

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
UTILITIES COMMISSION  
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1228  
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BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1228 )  
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In the Matter of )  
Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, )  
Pursuant to N.C.G.S. § 62-133.2 and )  
Commission Rule R8-55 Regarding Fuel )  
and Fuel-Related Cost Adjustments for )  
Electric Utilities )  
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DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1229 )  
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In the Matter of )  
Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, )  
for Approval of Renewable Energy and )  
Energy Efficiency Portfolio Standard )  
Cost Recovery Rider Pursuant to N.C.G.S. )  
§ 62-133.8 and Commission Rule R8-67 )  
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DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1230 )  
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In the Matter of )  
Application by Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, )  
for Approval of Demand-Side Management )  
and Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Rider )  
Pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. §62-133.9 and )  
Commission Rule R8-69 )  
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DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1231 )  
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In the Matter of )  
Application by Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, )  
for Approval of CPRE Cost Recovery Rider )  
Pursuant to N.C.G.S. § 62-110.8 and )  
Commission Rule R8-71 )

ORDER ALLOWING  
WITHDRAWAL AND  
SUBSTITUTION OF  
COUNSEL

BY THE CHAIR: On July 10, 2020, Warren K. Hicks and Christina D. Cress (Movants) filed a Motion for Substitution of Counsel in the above-captioned dockets, pursuant to Commission Rules R1-7 and R1-23, and Rule 1.16(b) of the North Carolina Rules of Professional Conduct. Movants requested that the Commission enter an order

allowing Ms. Hicks to withdraw from serving as the attorney of record for Carolina Industrial Group for Fair Utility Rates (CIGFUR), and that Ms. Cress be allowed to serve as the attorney of record for CIGFUR. Movants stated that Ms. Hicks has accepted employment as a senior staff attorney with the North Carolina Utilities Commission effective July 13, 2020, which precludes her from continuing to represent CIGFUR, and that Ms. Cress, Attorney at Law with the firm of Bailey & Dixon, LLP, will represent CIGFUR in these dockets. Further, Movants stated that they provided notice to CIGFUR of Ms. Hick's withdrawal, and that they believe that her withdrawal can be accomplished without resulting in any material adverse effect on the interests of CIGFUR.

Based on the foregoing and the record in these dockets, the Chair finds that there is justifiable cause to grant the Motion.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that Warren K. Hicks is allowed to withdraw as counsel for CIGFUR, and Christina D. Cress is substituted as counsel for CIGFUR in the above-captioned dockets.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 13th day of July, 2020.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Janice H. Fulmore".

Janice H. Fulmore, Deputy Clerk