STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. E-100, SUB 101

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of		
Petition for Approval of Revisions to)	ORDER GRANTING FURTHER
Generator Interconnection Standards)	EXTENSION OF TIME
)	

BY THE CHAIR: On May 21, 2021, the Commission issued an Order Granting Further Extension of time for parties to file reply comments regarding the generator inspection provisions of the North Carolina Generator Interconnection Standard. The Order allowed parties to reply comments on or before June 25, 2021.

On June 23, 2021, Strata Solar, LLC and Strata Solar Development, LLC (together, Strata) and Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, and Duke Energy Progress, LLC (together, Duke) filed a motion requesting a further extension of time to file reply comments on the issues related to the generator inspection provisions of the North Carolina Generator Interconnection Standard. In the motion, Strata and Duke requested an additional 30 days to file reply comments in order to continue discussion and attempt to reach resolution on these issues. The motion stated that Strata and Duke have been engaged in discussions and expect to reach a settlement within the requested 30-day extension period. The motion further stated that the Carolinas Clean Energy Business Association and the Public Staff do not object to the requested extension of time.

Based on the motion and the record as a whole, the Chair finds good cause to grant an extension for parties to file reply comments generator inspection provisions of the North Carolina Generator Interconnection Standard. Parties may file reply comments on or before July 26, 2021. The Commission initially requested comments on this issue on March 9, 2021. Due to the length of time this issue has been outstanding and the public safety concerns this issue raises, the Commission will not be inclined to grant additional extensions and encourages the parties to reach consensus by July 26, 2021.

IT IS, THEREFORE, SO ORDERED.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 25th day of June, 2021.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

Lindsey A. Worley, Acting Deputy Clerk

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