BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1214 DOCKET NO. E-2, SUB 1219

DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1214 In the Matter of Application of Duke Energy MOTION FOR EXTENSION Carolinas, LLC for Adjustment of Rates OF TIME TO FILE and Charges Applicable to Electric Utility COMMENTS ON THE FINAL Service in North Carolina LOW-INCOME AFFORDABILITY COLLABORATIVE REPORT DOCKET NO. E-2, SUB 1219 In the Matter of Application of Duke Energy Progress, LLC for Adjustment of Rates and Charges Applicable to Electric Service in North Carolina

The North Carolina Justice Center, North Carolina Housing Coalition, Natural Resources Defense Council, and Southern Alliance for Clean Energy (collectively, "Intervenors") respectfully request that the Commission grant a one-week extension of time for the filing of comments on the North Carolina Low-Income Affordability Collaborative Final Report.

In support of this Motion, Intervenors show that:

1. On October 5, 2022, in response to a motion by the Carolina Industrial Group for Fair Utility Rates, the Commission established a deadline of October 24, 2022 for participants in the North Carolina Low-Income Affordability Collaborative (LIAC) to file comments in response to the Final Report and its recommendations. The Commission set a deadline of November 7, 2022 for submitting reply comments.

- 2. Undersigned counsel participated in the LIAC on behalf of and alongside representatives of Intervenors (parties to the general rate cases from which the LIAC emerged).
- 3. The press of other business, including but not limited to the October 24, 2022 deadline for post-hearing filings in the Carbon Plan Docket (E-100, Sub 179), have interfered with completing comments on the LIAC report.
- 4. Staff transitions have occurred since the LIAC concluded and limited availability of staff among Intervenors over the last two weeks have also reduced the capacity to complete comments by October 24, 2022.
- 5. Intervenors have not reached all parties of record in the above captioned dockets or all participants in the LIAC prior to making this Motion. However, no party should be prejudiced by a one-week extension of time.

WHEREFORE, we respectfully request that the Commission grant this Motion for an Extension of Time and allow filing of comments on the LIAC report on or before Monday, October 31, 2022 and a corresponding one-week extension of time for filing Reply Comments to November 14, 2022.

Respectfully submitted this 21st day of October, 2022.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of the foregoing Motion for Extension of Time by North Carolina Justice Center, North Carolina Housing Coalition, Natural Resources Defense Council, and Southern Alliance for Clean Energy as filed today in Docket Nos. E-7, Sub 1214 and E-2, Sub 1219 has been served on all parties of record by electronic mail or by deposit in the U.S. Mail, first-class, postage prepaid.

This 21st day of October, 2022.	
/s/ David Neal	