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September 24, 2021

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

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

**RE: Duke Energy Progress, LLC's Additional Affidavits of Publication
Docket No. E-2, Sub 1272**

Dear Ms. Dunston:

Attached for filing in the above-referenced docket are the remaining Affidavits of Publication, from the Fayetteville Observer and the Daily Dispatch (Henderson, North Carolina), that Duke Energy Progress, LLC had not received when the affidavits for the second Public Notice were filed on September 20, 2021.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Sincerely,

Jack E. Jirak

Enclosures

cc: Parties of Record

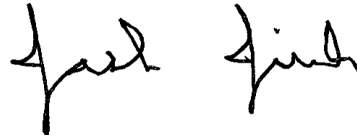
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of Duke Energy Progress, LLC's Additional Affidavits of Publication, in Docket No. E-2, Sub 1272, has been served by electronic mail, hand delivery, or by depositing a copy in the United States Mail, 1st Class Postage Prepaid, properly addressed to parties of record.

This the 24th day of September, 2021.



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AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

NORTH CAROLINA
Cumberland County

DUKE ENERGY BUSINESS SERVICES
410 S WILMINGTON ST
NCRH 20
RALEIGH, NC 27601

Before the undersigned, a Notary Public, duly commissioned and authorized to administer oaths, affirmations, etc., personally appeared said Legal Clerk. Who, being duly sworn or affirmed, according to law, doth depose and say that he/she is a LEGAL CLERK of DB North Carolina Holdings, Inc., a corporation organized and doing business under the Laws of the State of Delaware, and publishing a newspaper known as the FAYETTEVILLE OBSERVER, in the city of Fayetteville, County of Cumberland and State of North Carolina, and that as such he/she makes this affidavit; that he/she is familiar with the books, files and business of said Corporation and by reference to the files of said publication the attached advertisement was inserted in the aforesaid newspaper in space and on dates as follows:

September 7, 2021

and at the time of publication The Fayetteville Observer was a newspaper meeting all the requirements and qualifications prescribed by Sec. No. 1-597 G.S. of N.C.

The above is correctly copied from the books and files of the aforesaid corporation and publication.

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Legal Clerk

Amy Kokott

Notary Public, State of Wisconsin, County of Brown

6/30/2025

My commission expires

sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence by this the 23rd day of September, 2021.

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AMY KOKOTT
Notary Public
State of Wisconsin

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**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. E-2, SUB 1272

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of

Application of Duke Energy Progress, LLC, Pursuant to
N.C.G.S. § 62-133.2 and Commission Rule R8-55
Regarding Fuel and Fuel-Related Cost Adjustments for
Electric Utilities

SECOND PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the North Carolina Utilities Commission has scheduled a public hearing on an annual fuel and fuel-related charge adjustment proceeding for Duke Energy Progress, LLC (DEP). The public hearing has been scheduled to begin Tuesday, September 21, 2021, at 10:00 a.m., in Commission Hearing Room 2115, Dobbs Building, 430 North Salisbury Street, Raleigh, North Carolina. The proceeding is being held pursuant to the provisions of N.C.G.S. § 62-133.2 and Commission Rule R8-55 for the purpose of determining whether an increment or decrement rider is required in order to reflect changes in the cost of fuel and fuel-related costs over or under the base fuel rate established for DEP in its last general rate case. Public witness testimony will be received in accordance with Commission Rule R1-21(g).

Duke Energy Progress filed an application and testimony relative to the subject matter of the proceeding on June 15, 2021. The proposed change in rates is related to fuel and fuel-related costs. The proposed change would result in a decrease of the present fuel and fuel-related rates of all customer classes, with the amount of the decrease varying for different customer classes. The decrease in the monthly bill of a typical residential customer using 1,000 kilowatt hours per month would be \$0.10, excluding the regulatory fee.

Through supplemental testimony and exhibits filed on August 27, 2021, after the Public Notice of the original proposed Fuel rider rates had been published by DEP pursuant to the Commission's Scheduling Order, DEP revised its proposed fuel rates. The revisions, if approved by the Commission, would result in the present fuel and fuel-related rates, excluding regulatory fee, to increase by 0.1110 cents/kWh for residential customers, 0.1220 cents/kWh for small general service customers, 0.0800 cents/kWh for medium general service customers, 0.0560 cents/kWh for large general service customers, and 0.2450 for lighting customers. Proposed changes in all customers' Fuel rider rates would be effective for service rendered on and after December 1, 2021.

Further information may be obtained from the Office of the Chief Clerk, North Carolina Utilities Commission, on the Commission's website at www.ncuc.net.

The Public Staff is authorized by statute to represent consumers in proceedings before the Commission. Correspondence concerning the fuel adjustment proceeding and the hearing scheduled thereon should be directed to the Public Staff. Written statements to the Public Staff should include any information which the writers wish to be considered by the Public Staff in its investigation of the matter. Such statements should be addressed to Christopher J. Ayers, Executive Director, Public Staff, 4326 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4300.

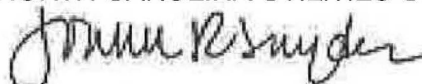
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ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 30th day of August, 2021.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION



Joann R. Snyder, Deputy Clerk



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NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

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Before the undersigned, a Notary Public of said County and State, duly commissioned, qualified, and authorized by law to administer oaths, personally appeared DIANE ROBBINS, who being first duly sworn, deposes and says: that she is Publisher (Owner; partner, publisher, or other officer or employee authorized to make this affidavit) of Henderson Newspapers, Inc., engaged in the publication of a newspaper known as The Daily Dispatch, published, issued, and entered as second class mail in the City of Henderson, in said County and State; that she is authorized to make this affidavit and sworn statement; that the notice or other legal advertisement, a true copy of which is attached hereto, was published in The Daily Dispatch on the following dates:

September 7, 2021

and that the said newspaper in which such notice, paper, document, or legal advertisement was published was, at the time of each and every such publication, a newspaper meeting all of the requirements and qualifications of Section 1-597 of the General Statutes of North Carolina and was a qualified newspaper within the meaning of Section 1-597 of the General Statutes of North Carolina.

This 13th Day of September, 2021

Diane Robbins

Sworn to and subscribed before me,
this 13th Day of September, 2021

Tamara Bates McGhee
Notary Public

My commission expires:
May 28, 2023

