

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
UTILITIES COMMISSION  
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. G-5, SUB 632  
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BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

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In the Matter of	)	
Application of Public Service Company	)	
of North Carolina, Inc., for General Rate	)	
Increase	)	ORDER CANCELING
	)	PUBLIC WITNESS HEARING
DOCKET NO. G-5, SUB 634	)	
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In the matter of	)	
Application for Approval to Modify Existing	)	
Conservation Programs and Implement	)	
New Conservation Programs	)	
	)	

BY THE PRESIDING COMMISSIONER: On June 11, 2021, the Commission issued a Scheduling Order in the above-captioned consolidated dockets regarding the application of Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. (PSNC or the Company) to adjust and increase its rates. The Scheduling Order, among other things, scheduled the matter for public witness hearings on August 16, 2021, to be held remotely via Webex with the first session beginning at 1:30 p.m. and a second session beginning at 6:30 p.m. The Scheduling Order further stated that only individuals registered with the Public Staff by 5:00 p.m. on Monday, August 9, 2021, would be allowed to testify at the hearing. In addition, PSNC was ordered to publish a Public Notice of the application, including the above information about the public witness hearings, in newspapers having general coverage in the Company's service area once a week for two consecutive weeks.

On August 12, 2021, PSNC filed a motion requesting that the public witness hearings be canceled. PSNC stated that on July 15, 2021, the Company filed a Certificate of Service attesting that all of its customers had been served with notice of the proposed rate increase and hearing. PSNC indicated that the Company has been informed by the Public Staff that it did not receive any protests and no one registered to provide testimony at the public witness hearings by the deadline established in the customer notice. PSNC further indicated that the Public Staff does not oppose the motion to cancel the public witness hearings.

Based on the foregoing and the record, the Presiding Commissioner finds good cause to cancel the public witness hearings scheduled for August 16, 2021, at 1:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m.

IT IS, THEREFORE, SO ORDERED.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 13th day of August, 2021.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Joann R. Snyder". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Joann" being more prominent.

Joann R. Snyder, Deputy Clerk