

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. E-100, SUB 192

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of		
2023 Integrated Resource Plan of)	ORDER CANCELLING PUBLIC
Dominion Energy North Carolina)	HEARING ON 2023 BIENNIAL
)	INTEGRATED RESOURCE PLAN
)	AND REPS COMPLIANCE PLAN

BY THE CHAIR: Pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. § 62-110.1, the integrated resource planning process is intended to identify least-cost electric resource options that will ensure adequate and reliable electric service. Specifically, under N.C.G.S. § 62-110.1(c) the Commission is required to “develop, publicize, and keep current an analysis of the long-range needs” for electricity in this State. The Commission’s analysis includes: (1) its estimate of the probable future growth of the use of electricity; (2) the probable needed generating reserves; (3) the extent, size, mix, and general location of generating plants; and (4) arrangements for pooling power to the extent not regulated by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC). Commission Rule R8-60 defines an overall framework for the Commission’s oversight of the Virginia Electric and Power Company d/b/a Dominion Energy North Carolina’s (DENC) North Carolina integrated resource planning process. Commission Rule R8-60(h)(4) requires that “[e]ach biennial and update report shall include the utility’s [Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Portfolio Standard (REPS)] compliance plan pursuant to Rule R8-67(b).”

On May 1, 2023, DENC filed its proposed North Carolinas 2023 Integrated Resource Plan (IRP), which has been subsequently corrected. DENC filed the most up-to-date version of its proposed North Carolinas 2023 IRP on September 15, 2023. Also, on May 1, 2023, DENC filed its 2023 REPS Compliance Plan.

On February 6, 2024, the Commission issued an Order Scheduling Public Hearing on 2023 Biennial Integrated Resource Plan and REPS Compliance Plan (Scheduling Order), which scheduled this matter for a virtual public hearing, to be held remotely via Webex, for the purpose of receiving public witness testimony on DENC’s proposed North Carolinas 2023 IRP and 2023 REPS Compliance Plan on Monday, May 6, 2024, beginning at 7:00 p.m. The Scheduling Order further established that members of the public who wanted to testify at the public hearing were required to register in advance of the hearing, no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday, April 29, 2024, and that

Only individuals registered by 5:00 p.m. on Monday, April 29, 2024, will be allowed to testify at the Monday, May 6, 2024 remote public witness hearing. This hearing will be canceled if no one registers to testify by 5:00 p.m. on Monday, April 29, 2024[.]

Scheduling Order at 2.

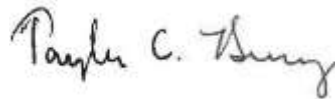
No public witnesses registered to testify at the remote public witness hearing pursuant to the Scheduling Order. Accordingly, the Chair finds good cause to cancel the public witness hearing.

IT IS, THEREFORE, SO ORDERED.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 1st day of May, 2024.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

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Taylor C. Berry, Deputy Clerk