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2 DATE: Tuesday, May 30, 2023
3 TIME: 2:00 p.m. - 2:05 p.m.
4 DOCKET NO: E-7, Sub 1283
5 BEFORE: Commissioner Daniel G. Clodfelter, Presiding
6 Chair Charlotte A. Mitchell
7 Commissioner ToNola D. Brown-Bland
8 Commissioner Kimberly W. Duffley
9 Commissioner Jeffrey A. Hughes
10 Commissioner Floyd B. McKissick, Jr.
11 Commissioner Karen M. Kemerait
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14 IN THE MATTER OF:

15 Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC,
16 for Approval of Renewable Energy and
17 Energy Efficiency Portfolio Standard (REPS)
18 Compliance Report and Cost Recovery Rider
19 Pursuant to N.C.G.S. § 62-133.8 and
20 Commission Rule R8-67
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P R O C E E D I N G S :

COMMISSIONER CLODFELTER: Good afternoon, everyone. Let's be seated and come to order. My name is Dan Clodfelter and I am the presiding Commissioner this afternoon in Docket No. E-7, Sub 1283 which is the Application by Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC for Approval of Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Portfolio Standard. With me today are Commission Chair Mitchell and Commissioners Brown-Bland, Duffley, Hughes, McKissick, and Kemerait. I remind Members of the Commission of our duty under the State Government Ethics Act to avoid conflicts of interest and inquire, at this time, whether any member of the Commission has a known conflict of interest with respect to this docket. Madam court reporter, please let the record show that no conflicts have been identified.

Ladies and Gentlemen, the Expert Witness Hearing for this docket has been canceled by agreement of the parties and by Order of the Commission, so the sole purpose for opening the hearing this afternoon is to inquire whether there is any member of the public who wishes to present public witness testimony, and I'll call now upon Public Staff to advise whether any persons have come forward notifying you that they wish

1 to present public witness today.

2 MS. LUHR: We have identified no witnesses
3 for this docket.

4 COMMISSIONER CLODFELTER: For reporter's
5 sake, I probably should have an announcement of
6 appearances, just for the record, so let's -- before I
7 jump the gun too far, let's do that. Mr. Kaylor.

8 MR. KAYLOR: Commissioner Clodfelter, Robert
9 Kaylor, appearing on behalf of Duke Energy Carolinas.

10 COMMISSIONER CLODFELTER: Great. And on
11 this side of the room, anyone?

12 (No response)

13 COMMISSIONER CLODFELTER: Just for purposes
14 of the record, that's all.

15 MR. MAGARIRA: Good afternoon. Munashe
16 Magarira, appearing behalf of North Carolina Justice
17 Center, North Carolina Housing Coalition and SACE.

18 COMMISSIONER CLODFELTER: Great. Thanks.

19 MR. TRATHEN: Good afternoon. Marcus
20 Trathen, appearing on behalf of the Carolina Utility
21 Customers Association.

22 MS. CRESS: Good afternoon. Christina Cress,
23 appearing on behalf of CIGFUR III.

24 MS. LUHR: Nadia Luhr with the Public Staff.

1 Also appearing with me is Anne Keyworth with the
2 Public Staff, on behalf of the Using and Consuming
3 Public.

4 COMMISSIONER CLODFELTER: Thank you. I have
5 been advised by counsel that there are no known public
6 witnesses, so let me inquire in the audience. Is
7 there any person here who wishes to provide public
8 witness testimony with respect to Docket E-7, Sub 1283
9 which is the Application for Approval of the REPS
10 Portfolio Standard by Duke Energy Carolinas.

11 (No response)

12 COMMISSIONER CLODFELTER: Going once, going
13 twice, and that's it. So with that, we will close the
14 public hearing record. Parties are advised, again,
15 that the expert witness has previously been canceled
16 pursuant to Order of the Commission. Thank you.

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18 WHEREUPON, this hearing is adjourned.

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I, TONJA VINES, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the
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