

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. E-2, SUB 1167
DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1166

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of	
Application of Duke Energy Progress, LLC,)	
and Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, for)	ORDER REQUIRING ADDITIONAL
Approval of Solar Rebate Program)	INFORMATION
Pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. § 62-155(f))	

BY THE COMMISSION: On November 6, 2020, the Commission issued an Order Modifying the Fourth Year of Solar Rebate Program and Requesting Additional Comments on the Solar Rebate Program (Order) offered by Duke Energy Progress, LLC (DEP), and Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (DEC) (collectively, Duke). In pertinent part, the Order solicited comments from the parties addressing appropriate modifications to the current incentive amounts as directed by the Order, including a tiered rebate program.

Pursuant to the Order, the parties filed initial comments on December 4, 2020, and reply comments on December 15, 2020. After reviewing the parties' comments, the Commission finds that it requires additional information from Duke. Therefore, the Commission finds good cause to require Duke to respond to the following:

1. Provide an evaluation of the program cost implications for the Commission's consideration should the Commission accept the tiered rebate structure proposed by Duke in its initial comments;
2. Provide a report on how the Solar Rebate Program application technology architecture performs when the application period opens on Wednesday, January 6, 2021;
3. Provide a report on the number of applications received and fulfillment for the residential, commercial, and nonprofit classes for the application period opening on Wednesday, January 6, 2021;
4. Please explain the relationship between the amount of a customers' electric bill/electricity usage and the size of their installed system; and
5. Please provide additional information on the capacity and number of residential installations receiving rebates based on the updated end of year 2020 rebate recipients. Specifically, the number of installations, average size (installed AC capacity), and estimated average income for different size intervals such as: 0 to 2.50 KW, 2.51 to

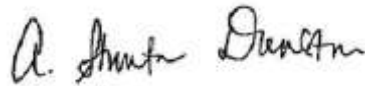
5 KW, 5.01 to 7.5, 7.51 to 10.0 KW, 10.01 to 12.5, and greater than 12.5 KW. Also, if available, provide the average monthly or yearly energy usage for customers falling in the different intervals.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that on or before Monday, January 25, 2021, Duke shall file responses to the questions enumerated herein.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 30th day of December, 2020.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

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A. Shonta Dunston, Deputy Clerk