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RE: Docket No. E-100, SUB 90 NC GreenPower Board Appointments

I respectfully submit for consideration the following self-nomination for appointment to the NC GreenPower Board of Directors Energy Finance seat. I have served on the NC GreenPower board since 2016 and I am currently serving in the consumer/environmental advocacy seat. I feel that my background in energy finance and previous experience with energy modeling for NC GreenPower is well suited to assist the board with any needed energy finance work.

I am currently a Senior Policy Associate at the Nicholas Institute for Environmental Policy Solutions at Duke University. I have a Master of Environmental Management degree from Duke University, a Master of Business Administration degree from the University of Michigan, and an undergraduate degree in Economics from the University of California in San Diego. Over the past nine years, I have been involved with many key energy organizations in the triangle area including the Nicholas Institute and the Environmental Finance Center at UNC Chapel Hill. I have hands-on knowledge about the renewable energy and financing issues facing public institutions, businesses and consumers today, especially those in North Carolina. In addition to my current work in clean energy, energy efficiency and environmental finance, I have over 13 years of consumer and small business banking experience including commercial lending, product management, and online services. As a member of NC GreenPower's Board of Directors, I will continue to call upon this knowledge of clean energy as well as the strategic planning, marketing, and finance knowledge I gained from my years in small business and consumer banking.

Thank you for your consideration. If you have any questions or need further detail, pleased do not hesitate to contact me at the information below.

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