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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

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North Carolina Utilities Commission
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**Re: Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC for Approval of Demand-Side
Management and Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Rider Pursuant to N.C.
Gen. Stat. § 62-133.9 and NCUC Rule R8-69
Docket No. E-7, Sub 1164**

Dear Ms. Jarvis:

I enclose Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's Motion for Witness Carolyn T. Miller to be Excused from Appearance at Evidentiary Hearing.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Electronically submitted
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Enclosure

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BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1164

In the Matter of)	
)	DUKE ENERGY CAROLINAS,
Application by Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC)	LLC’S MOTION FOR
for Approval of Demand-Side Management)	WITNESS CAROLYN T.
and Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Rider)	MILLER TO BE EXCUSED
Pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. §62-133.9 and)	FROM APPEARANCE AT
Commission Rule R8-68)	EVIDENTIARY HEARING

Now comes Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (“DEC” or the “Company”) and requests an order excusing Company witness Carolyn T. Miller from testifying at the June 5, 2018 evidentiary hearing in this docket. In support of this motion, DEC shows the following:

1. DEC witness Miller has pre-filed direct and exhibits in support of the Company’s Application in this docket and plans to file rebuttal testimony and exhibits this afternoon.

2. Counsel for DEC has consulted with counsel for all parties to this docket, and all parties agree to waive cross-examination of Company witness Miller and offer no objection to the introduction of her direct and rebuttal testimony and exhibits into the record.

Accordingly, DEC requests that Carolyn T. Miller be excused from appearing at the June 5, 2018 hearing in this docket and her pre-filed testimony and exhibits be accepted into evidence.

Respectfully submitted this 1st day of June, 2018.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's Motion for Witness Carolyn T. Miller To Be Excused From Appearance at Evidentiary Hearing in Docket No. E-7, Sub 1164 has been served by electronic mail (e-mail), hand delivery, or by depositing a copy in the United States Mail, first class postage prepaid, properly addressed to the parties of record.

This, the 1st day of June, 2017.

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