

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. E-100, SUB 165

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of		
2020 Biennial Integrated Resource Plan)	ORDER GRANTING MOTION
Reports and Related 2020 REPS)	FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
Compliance Plans by Duke Energy)	TO FILE DOCUMENTS
Carolinas and by Duke Energy Progress)	

BY THE PRESIDING COMMISSIONER: On August 24, 2021, the Commission issued an Order Scheduling Technical Conference and Denying Motion for Evidentiary Hearing (Technical Conference Order), in the above-captioned docket. The Technical Conference Order, among other things, scheduled an in-person technical conference for September 30 and October 1, 2021, identified three main topics to be discussed, and designated several parties as presenters of information.

On September 15, 2021, based on recent developments surrounding the COVID pandemic the Commission issued an Order changing the technical conference from an in-person conference to a remotely held conference, and requiring that on or before September 23, 2021, the attorneys for the presenters file all written and audio visual materials (written materials) to be used by the presenters at the technical conference.

On September 17, 2021, Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (DEC), and Duke Energy Progress, LLC (DEP, collectively Duke), and the Public Staff (collectively with Duke, Movants), filed a joint motion requesting that the Commission extend the date for all parties to file their written materials to September 27, 2021. In summary, Movants stated that Duke and the Public Staff have been working diligently to prepare written materials addressing each of the three topics that the Commission identified for discussion at the technical conference, and that in response to the Commission's September 15, 2021 Order, Movants are working to expedite preparation of their written materials. Movants further stated that due to the schedules of subject matter experts involved in developing the written materials and to ensure that their written materials reflect a thorough discussion of the three topics, Movants require additional time to finalize their written materials. Finally, Movants stated that they have contacted via electronic mail counsel for all parties of record regarding their motion, that counsel for the Carolina Industrial Group for Fair Utility Rates, Electricities of North Carolina, Inc., Southern Alliance for Clean Energy, Inc., Natural Resources Defense Council, Sierra Club, Carolinas Clean Energy Business Association, North Carolina Sustainable Energy Association, Carolina Utility Customers Association, Inc., NC WARN, and the Attorney General's Office confirmed they have no objection to the motion, and that no counsel for any party has raised an objection.


Based on the foregoing and the record, the Presiding Commissioner finds good cause to grant Movants' request that all presenters have until Monday, September 27, 2021, to file written and audio visual materials to be used by the presenters at the technical conference. The Presiding Commissioner adds that to the extent that written materials on a particular topic are ready for filing prior to September 27, 2021, parties are encouraged to go ahead and file those written materials.

IT IS, THEREFORE, SO ORDERED.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 20th day of September, 2021.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Lindsey A. Worley". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Lindsey A. Worley, Acting Deputy Clerk