

## NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC STAFF UTILITIES COMMISSION

October 6, 2023

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

Re: Docket No. M-100, Sub 158 – Public Staff's September 2023

Report

Dear Ms. Dunston:

On April 5, 2021, the Commission issued an Order Reinstating Limited Residential Disconnection Moratorium, which required, until further order of the Commission, that the Public Staff file a monthly report in the above-captioned docket regarding total complaints received by utility. Pursuant to the Commission's Order, attached hereto as Exhibit A, is the Public Staff's report on complaints received during the month of September 2023.

Sincerely,

Electronically submitted
/s/ Gina C. Holt
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Attachment

cc: Parties of Record

Executive Director (919) 733-2435

Accounting (919) 733-4279

Consumer Services (919) 733-9277 Economic Research (919) 733-2267

Energy (919) 733-2267 Legal (919) 733-6110

Transportation (919) 733-7766

Water/Telephone (919) 733-5610

## **September 2023 Public Staff Report on Complaints**

		Disconnection/Non	Payment	Revise Existing Payment
Company	Total Complaints	Pay <sup>1</sup>	Arrangement <sup>2</sup>	Arrangements <sup>3</sup>
AT&T	8	0	0	0
Aqua	9	1	0	0
cws	7	0	0	0
CenturyLink/Brightspeed	9	0	0	0
Dominion NC Power	8	0	2	1
Duke Energy Carolinas	248	30	18	140
Duke Energy Progress	165	18	10	102
Frontier Comm.	3	0	0	0
Frontier Utilities	0	0	0	0
Misc. Telephone	0	0	0	0
Misc. Water	3	0	0	0
Piedmont Natural Gas	15	2	1	8
PSNC/Dominion Energy NC (DENC)	3	0	0	0
Spectrum	7	0	0	0
Total Environmental	0	0	0	0
Water Reseller	5	0	0	0
Windstream Communications	0	0	0	0
Other - Non Regulated	108	0	0	0
Total	598	51	31	251

<sup>1</sup> Customer calls on day of disconnection due to non-payment.

<sup>2</sup> Customer seeks a payment arrangement to avoid disconnection.

<sup>3</sup> Customer has a payment arrangement plan but seeks to modify it.