STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1155

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of	
Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC for	ORDER GRANTING MOTION
Approval of Residential New Construction) FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO
Program) FILE COMMENTS

BY THE PRESIDING COMMISSIONER: On June 23, 2020, the Commission issued an order in the above-captioned docket that, among other things, required Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, (DEC), to file a revised proposed Residential New Construction (RNC) Program, and allowed the Public Staff and natural gas local distribution companies (LDCs), to file comments on DEC's revised RNC Program on or before 30 days after DEC filed the revised Program. On September 21, 2020, DEC filed a revised proposed RNC Program.

On October 14, 2020, Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. (PSNC), filed a petition to intervene in the docket, which petition was granted by the Commission by order issued on October 15, 2020.

On October 15, 2020, the Public Staff filed a motion requesting that the Commission extend for 30 days the date for filing comments. In summary, the Public Staff stated that it sent a data request to DEC on September 30, 2020, and that a response was received from DEC on October 14, 2020. Further, the Public Staff stated that it has not completed its review of the data response and may need to request further information. In addition, the Public Staff stated that it contacted the parties and that DEC, PSNC, Southern Environmental Law Center, North Carolina Sustainable Energy Association, and Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc., do not oppose the extension.

Based on the Public Staff's motion and the record, the Presiding Commissioner finds good cause to extend to November 20, 2020, the date for the Public Staff, intervenors, and the LDCs to file comments.

IT IS, THEREFORE, SO ORDERED.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 20th day of October, 2020.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

Kimberley A. Campbell, Chief Clerk