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Ms. A. Shonta Dunston, Chief Clerk North Carolina Utilities Commission Dobbs Building 430 North Salisbury Raleigh, North Carolina 27603

Re: Direct Testimony filed on behalf of Environmental Defense Fund

Docket No. E-2, Sub 1318 and Docket No. EC-67, Sub 55

Dear Ms. Dunston:

On behalf of Environmental Defense Fund ("EDF"), I hereby submit the following direct testimony in the above-referenced docket proceeding:

- 1. Direct Testimony of Bill McAleb on behalf of EDF (Confidential);
- 2. Direct Testimony of Bill McAleb on behalf of EDF (Redacted).

The pre-filed direct testimony will be filed and served electronically and also handdelivered in paper copy to the Commission in the manner required by Commission Rules. A confidential version of Mr. McAleb's testimony will be filed under seal and served to parties who have executed the proper confidentiality agreement.

Best regards,

/s/ Benjamin W. Smith Benjamin W. Smith Counsel

Enclosures

cc: Parties of Record

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of the foregoing document has been served by electronic mail, hand delivery, or by depositing a copy in the United States Mail, first-class postage prepaid, properly addressed to parties of record.

This the 24th day of June, 2024.

By: /s Benjamin W. Smith

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