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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA **UTILITIES COMMISSION** RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. E-100, SUB 140

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of ORDER GRANTING MOTION Biennial Determination of Avoided Cost) TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL Rates for Electric Utility Purchases from) AND SUBSTITUTING NEW COUNSEL Qualifying Facilities - 2014

BY THE CHAIRMAN: On April 24, 2018, Gudrun Thompson, Katie Ottenweller and Peter D. Stein (Movants) filed a joint Motion for Withdrawal and Substitution of Counsel for SACE, pursuant to Commission Rule R1-7 and Rule 1.16 of the North Carolina State Bar Rules of Professional Conduct, requesting that the Commission enter an order allowing Ms. Thompson and Ms. Ottenweller to withdraw from serving as the attorneys of record on behalf of the Southern Alliance for Clean Energy (SACE) in the abovecaptioned docket, and substituting Mr. Stein as counsel for SACE. Movants state that Mr. Stein, an employee of the Southern Environmental Law Center, is an attorney in good standing with the North Carolina State Bar, and that Mr. Stein consents to electronic service of documents pursuant to Commission Rule R1-39.

After careful consideration, the Chairman finds that there is justifiable cause to grant the Motion.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED as follows:

- That Gudrun Thompson and Katie Ottenweller are hereby allowed to 1. withdraw as counsel for SACE.
 - That Peter D. Stein is hereby.

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