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DOCKET NO. G-5, Sub 495

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of)	ATTORNEY GENERAL'S
Application of Public Service Company)	MOTION FOR
of North Carolina, Inc. for a General)	EXTENSION OF
Increase In its Rates and Charges)	TIME TO FILE BRIEFS

Attorney General Roy Cooper respectfully requests that the Commission issue an order extending the deadline for filing briefs and proposed orders in this matter from Thursday, October 2, 2008 until Monday, October 6, 2008. In support of this motion, the Attorney General's Office (AGO) shows the following:

1. The evidentiary hearing in this matter was convened on August 26, 2008, and the deadline for filing of briefs and proposed orders is Thursday October 2 according to the Notice of Mailing of the Transcript.

2. The undersigned attorney has worked diligently on preparation of the brief in this matter by the October 2 deadline, but the ability to meet the deadline has been hampered by demands concerning other matters. In addition to the preparation of the brief in this case, the undersigned attorney prepared for the evidentiary hearing in the Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc. general rate case on September 9, and the brief in that case, which is due October 1, one day before the deadline in this case. (The AGO is seeking an extension of time for filing of the Piedmont brief as well.) Additionally, the undersigned attorney filed a 24 page brief in the Court of Appeals in *State v. Hueto*, on September 17.

3. The AGO therefore requests that the time for filing briefs and proposed orders by all parties be extended 2 business days (4 calendar days) to and including October 6, 2008.

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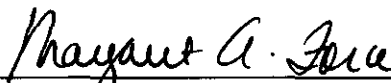
Respectfully submitted on this the 29th day of September, 2008.



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that she has served a copy of the foregoing ATTORNEY GENERAL'S MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME upon the parties of record in this proceeding by hand delivery or depositing a copy of the same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid this the 29th day of September, 2008.



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