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Ms. Shonta Dunston Chief Clerk Office of the Chief Clerk North Carolina Utilities Commission 4325 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-4325

Re: Docket No. E-100, Sub 161

Dear Ms. Dunston:

In accordance with the North Carolina Utilities Commissions' April 5, 2024, Order, the Mission:data Coalition ("Mission:data) filed sur-reply comments in the above referenced docket on April 19, 2024. The filing consisted of a cover letter, a comment letter and two Attachments that were attached to the comment letter, referenced therein and identified by link to the source of the Attachments. The hard copies of the Attachments filed with the comments apparently were not in the correct format and consequently were rejected by the Office of the Chief Clerk. Although referenced in the cover letter and attached thereto, the Attachments did not identify the docket number where the comments and Attachments were to be filed. The comment letter (and the cover letter) specifically included an identification to that docket number.

Rule 1-8 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure states that "All pleadings, papers and correspondence relating to formal proceedings to which docket numbers have been assigned shall refer to such docket numbers." Consequently, the Clerks' Office declined to accept the Attachments but did accept the cover letter and comment letter.

Each party served in this matter received the comment letter and the Attachments.

Moreover, reference to the Attachments in the comment letter identified the Attachments by link.

Thus, all parties have been served with all materials Mission:data intended to be part of the record. There has been no prejudice to any party participating in this docket. Nevertheless, to

comply with the Clerk's requirements and interpretation of Rule 1-8, Mission:data is now filing the Attachments initially rejected by the Clerk with the proper identification to Docket Number E-100, Sub 161.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. We appreciate the Clerk's Office attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

/<u>s/</u> Kurt J. Olson, Esq.

cc: Counsel of Record