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Ms. A. Shonta Dunston
Chief Clerk
North Carolina Utilities Commission
4325 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4300

**Re: Supplemental Testimony of Christy J. Walker
Docket No. E-2, Sub 1296**

Dear Ms. Dunston:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced proceeding on behalf of Duke Energy Progress, LLC (the "Company") is the confidential page to the *Supplemental Testimony of Christy J. Walker*.

The confidential portion of this filing contains confidential information. Information designated by the Company as confidential qualifies as "trade secrets" under N.C. Gen. Stat. § 66-1 52(3). Public disclosure of this information would allow access by external vendors to the projected or actual costs for services that will be or have been competitively bid, which may provide commercial value to such external vendors and may ultimately result in harm to ratepayers. Pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. § 132-1.2, the Company has redacted this confidential information from the public version of this filing and is contemporaneously filing the confidential pages under seal. The Company will make this information available to other interested parties pursuant to an appropriate nondisclosure agreement.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Ladawn S. Toon

cc: Parties of Record

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