr.
Fox Rothschild LLP
434 Fayetteville Street, Ste. 2800
Raleigh, NC 27601
gstyers@foxrothschild.com

Jay Morrison
ElectriCities of North Carolina, Inc.
1427 Meadow Wood Blvd.
Raleigh, NC 27604
jmorrison@electricities.org

Anchun Jean Sue
Howard Crystal
Center for Biological Diversity
1411 K Street, N.W, Ste. 1300
Washington, DC 20005
jsu@biologicaldiversity.org
hcrystal@biologicaldiversity.org

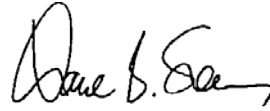
Marcus W. Trathen
Craig Schauer
Brooks, Pierce, McLendon, Humphrey &
Leonard, LLP
Wells Fargo Capitol Center
150 Fayetteville St., Suite 1600
Raleigh, NC 27601
mtrathen@brookspierce.com
cschauer@brookspierce.com

Curtis W. Euler
Buncombe County
200 College Street, Ste. 100
Asheville, NC 28801
curt.euler@buncombecounty.org

Daniel Higgins
Burns Day and Presnell, P.A.
PO Box 10867
Raleigh, NC 27605
dhiggins@bdppa.com

Karen C. Weatherly
Senior Assistant City Attorney
600 East Fourth Street
Charlotte, NC 28202
kweatherly@ci.charlotte.nc.us

This the 2nd day of February, 2021.



Lawrence B. Somers
Deputy General Counsel
Duke Energy Corporation
P.O. Box 1551/NCRH 20
Raleigh, North Carolina 27602
Tel 919.546.6722
bo.somers@duke-energy.com