STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. E-100, SUB 146 DOCKET NO. E-100, SUB 147 DOCKET NO. E-100, SUB 148 DOCKET NO. M-100, SUB 138

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of	
2016 Biennial Integrated Resource Plans) ORDER GRANTING MOTIONS TO
and Related 2016 REPS Compliance) WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL
Plans, et al.)

BY THE CHAIRMAN: On September 19, 2017, Adam N. Olls filed a Motion to Withdraw as Counsel in the above-captioned dockets, pursuant to Commission Rule R1-7 and Rule 1.6(b) of the North Carolina Rules of Professional Conduct, requesting that the Commission enter an order allowing him to withdraw from serving as one of the attorneys of record on behalf of Carolina Industrial Group for Fair Utility Rates I, II, and III (CIGFUR) in these dockets.

Mr. Olls states, among other things, that he has accepted employment that precludes him from continuing to participate as counsel on behalf of CIGFUR, that Ralph McDonald of the firm Bailey & Dixon will continue to serve as counsel for the clients, that Mr. Olls has provided notice of his withdrawal to the clients, and that Mr. Olls believes that his withdrawal can be accomplished without resulting in a material adverse effect on the clients.

After careful consideration, the Chairman finds that there is justifiable cause to grant the Motion.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that Adam N. Olls is allowed to withdraw as counsel for CIGFUR I, II, and III in the above-captioned dockets.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the <u>25th</u> day of September, 2017.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

Janice H. Fulmore, Deputy Clerk

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