STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. E-100, SUB 194

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

| In the Matter of | | |
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| Biennial Determination of Avoided Cost |) | ORDER REQUIRING THE FILING OF |
| Rates for Electric Utility Purchases from |) | PROPOSED ORDERS AND BRIEFS |
| Qualifying Facilities – 2023 |) | |

BY THE PRESIDING COMMISSIONER: On August 7, 2023, the Commission issued an Order Establishing Biennial Proceeding, Requiring Data, and Scheduling Public Hearing, which established deadlines for the filing of comments. In that Order the Commission noted that although it retained the right to convene an evidentiary hearing to receive oral testimony on any issue, given the recurring nature of the issues and decisions which have traditionally arisen in these proceedings the Commission would seek to resolve all issues arising in this docket based on the record developed through filings in the docket rather than a full evidentiary hearing for the purpose of receiving expert testimony. Upon review of the filings in the docket, the Commission determines that a full evidentiary hearing is not required.

Based on the foregoing, the Commission finds good cause to order the parties to file proposed orders and briefs on or before May 10, 2024.

IT IS, THEREFORE, SO ORDERED.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 10th day of April, 2024.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

A. Shonta Dunston, Chief Clerk

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