

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. E-2, SUB 1219

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of)	
Application of Duke Energy Progress, LLC, for Adjustment of Rates and Charges Applicable to Electric Utility Service in North Carolina)	ORDER ACCEPTING PREFILED TESTIMONY OF DYLAN W. D'ASCENDIS

BY THE PRESIDING COMMISSIONER: On October 30, 2019, Duke Energy Progress, LLC (DEP), filed its application for a general rate case in the above-captioned docket. The application was accompanied by prefiled direct testimony and exhibits (testimony) of several witnesses, including Robert B. Hevert (Hevert). In addition, on May 4, 2020, DEP subsequently filed rebuttal testimony of Hevert.

On June 30, 2020, DEP filed a motion requesting that Dylan W. D'Ascendis (D'Ascendis) be allowed to adopt Hevert's testimony. In summary, DEP explained that Hevert has left his position with Scott Madden, Inc., to accept a new position with Unutil Corporation and that D'Ascendis is adopting Hevert's testimony in full, with certain specified changes for context. DEP also attached to its motion the proposed testimony of D'Ascendis.

Based on DEP's motion and the record, the Presiding Commissioner finds good cause to allow D'Ascendis to adopt Hevert's prefiled direct and rebuttal testimony and to accept for filing the prefiled direct and rebuttal testimony of D'Ascendis.

IT IS, THEREFORE, SO ORDERED.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 7th day of July, 2020.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION



Janice H. Fulmore, Deputy Clerk