

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
UTILITIES COMMISSION  
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. E-2, SUB 1314  
DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1289

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of

Petition of Duke Energy Progress, LLC,	)	<b>VERIFIED MOTION FOR LIMITED PRACTICE</b>
and Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC,	)	
Requesting Approval of Green Source	)	
Advantage Choice Program Rider GSAC	)	

Pursuant to North Carolina General Statute § 84-4.1 and Rule RI-22 of the North Carolina Utilities Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, John J. McNutt, an employee of the United States Army Legal Services Agency and designated representative for the United States Department of Defense and all other Federal Executive Agencies ("DoD/FEA") pursuant to 40 U.S.C. § 501(c), respectfully requests the Commission to enter an order admitting him to practice before the Commission for the purpose of appearing on behalf of DoD/FEA in the instant matter. In compliance with the requirements of North Carolina General Statute § 84-4.1, John J. McNutt hereby states:

1. John Joseph McNutt is in good standing in all jurisdictions within which he is admitted to practice. His business address, contact information, and bar membership numbers are:

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District of Columbia Bar No. 491341

2. John J. McNutt is an employee of and in-house counsel with the United States Army - an agency within the United States Department of Defense - and is duly authorized to represent DoD/FEA in this proceeding.

3. Unless permitted to withdraw sooner by order of the North Carolina Utilities Commission, John J. McNutt will continue to represent DoD/FEA in this proceeding until its final determination, and with reference to all matters incident to this proceeding, agrees to be subject to the orders and amenable to the disciplinary action and the civil jurisdiction of the General Court of Justice of the North Carolina State Bar in all respects as if Mr. McNutt were a regularly admitted and licensed member of the Bar of North Carolina in good standing.

4. The District of Columbia in which John J. McNutt is in good standing and regularly admitted to practice grants permission to members in good standing of the North Carolina State Bar to appear before courts and regulatory commissions under circumstances similar to those authorized by North Carolina General Statute § 84-4.1.

5. John J. McNutt has associated and is personally appearing in the proceeding with United States Army attorney Paul A. Raaf, who is a resident of North Carolina and a member of the North Carolina State Bar, in good standing, with a North Carolina Bar Number of 24060, who has agreed to be responsible for filing a registration statement with the North Carolina State Bar and is duly and legally admitted to practice in the General Court of Justice of North Carolina upon whom service may be had in all matters connected with the legal proceedings, or any disciplinary matter, with the same effect as if personally made on Mr. McNutt within this state.



Paul A. Raaf's contact information is:

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6. John J. McNutt has no prior disciplinary actions against him in the District of Columbia and has never had a *pro hac vice* admission revoked in any jurisdiction.

7. A fee in the amount of two-hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$225.00) to the North Carolina Utilities Commission is being transmitted contemporaneously with the filing of this Motion. A copy of the check, redacted of any personal or bank account information, is attached to this Motion.

**WHEREFORE**, John J. McNutt respectfully requests the Commission to enter an order admitting him to practice before the Commission for the purpose of appearing on behalf of the United States Department of Defense and all other Federal Executive Agencies in the instant matter.

Dated this 15<sup>th</sup> day of September 2023

Respectfully submitted,



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VERIFICATION

John J. McNutt, first being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the attorney with and for the United States Army Legal Services Agency, that he has read the foregoing Motion for Limited Practice and that the same is true of his personal knowledge, except as to any matters and things therein stated on information and belief, and, as to those, he believes them to be true, and that he is authorized to appear in this matter on behalf of the United States Department of Defense and all other Federal Executive Agencies.

Dated this 15th day of September 2023



John J. McNutt

State of VIRGINIA  
County of Fairfax

Sworn to and subscribed before me,

this the 15<sup>th</sup> day of September 2023



[Affix SEAL OF NOTARY]

Notary Public

Farzana Barjor Maneksha  
Printed Name of Notary Public

My Commission expires: 01-31-2025



Farzana Barjor Maneksha  
Commonwealth of Virginia  
Notary Public  
Commission No: 7744219  
My Commission Expires: Jan/31/2025

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, John J. McNutt, hereby certify that all persons on the docket service list have been served true and accurate copies of the foregoing Motion for Limited Practice by email transmission with the party's consent.

Dated this ~~1<sup>st</sup>~~  
20<sup>th</sup> day of September 2023



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