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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

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

RE: Duke Energy Progress, LLC's Request to Initiate Technical Conference Regarding the Projected Transmission and Distribution Projects to be Included in a Performance-Based Regulation Application, Docket No. E-2, Sub 1300

Dear Ms. Dunston:

Pursuant to Rule R1-17B(c) of the Rules of Practice and Procedure of the North Carolina Utilities Commission, please be advised that, Duke Energy Progress, LLC (the "Company") intends to file with the Commission a notice of its intent to file a general rate application that includes a performance-based regulation application ("PBR Application") as authorized under N.C. Gen. Stat. §62-133.16, with such PBR Application targeted for filing no earlier than October 6, 2022. Therefore, pursuant to Rule R1-17B(c), the Company respectfully requests that the Commission initiate a technical conference regarding the projected transmission and distribution projects to be included in the Company's PBR Application.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Jack E. Jirak

cc: Christopher J. Ayers, Executive Director, Public Staff Lucy Edmondson, Interim Chief Counsel, Public Staff

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of Duke Energy Progress, LLC's Request to Initiate Technical Conference, 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 8th day of June, 2022.

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