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Ms. Shonta Dunston, Chief Clerk  
North Carolina Utilities Commission  
Dobbs Building  
430 North Salisbury Street  
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*Re: In the Matter of Rulemaking Proceeding to Implement Performance-Based  
Regulation of Electric Utilities  
Docket No. E-100, Sub 178*

**Letter in Support of Motion for Leave to File Supplemental Reply  
Comments**

Dear Ms. Dunston:

Virginia Electric and Power Company, d/b/a Dominion Energy North Carolina (“DENC” or the “Company”), hereby files this *Letter in Support* of the Motion for Leave to File Supplemental Reply Comments (“Motion”) submitted on this date by Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC (“Duke”) in the above-captioned proceeding.

DENC has reviewed the Motion and supports Duke’s request that the Commission issue an order granting Duke and the Company (“Electric Utilities”) leave to file supplemental reply comments for the limited purpose of responding to the discrete issues detailed in paragraphs 13-15 of the Motion by the later of (1) January 12, 2022, or (2) seven days after the date on which the Commission grants the request. The Commission’s grant of this request would permit the Electric Utilities to respond to proposals made in reply comments submitted in this proceeding on December 17, 2021, to which the Electric Utilities would otherwise have no opportunity to respond.

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

Very truly yours,

/s/Andrea R. Kells

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing *Letter in Support*, as filed in Docket No. E-100, Sub 178, was served electronically or via U.S. mail, first-class, postage prepaid, upon all parties of record.

This, the 29<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2021.

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