

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. E-100, SUB 165

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of 2020 Biennial Integrated Resource Plans and Related 2020 REPS Compliance Plans))))	ORDER ALLOWING COMMENTS AND REPLY COMMENTS ON IRP SUPPLEMENTAL FILING
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BY THE PRESIDING COMMISSIONER: On November 19, 2021, the Commission issued an Order Accepting Integrated Resource Plans, REPS, and CPRE Program Plans with Conditions and Providing Further Direction for Future Planning (IRP Order), in the above-captioned docket. The IRP Order, among other things, directed Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, and Duke Energy Progress, LLC, (collectively, Duke), to “prepare and file one additional iteration of their Base Portfolio with Carbon Policy portfolios that assumes limited DS Hub Gas . . . and also relies on no more than eight years of forward natural gas prices before using fundamental forecast data for the remainder of the planning period.” IRP Order at 10.

In response to the IRP Order Duke filed a Supplemental Portfolio B on February 9, 2022.

On March 4, 2022, the Public Staff filed a motion requesting that the Public Staff and all intervenors be allowed to file comments on Duke's Supplemental Portfolio B and that Duke be allowed to file reply comments. The Public Staff stated that it had reviewed Supplemental Portfolio B and believes that the Commission would benefit from further comments addressing same.

Based on the foregoing and the record, the Presiding Commissioner finds good cause to allow the Public Staff and other intervenors to file initial comments on Duke's Supplemental Portfolio B on or before March 30, 2022, and to allow Duke and other parties to file reply comments on or before April 14, 2022.

IT IS, THEREFORE, SO ORDERED.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 18th day of March, 2022.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION



Erica N. Green, Deputy Clerk