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Via Electronic Filing

Ms. A. Shonta Dunston Chief Clerk North Carolina Utilities Commission 4325 Mail Service Center Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4300

Re: In the Matter of Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, for Adjustment of Rates and Charges Applicable to Electric Service in North Carolina and for Performance-Based Regulation

Docket No. E-7, Sub 1276

Dear Ms. Dunston:

On behalf of Blue Ridge Electric Membership Corporation, Haywood Electric Membership Corporation, Piedmont Electric Membership Corporation, and Rutherford Electric Membership Corporation (collectively, "Blue Ridge EMC et al."), please accept this letter for filing in the above-referenced docket. This letter is provided in lieu of a Supplemental Post-Hearing Brief.

Blue Ridge EMC et al. have had an opportunity to review the Supplemental Post-Hearing Brief of the Carolina Industrial Group for Fair Utility Rates III ("CIGFUR III") filed today in the above-referenced docket, and hereby indicate their support for and agreement with the argument raised in CIGFUR III's Supplemental Post-Hearing Brief.

Please contact me directly should you have any questions.

Best regards,

Electronically submitted
/s/ Christina D. Cress
Counsel for Blue Ridge EMC et al.

cc: Parties of Record

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned attorney for Blue Ridge EMC et al. hereby certifies that she caused the foregoing letter to be served upon counsel of record for all parties and prospective parties to this proceeding, consistent with the Service List maintained by the NCUC Chief Clerk's office, by electronic mail.

This the 6th day of November, 2023.

/s/ Christina D. Cress