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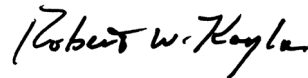
**RE: Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's Compliance Tariffs  
Docket Nos. E-7, Sub 1281 and 1282**

Dear Ms. Dunston:

Pursuant to the North Carolina Utilities Commission's ("Commission") Rule R8-25(a) and recent orders approving rate adjustments in connection with the referenced matters, I enclose Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's compliance tariffs that have been revised to reflect approved changes in rates, effective for a service rendered basis on and after September 1, 2023. The revised rates include two adjustments: (1) revised fuel rates pursuant to the Commission's August 23, 2023 order in Docket No. E-7, Sub 1282 and (2) the Competitive Procurement of Renewable Energy rates pursuant to the Commission's August 16, 2023 order in Docket No. E-7, Sub 1281. The compliance tariffs include approved changes to existing tariffs.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



Robert W. Kaylor, P.A.

Enclosures

cc: Parties of Record

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FUEL COST ADJUSTMENT RIDER (NC)

APPLICABILITY (North Carolina Only)

Service supplied under the Company’s rate schedules are subject to approved fuel charge adjustments, if any, over or under the Rate set forth in the approved rate schedules. Adjustments are made pursuant to North Carolina General Statute 62-133.2 and North Carolina Utilities Commission Rule R8-55 as ordered by the North Carolina Utilities Commission.

BASE FUEL COSTS

Effective June 1, 2021, the Base Fuel Costs established in Docket No. E-7, Sub 1214 are: Residential: 1.6027¢ per kilowatt-hour, General Service/Lighting: 1.7583¢ per kilowatt-hour and Industrial: 1.6652¢ per kilowatt-hour. These amounts are included in the energy charges of the Company’s rate schedules.

FUEL COST ADJUSTMENT AND EXPERIENCE MODIFICATION FACTOR

All service supplied under the Company’s rate schedules is subject to an increment or decrement per kilowatt-hour as set forth below. This adjustment is not included in the rate schedules of the Company and therefore must be applied to the bill as calculated under the applicable rate.

<u>RESIDENTIAL SERVICE</u>		<u>Fuel and Fuel Related Costs</u>	
		Effective September 1, 2022	
Adjustment to Residential		1.0260	¢/kWh
Experience Modification Factor & Interest	+	1.2663	¢/kWh
Net Fuel Rider Factor		2.2923	¢/kWh
Regulatory Fee Multiplier	×	1.001477	
Fuel Cost Adjustment Factor		2.2957	¢/kWh

<u>GENERAL SERVICE AND LIGHTING</u>		<u>Fuel and Fuel Related Costs</u>	
		Effective September 1, 2022	
Adjustment to General Service and Lighting		0.5013	¢/kWh
Experience Modification Factor & Interest	+	1.2424	¢/kWh
Net Fuel Rider Factor		1.7437	¢/kWh
Regulatory Fee Multiplier	×	1.001477	
Fuel Cost Adjustment Factor		1.7463	¢/kWh

<u>INDUSTRIAL SERVICE</u>		<u>Fuel and Fuel Related Costs</u>	
		Effective September 1, 2022	
Adjustment to Industrial		0.2676	¢/kWh
Experience Modification Factor & Interest	+	1.3094	¢/kWh
Net Fuel Rider Factor		1.5770	¢/kWh
Regulatory Fee Multiplier	×	1.001477	
Fuel Cost Adjustment Factor		1.5793	¢/kWh

RIDER CPRE (NC)  
 COMPETITIVE PROCUREMENT OF RENEWABLE ENERGY RIDER

APPLICABILITY (North Carolina Only)

Service supplied under the Company’s rate schedules is subject to approved adjustments to recover costs associated with implementation of the Company’s Competitive Procurement of Renewable Energy (CPRE) Program. Adjustments are made pursuant to North Carolina General Statute 62-110.8(g) and North Carolina Utilities Commission Rule R8-71 as ordered by the North Carolina Utilities Commission.

CPRE PROSPECTIVE COMPONENT AND EXPERIENCE MODIFICATION FACTOR

All service supplied under the Company’s rate schedules is subject to an increment per kilowatt hour as set forth below. This adjustment is not included in the rate schedules of the Company and therefore must be applied to the bill as calculated under the applicable rate.

RESIDENTIAL SERVICE

Prospective Component of CPRE		0.0271	¢/kWh
Experience Modification Factor	+	(0.0128)	¢/kWh
Net CPRE Rider Factor		0.0143	¢/kWh
Regulatory Fee Multiplier	×	1.001477	
CPRE Factor		0.0143	¢/kWh

GENERAL SERVICE AND LIGHTING

Prospective Component of CPRE		0.0261	¢/kWh
Experience Modification Factor	+	(0.0141)	¢/kWh
Net CPRE Rider Factor		(0.0120)	¢/kWh
Regulatory Fee Multiplier	×	1.001477	
CPRE Factor		0.0120	¢/kWh

INDUSTRIAL SERVICE

Prospective Component of CPRE		0.0253	¢/kWh
Experience Modification Factor	+	(0.0093)	¢/kWh
Net CPRE Rider Factor		0.0160	¢/kWh
Regulatory Fee Multiplier	×	1.001477	
CPRE Factor		0.0160	¢/kWh

**SUMMARY OF RIDER ADJUSTMENTS**

The following is a summary of Rider Adjustments that must be added to the bill calculated on the applicable rate schedule in order to compute the bill. The factors shown below include revenue-related taxes and regulatory fees. More specific information concerning these Riders is contained in the applicable Rider listed below.

<b><u>Residential Schedules RS, RE, ES, RT, RSTC, RETC</u></b>	<b><u>cents/kWh</u></b>	<b><u>Effective Date</u></b>
Fuel Cost Adjustment Rider	2.2957	9/1/23
Energy Efficiency Rider	0.3389	1/1/23
Existing DSM Program Costs Adjustment Rider	-0.0022	7/1/23
BPM Prospective Rider	-0.0128	7/1/23
BPM True-Up Rider	-0.0071	7/1/23
CPRE Rider	0.0143	9/1/23
EDIT-4 Rider	-0.4842	10/1/21
Storm Cost Recovery Rider	0.0000	6/1/21
<b>TOTAL cents/kWh</b>	<b>2.1426</b>	

<b><u>General Service Schedules SGS, BC, LGS, TS, S, OPT-E, OPT-V, PG, SGSTC</u></b>	<b><u>cents/kWh</u></b>	<b><u>Effective Date</u></b>
Fuel Cost Adjustment Rider	1.7463	9/1/23
Energy Efficiency Rider	0.6242	1/1/23
Existing DSM Program Costs Adjustment Rider	-0.0022	7/1/23
BPM Prospective Rider	-0.0128	7/1/23
BPM True-Up Rider	-0.0071	7/1/23
CPRE Rider	0.0120	9/1/23
EDIT-4 Rider	-0.2893	10/1/21
Storm Cost Recovery Rider	0.0000	6/1/21
<b>TOTAL cents/kWh</b>	<b>2.0711</b>	

<b><u>Lighting Schedules PL, OL, NL</u></b>	<b><u>cents/kWh</u></b>	<b><u>Effective Date</u></b>
Fuel Cost Adjustment Rider	1.7463	9/1/23
Energy Efficiency Rider	0.0000	1/1/23
Existing DSM Program Costs Adjustment Rider	-0.0022	7/1/23
BPM Prospective Rider	-0.0128	7/1/23
BPM True-Up Rider	-0.0071	7/1/23
CPRE Rider	0.0120	9/1/23
EDIT-4 Rider	-1.2461	10/1/21
Storm Cost Recovery Rider	0.0000	6/1/21
<b>TOTAL cents/kWh</b>	<b>0.4901</b>	

\* Qualifying customers who have opted out of the Company’s Energy Efficiency and/or Demand Side Management Programs are not subject to the applicable Energy Efficiency Rider charges based on the individual customer’s opt-out election. Refer to Rider EE to determine the Rider EE amount, if any, applicable to customers who have opted out.

SUMMARY OF RIDER ADJUSTMENTS

<u>Industrial Schedules I, OPT-E, OPT-V, PG</u>	<u>cents/kWh</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Fuel Cost Adjustment Rider	1.5793	9/1/23
Energy Efficiency Rider	0.6242	1/1/23
Existing DSM Program Costs Adjustment Rider	-0.0022	7/1/23
BPM Prospective Rider	-0.0128	7/1/23
BPM True-Up Rider	-0.0071	7/1/23
CPRE Rider	0.0160	9/1/23
EDIT-4 Rider	-0.2264	10/1/21
Storm Cost Recovery Rider	0.0000	6/1/21
<b>TOTAL cents/kWh</b>	<b>1.9710</b>	

<u>Schedule HP – General Service</u>	<u>cents/kWh</u>	<u>cents/kWh</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
	<u>Baseline</u>	<u>Incremental</u>	
Fuel Cost Adjustment Rider	1.7463	0.0000	9/1/23
Energy Efficiency Rider	0.6242	0.6242	1/1/23
Existing DSM Program Costs Adjustment Rider	-0.0022	-0.0022	7/1/23
BPM Prospective Rider	-0.0128	-0.0128	7/1/23
BPM True-Up Rider	-0.0071	-0.0071	7/1/23
CPRE Rider	0.0120	0.0120	9/1/23
EDIT-4 Rider	-0.2893	-0.2893	10/1/21
Storm Cost Recovery Rider	0.0000	0.0000	6/1/21
<b>TOTAL cents/kWh</b>	<b>2.0711</b>	<b>0.3248</b>	

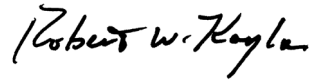
<u>Schedule HP – Industrial</u>	<u>cents/kWh</u>	<u>cents/kWh</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
	<u>Baseline</u>	<u>Incremental</u>	
Fuel Cost Adjustment Rider	1.5793	0.0000	9/1/23
Energy Efficiency Rider	0.6242	0.6242	1/1/23
Existing DSM Program Costs Adjustment Rider	-0.0022	-0.0022	7/1/23
BPM Prospective Rider	-0.0128	-0.0128	7/1/23
BPM True-Up Rider	-0.0071	-0.0071	7/1/23
CPRE Rider	0.0160	0.0160	9/1/23
EDIT-4 Rider	-0.2264	-0.2264	10/1/21
Storm Cost Recovery Rider	0.0000	0.0000	6/1/21
<b>TOTAL cents/kWh</b>	<b>1.9710</b>	<b>0.3917</b>	

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's Compliance Tariffs, in Docket Nos. E-7, Sub 1281 and 1282, has been served by electronic mail, hand delivery or by depositing a copy in the United States mail, postage prepaid to the parties of record.

This is the 25<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2023.



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