## STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. ER-100, SUB 0 DOCKET NO. ER-100, SUB 2

## BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. ER-100, SUB 0	)
In the Matter of Rulemaking Proceeding to Implement Session Law 2011-252	) ) ORDER ALLOWING COMMENTS
DOCKET NO. ER-100, SUB 2	)
In the Matter of Petition to Amend Commission Rule R22-5	) )

BY THE CHAIRMAN: On March 4, 2015, the Public Staff - North Carolina Utilities Commission (Public Staff) filed a Rulemaking petition of the Public Staff in Docket No. E-100, Sub 2. The Public Staff requests that the Commission amend Commission Rule R22 and authorize electric resellers to collect a fee (a "return check charge"), not to exceed the amount permitted under G.S. 25-3-506, when a tenant pays a bill for resold electric service by check and the check is returned by the bank for insufficient funds or because the tenant does not have an account at the bank. In addition to the support the Public Staff provides for this change, the Public Staff attached a proposed amendment to Rule R22 as Amendment A to its filing.

The Public Staff also filed Public Staff Motion to Amend Form ER-2 in Docket No. E-100, Sub 0, on February 10, 2015. In its motion, the Public Staff requests that Form ER-2, the application form for transfer of authority to resell electric service be revised to identify the purchaser of the apartment complex as the applicant requesting the transfer of authority, to add a signature block for the seller and to specify the verification is meant for the purchaser because much of the information in the application would be known to the purchaser but not necessarily the seller. The Public Staff attached proposed changes to Form ER-2 as Attachment 1.

The Chairman finds good cause to allow comments from interested parties regarding the Public Staff's filings of February 10, 2015, and March 4, 2015.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that interested parties shall file comments regarding the two filings by Public Staff no later than March 24, 2015, and that reply comments be filed, if necessary, no later than April 1, 2015.

ISSUE BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the  $\underline{10^{th}}$  day of March, 2015.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

Hail L. Mount, Chief Clerk