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## **VIA Electronic Filing**

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

Re: Filing with Quarterly Surveillance Report Period Ended December 31, 2023

Docket No. M-1, Sub 12PSNC

Dear Ms. Dunston:

Pursuant to the North Carolina Utilities Commission's ("Commission") January 30, 2020 *Order Requiring Electronic Filing of Quarterly Financial and Operational Data* in Docket No. M-100, Sub 157, enclosed is the quarterly surveillance report on Commission Form GS-1 for Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. ("PSNC") for the period ended December 31, 2023.

Due to methodological and timing differences between the data presented in this report and the manner in which PSNC would otherwise calculate pro forma rate base and income for ratemaking purposes for the relevant period, PSNC respectfully submits that the information reflected on the attached report should be used for informational purposes only. The report is not an accurate reflection of the Company's reporting for ratemaking purposes.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions regarding this submittal.

Very truly yours,

<u>/s/Mary Lynne Grigg</u>

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cc: Gina C. Holt Byron W. Hinson B. Craig Collins Glory Creel NCUC Form G.S.-1

Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc.

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Pursuant to the North Carolina Utilities Commission's ("Commission") January 30, 2020 Order Requiring Electronic Filing of Quarterly Financial and Operational Data in Docket No. M-100, Sub 157, enclosed in the quarterly surveillance report, on Commission Form G.S.-1, for Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. for the period ending December 31, 2023

Due to methodological and timing differences between the data presented in this report and the manner in which PSNC would otherwise calculate pro forma rate base and income for ratemaking purposes for the relevant period, PSNC respectfully submits that the information reflected on the attached report should be used for informational purposes only. The report is not an accurate reflection of the Company's reporting for ratemaking purposes.

NCUC Form G.S.-1 Rate of Return Calculations Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2023

NC Rate Base Method Schedule 1 (\$000s)

		13-Mo Avg	13-Mo Avg			Overall	Net
Line		Total	Capitalization	Capital/	Embedded	Cost/	Operating
No.	Item	Capitalization	Ratio	Rate Base	Cost	Rate %	Income
		[a]	[b]	[c]	[d]	[e]	[f]
				Total Comp	any		
1	Long-Term Debt	\$821,499	34.22%	\$821,499	4.39%	1.50%	\$36,100
2	Short-Term Debt	276,705	11.53%	276,705	5.27%	0.61%	14,574
3	Common Equity	1,302,559	54.26%	1,302,559	7.59%	4.12%	98,874
4	Total Capitalization [1]	\$2,400,763	100.01%	\$2,400,763		6.23%	\$149,548
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				North Carolina	a Retail		
5	Long-Term Debt	\$821,499	37.50%	\$769,532	4.39%	1.65%	\$33,782
6	Short-Term Debt	276,705	12.63%	259,178	5.27%	0.67%	13,651
7	Common Equity	1,092,735	49.88%	1,023,580	7.19%	3.59%	73,581
8	Total Capitalization [2]	\$2,190,939	100.02%	\$2,052,086	_	5.91%	\$121,014
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				Residual	[3]		
9	Long-Term Debt	\$0	0.00%	\$51,967	4.39%	0.00%	\$2,318
10	Short-Term Debt	0	0.00%	17,527	5.27%	0.00%	923
11	Common Equity	209,824	100.00%	278,979	9.07%	9.07%	25,293
12	<b>Total Capitalization</b>	\$209,824	100.00%	\$348,473	· ·	9.07%	\$28,534

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<sup>[2]</sup> Schedule 2, Page 2 of 3

<sup>[3]</sup> Total Company less North Carolina Retail

NCUC Form G.S1	Financial Method
Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges	Schedule 1a
Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc.	(\$000s)
Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2023	

13		Total
Line		Company/
No.	Item	North Carolina
	Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges	
1	Consolidated Net Income	\$99,257 [1]
	Fixed Charges	
2	Interest on Debt	\$50,510
3	Amortization of debt discount and expense	165
4	Fixed Charges (L2+L3)	\$50,675
	Taxes	
5	Federal Income Tax	\$16,481
6	State Income Tax	(459)
7	Income Tax on Other Income (including subsidiaries)	5,375
8	Property Taxes	11,562
9	Total Taxes	\$32,959
10	Earnings Available for Fixed Charges (L1+L4+L9)	\$182,891
11	Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges (L4/L10)	360.91%
	No four quarters ending shall be less than 175%	

[1] Consolidated net income less after tax earnings of subsidiaries plus cash distributions

NCUC Form G.S.-1 Capital Structure Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2023 NC Rate Base Method Schedule 2 Page 1 of 3 (\$000s)

	Tot	Total Company Capital Structure				
Line		Long-term	Short-term	Common	Total Capital	
No.		Debt [1]	Debt	Equity	[a] + [b] + [c]	
		[a]	[b]	[c]	[d]	
	Balance at end of:					
1	Dec-22	798,459	387,387	1,244,269	2,430,115	
2	Jan-23	798,466	367,663	1,272,797	2,438,926	
3	Feb-23	798,473	294,474	1,300,912	2,393,859	
4	Mar-23	798,480	246,077	1,316,442	2,360,999	
5	Apr-23	798,487	247,782	1,324,292	2,370,561	
6	May-23	798,494	228,836	1,324,025	2,351,355	
7	Jun-23	798,501	251,075	1,315,570	2,365,146	
8	Jul-23	798,508	267,965	1,310,724	2,377,197	
9	Aug-23	798,515	270,520	1,304,970	2,374,005	
10	Sep-23	798,522	304,562	1,296,601	2,399,685	
11	Oct-23	798,529	312,317	1,294,538	2,405,384	
12	Nov-23	948,064	195,516	1,303,867	2,447,448	
13	Dec-23	947,988	222,994	1,324,261	2,495,243	
14	Total	\$10,679,485	\$3,597,170	\$16,933,268	\$31,209,923	
15	13 Month Average (L14/13)	\$821,499	\$276,705	\$1,302,559	\$2,400,763	
16	Capitalization Ratio	34.22%	11.53%	54.26%	100%	
17	Actual Interest Accrued	\$36,100				
18	Average Embedded Cost (L17/L15)	4.39%				

<sup>[1]</sup> Long Term Debt reflects gross current maturities, less unamortized debt expense and includes operating leases

NCUC Form G.S.-1 Capital Structure Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2023 NC Rate Base Method Schedule 2 Page 2 of 3 (\$000s)

	NC Retail Capital Structure				
Line		Long-term	Short-term	Common	Total Capital
No.		Debt	Debt [1]	Equity [2]	[a] + [b] + [c]
		[a]	[b]	[c]	[d]
	Balance at end of:				
1	Dec-22	798,459	387,387	1,034,445	2,220,291
2	Jan-23	798,466	367,663	1,062,973	2,229,102
3	Feb-23	798,473	294,474	1,091,088	2,184,035
4	Mar-23	798,480	246,077	1,106,618	2,151,175
5	Apr-23	798,487	247,782	1,114,468	2,160,737
6	May-23	798,494	228,836	1,114,201	2,141,531
7	Jun-23	798,501	251,075	1,105,746	2,155,322
8	Jul-23	798,508	267,965	1,100,900	2,167,373
9	Aug-23	798,515	270,520	1,095,146	2,164,181
10	Sep-23	798,522	304,562	1,086,777	2,189,861
11	Oct-23	798,529	312,317	1,084,714	2,195,560
12	Nov-23	948,064	195,516	1,094,043	2,237,624
13	Dec-23	947,988	222,994	1,114,437	2,285,419
14	Total	\$10,679,485	\$3,597,170	\$14,205,556	\$28,482,211
15	13 Month Average	\$821,499	\$276,705	\$1,092,735	\$2,190,939

37.50%

12.63%

16 Capitalization Ratio

100%

49.88%

<sup>[1]</sup> Short-term debt reflects actual short term debt

<sup>[2]</sup> Schedule 2, Page 3 of 3

Common Equity excludes Acquisition Adjustment

NCUC Form G.S.-1 Capital Structure Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2023 NC Rate Base Method Schedule 2 Page 3 of 3 (\$000s)

North Carolina Reta	Il Common Equity
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		Consolidated	Exclude	Net
Line		Common	Acquisition	Common
No.	Month	Equity	Adjustment	Equity [1]
		[a]	[c]	[e]
	Balance at end of:			
1	Dec-22	1,244,269	(209,824)	1,034,445
2	Jan-23	1,272,797	(209,824)	1,062,973
3	Feb-23	1,300,912	(209,824)	1,091,088
4	Mar-23	1,316,442	(209,824)	1,106,618
5	Apr-23	1,324,292	(209,824)	1,114,468
6	May-23	1,324,025	(209,824)	1,114,201
7	Jun-23	1,315,570	(209,824)	1,105,746
8	Jul-23	1,310,724	(209,824)	1,100,900
9	Aug-23	1,304,970	(209,824)	1,095,146
10	Sep-23	1,296,601	(209,824)	1,086,777
11	Oct-23	1,294,538	(209,824)	1,084,714
12	Nov-23	1,303,867	(209,824)	1,094,043
13	Dec-23	1,324,261	(209,824)	1,114,437
14	Total	\$16,933,268	(\$2,727,712)	\$14,205,556

15 13 Month Average

\$1,092,735

[1] Net Common Equity does not reflect common equity adjustments from last rate case

NCUC Form G.S.-1 Rate Base Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2023

NC Rate Base Method Schedule 3 (\$000s)

			Accumulated		Misc	Lead/	Net	
Line		Plant in	<b>Provision for</b>	Deferred	Working	Lag	Regulatory	Rate Base
No.	Item	Service [1]	Depreciation [1]	Income Taxes [1]	Capital	CWC [2]	Assets	Sum [a] - [f]
		[a]	[b]	[c]	[d]	[e]	[f]	[g]
	Total Company/NC R	etail	_					
	Balance at:							
1	Dec-22	3,252,494	(1,000,691)	(375,503)	19,689	21,466	102,279	2,019,735
2	Jan-23	3,257,954	(1,006,550)	(375,098)	11,796	21,502	101,253	2,010,857
3	Feb-23	3,277,055	(1,012,730)	(374,826)	10,101	21,629	100,453	2,021,681
4	Mar-23	3,285,301	(1,018,580)	(373,792)	6,978	21,683	100,811	2,022,402
5	Apr-23	3,292,717	(1,023,946)	(373,670)	5,055	21,732	100,510	2,022,399
6	May-23	3,301,421	(1,029,730)	(373,582)	6,971	21,789	101,122	2,027,991
7	Jun-23	3,321,742	(1,034,748)	(376,562)	8,672	21,923	100,196	2,041,223
8	Jul-23	3,333,892	(1,040,894)	(376,523)	9,384	22,004	99,949	2,047,811
9	Aug-23	3,350,700	(1,046,704)	(376,300)	10,806	22,115	100,065	2,060,682
10	Sep-23	3,370,089	(1,052,248)	(369,269)	13,738	22,243	99,220	2,083,772
11	Oct-23	3,382,744	(1,057,675)	(370,075)	16,201	22,326	99,182	2,092,703
12	Nov-23	3,392,602	(1,064,149)	(369,699)	11,399	22,391	98,325	2,090,870
13	Dec-23	3,440,201	(1,070,952)	(363,809)	8,753	22,705	98,089	2,134,988
14	Total	\$43,258,912	(\$13,459,596)	(\$4,848,709)	\$139,544	\$285,509	\$1,301,454	\$26,677,114
15	13 Month Average	\$3,327,609	(\$1,035,354)	(\$372,978)	\$10,734	\$21,962	\$100,112	\$2,052,086

<sup>[1]</sup> Rate Base does not reflect adjustments from last rate case

<sup>[2]</sup> Lead/Lag CWC calculated as .0066, determined at 2021 Rate Case times monthly net plant

NCUC Form G.S1	NC Rate Base Method
Income Statement	Schedule 4
Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc.	Page 1 of 2
Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2023	(\$000s)

		Total
Line		Company/
No.	Item	North Carolina
		[a]
1	Operating Revenues	
2	Residential Sales	\$425,218
3	Commercial Sales [2]	198,295
4	Industrial Sales [2]	800
5	Public Authority Sales	0
6	Sales for Resale	0
7	Other Gas Sales	0
8	Total Sales of Gas (Sum L2 - L7)	\$624,313
9	Other Operating Revenues	
10	Gas Transportation for Others	\$69,730
11	Other Operating Revenues	\$4,909
12	Total Gas Operating Revenues (L8 + L10 + L11)	\$698,952
13	Operating Evponces	
14	Operating Expenses Purchased Gas	¢202 707
		\$282,707
15	Maintenance Expense	49,525
16	Other Operating Expense [1]	119,836
17	Taxes Other Than Income Taxes	16,539
18	Total Operating Expenses (Sum L14 - L17)	\$468,607
19	Depreciation and Amortization	\$87,383
20	Total Expenses and Depreciation	\$555,990
21	Operating Taxes	
22	Federal Income Tax Liability	(\$40,441)
23	Federal Income Tax - Deferred	60,001
24	Investment Tax Credit (ITC) Normalization	0
25	Amortization of ITC	0
26	Total Federal Income Taxes (Sum L22 - L25)	\$19,560
27	State Income Tax Liability	(\$2,578)
28	State Income Tax - Deferred	4,966
29	Total State Income Taxes	\$2,388
30	Total Operating Taxes (Sum L26 - L28)	\$21,948
31	Total Operating Expenses, Depreciation and Taxes (L30 + L20)	\$577,938
32	Net Operating Income (L12-L31)	\$121,014
	( Net of Interest on Customer Deposits)	

<sup>[1]</sup> Includes interest on customer deposits of \$556,566 see MFR Page 4.8

<sup>[2]</sup> Revenues are categorized as commercial or industrial based on categories in Rule R6-19.2

NCUC Form G.S1	Financial Method
Income Statement	Schedule 4
Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc.	Page 2 of 2
Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2023	(\$000s)

No.         Item         North Carolina (a)           31         Other Income         (a)           32         Allow for Equity Funds Used During Construction         \$2,709           33         Equity and Earnings of Subsidiary Companies         2,795           34         Interest and Dividend Income         5,024           35         Miscellaneous Income         21,204           36         Total Other Income (Sum L32 - L35)         \$31,732           37         Other Deductions         2           38         Miscellaneous Income Deductions [2]         \$2,144           39         Taxes Applicable to Other Income & Deductions         (144)           40         Total Other Income Deductions (L38 + L39)         \$2,000           41         Interest Charges         165           42         Interest on Long-term Debt         \$35,935           43         Amortization of Debt Discount and Expense         165           44         Interest on Advances from Affiliated Companies         0           45         Other Interest Expense [1]         16,924           46         Allowance for Borrowed Funds Used During Construction         (1,155)           47         Total Interest Charges (Sum L42 - L46)         \$51,869 <td< th=""><th>Line</th><th></th><th>Total Company/</th></td<>	Line		Total Company/
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49 Extraordinary & Delayed Items 0	47	Total Interest Charges (Sum L42 - L46)	\$51,869
49 Extraordinary & Delayed Items 0			
	48	Net Income Before Extraordinary and Delayed Items	\$98,874
50 Net Income (Loss) \$98,874	49	Extraordinary & Delayed Items	0
	50	Net Income (Loss)	\$98,874

<sup>[1]</sup> Excludes interest on customer deposits of \$556,566 see MFR Page 4.8

NCUC Form G.S1	Financial Method
Condensed Balance Sheet	Schedule 5
Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc.	(\$000s)
Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2023	

Line No.	Item	Total Company Booked (a)
1	Assets	( )
2	Gas Utility Plant in Service (excluding CWIP)	\$3,683,533
3	Less: Accum Depreciation & Amortization	\$1,100,576
4	Net Plant in Service	\$2,582,957
5	Plus: Materials and Supplies	71,514
6	Net Plant in Service and Materials and Supplies	\$2,654,471
7	CWIP	127,796
8	Other Assets	536,526
9	Total Assets	\$3,318,793
10	Liabilities And Member's Equity	
11	Common Equity	1,324,261
12	Long-term Debt	950,730
13	Total Capitalization (L11+L12)	\$2,274,991
14	Short-term Debt	222,994
15	Advances from Parent or Affiliate	0
16	Accumulated Deferred Income Taxes	300,142
17	Other Liabilities & Deferred Credits	520,666
18	Total Liabilities	\$3,318,793

NCUC Form G.S.-1 Comparative Data Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2023 NC Rate Base Method Schedule 6 Page 1 of 2 (\$000s)

		Total Company/North Carolina					
		Test Yea	ar 12 Months E	nded	•		
		Dec	ember 31, 202	.0			
		End of P	Period After Inc	rease	Act	ual Operations	;
		NCUC [	Oocket G-5, Sul	o 632	Twelve Months	•	
Line		-	Expenses				s as % of:
No.	Item	Revenue	Revenue	Expenses	Revenue	Revenue	Expenses
		[a]	[b]	[c]	[d]	[e]	[f]
1	Operating Revenues						
2	Gross Operating Revenues	\$575,094	100.00%		\$698,952	100.00%	
3	Operating Revenue Deductions						
4	Cost of Gas	\$218,682	38.03%	45.86%	\$282,707	40.45%	48.96%
5	Operating and Maintenance Expenses	141,094	24.53%	29.59%	168,804	24.15%	29.24%
6	Depreciation and Amortization	79,719	13.86%	16.72%	87,383	12.50%	15.13%
7	Taxes Other than Income Taxes	18,975	3.30%	3.98%	16,539	2.37%	2.86%
8	Taxes - State Income	2,004	0.35%	0.42%	2,388	0.34%	0.41%
9	Taxes - Federal Income	16,409	2.85%	3.44%	19,560	2.80%	3.39%
10	Total Operating Expenses	\$476,883	82.92%	100.00%	\$577,381	82.61%	100.00%
11	Interest on Customer Deposits	587	0.10%		557	0.08%	
12	Net Operating Income for Return (L2-L10-L11)	\$97,624	16.98%		\$121,014	17.31%	

NCUC Form G.S.-1 Comparative Data Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2023 NC Rate Base Method Schedule 6 Page 2 of 2 (\$000s)

		Rate Base		
		Test Year 12-Months Ended 13-Month Ave		
		December 31, 2020	<b>Actual Operations</b>	
		End of Period After Increase	12-Months Ended	
		NCUC Docket G-5, Sub 632	December 31, 2023	
Line		Total	Total	
No.	Item	Company	Company	
		[a]	[b]	
13	Gas Utility Plant in Service	\$2,978,034	\$3,327,609	
14	Less: Accumulated Provision for Depreciation	(912,701)	(1,035,354)	
15	Net Plant in Service (Sum of L13 & L14)	2,065,333	2,292,255	
16	Working Capital - Other	(19,941)	10,734	
17	Working Capital - Lead Lag [1]	13,657	21,962	
18	Deferred Regulatory Assets	0	100,112	
19	Less: Deferred Income Taxes	(356,990)	(372,978)	
20	Original Cost Rate Base (L15 thru L19)	\$1,702,059	\$2,052,085	

<sup>[1]</sup> O&M Expenses x 0.0963 in Rate Case

NCUC Form G.S.-1 Long-Term Debt and Interest Charges Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2023

NC Rate Base Method/Financial Method Schedule 7 (\$000s)

Interest

Interest

							merese	interest
							Booked for	Annualized
							12 Months	on O/S Long-
Line	Type of Obligation	Issue	Maturity	Face	Amount	Interest	Ended	Term Debt
No.	(Bonds, Debentures, Notes, etc.)	Date	Date	Amount	Outstanding	Rate	This Report	[e] x [d]
		[a]	[b]	[c]	[d]	[e]	[f]	[g]
1	6.99% Due 2026	01/01/96	01/15/26	50,000	50,000	6.99%	3,495	3,495
2	7.45% Due 2026	12/15/96	12/15/26	50,000	50,000	7.45%	3,725	3,725
3	3.10% Due 2051	03/18/21	03/18/51	150,000	150,000	3.10%	4,650	4,650
4	6.16% Due 2033	11/15/23	11/15/33	75,000	75,000	6.16%	593	4,620
5	6.73% Due 2053	11/15/23	11/15/53	75,000	75,000	6.73%	645	5,048
6	4.13% Due 2046	06/22/16	06/22/46	100,000	100,000	4.13%	4,130	4,130
7	4.18% Due 2047	06/30/17	06/30/47	150,000	150,000	4.18%	6,270	6,270
8	4.33% Due 2028	06/15/18	06/15/28	100,000	100,000	4.33%	4,330	4,330
9	4.05% Due 2030	03/30/20	03/30/30	200,000	200,000	4.05%	8,100	8,100
10	Total Senior Debt			\$950,000	\$950,000		35,938	44,368
11	Operating Leases	Various	Various	0	352			
12	Other LTD	Various	Various				(3)	
13	Unamortized Debt Expense, Discount, &	k Premium			(2,364)		165	165
14	Current Portion of Long-Term Debt							
15	Total Long Term Debt			\$950,000	\$947,988		\$36,100	\$44,533

NCUC Form G.S.-1 Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2023

Total Company/North Carolina

					Number of Cu	ıstomers	Informational Only
Line		Operating		Revenue per	-		Avg DT Usage
No.	Sales Classification	Revenues	DT's Sold	DT Sold	<b>End of Period</b>	Average	per Customer
		[a]	[b]	[c]	[d]	[e]	[f]
1	Residential	\$ 425,217,541	27,903,783	\$15.24	603,044	594,744	46.92
2	Commercial [1]	151,582,790	15,073,253	10.06	46,968	46,613	323.37
3	Industrial [1]	47,511,520	8,055,536	5.90	321	318	25,345.16
4	Total	\$624,311,851	51,032,572	\$12.23	650,333	641,675	79.53
5	Gas Transported for Others	\$ 69,729,698	92,318,581	\$0.76	387	391	236,411.22

<sup>[1]</sup> Revenues are categorized as commercial or industrial based on Rate Schedule

NCUC Form G.S.-1
NCUC Form G.S.-1 vs. NCUC Fee
Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc.
Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2023

NC Jurisdictional Revenue Schedule 9 (\$000s)

Line		
No.	Item	Total Co
		[a]
1	Total Revenues per Schedule 4	\$698,952
2	Exclude CIAC Gross-Up	(188)
3	Miscellaneous	(699) [1]
4	Adjust for Recoveries in Excess of Write-Off	0
5	Uncollectibles	(1,378)
6	Revenues Subject to Fee	696,687
7	Regulatory Fee Rate	0.14%
8	Regulatory Fee	\$998
[1]	exclude refund liability Total	(699) (\$699)

[2] Blended rate of 0.1438% utilized due to 1/2 of the reporting period being at 0.14% and 1/2 of the reporting period being at 0.1475%

#### VERIFICATION

### DOCKET NO. M-1, Sub 12PSNC

#### STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

#### COUNTY OF GASTON

The undersigned, Glory J. Creel, being first duly sworn, says that (i) she is Rates & Regulatory Specialist for Public Service Company of North Carolina, Incorporated ("PSNC"), and, as such, she is authorized, and has been designated by PSNC, to make this proof on its behalf; (ii) she has read the foregoing report and the matters and things stated therein are true of her own knowledge, except as to those matters and things stated therein on information and belief, and as to those, she believes them to be true.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 27 th day of February, 2024.

Wendy A. Murphy, Notary Public

My Commission Expires: March 24, 2028

[OFFICIAL SEAL]



#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing *Quarterly Surveillance Report for the Period Ended December 31, 2023*, as filed in Docket No. M-1, Sub 12PSNC, was served via electronic delivery or mailed, first-class, postage prepaid, upon all parties of record.

This, the 28th day of February, 2024.

/s/Mary Lynne Grigg

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