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

> RE: Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's Quarterly Surveillance Report E.S.-1 Docket No. M-1, Sub 12DEC

Dear Ms. Dunston:

Pursuant to the North Carolina Utilities Commission's ("Commission") January 30, 2020 Order Requiring Electronic Filing of Quarterly Financial and Operational Data in Docket No. M-100, Sub 157, I enclose Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's ("DEC") verified quarterly surveillance report, Commission Form E.S.-1, for the period ending September 30, 2023 for filing in connection with the referenced matter. Pursuant to the requirements of Docket No. E-7, Sub 1032, I also enclose supplemental schedules related to demand-side management and energy efficiency.

In this report, the use of composite allocation factors from the December 31, 2022 Cost of Service Study and current book numbers give a somewhat different perspective than would a cost of service study using the same 12 months data. In addition, different methodologies are used in arriving at the Income for Return and Rate Base Components for ratemaking purposes than are represented in this report. Therefore, DEC respectfully submits that this report should be used for informational purposes only and not for jurisdictional ratemaking purposes.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Jack E. Jirak

Enclosure

cc: Parties of Record

NCUC Form E.S.-1 Rate of Return Calculations Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC Twelve Months Ended 30-Sep-2023

N.C. Rate Base Method Schedule 1 (\$000s)

			Total Company (Booked)											
Line <u>No.</u>		<u>ltem</u>		Average <u>Capital</u>	Average Capital <u>Ratio</u>		Rate Base	Average Embedded <u>Cost</u>	Overall Cost/ <u>Rate %</u>		Total Company <u>Earnings</u>			
				(a)	(b)		(c)	(d)	(e)		(f)			
	ong-term Debt		\$	15,111,558	48.95%	\$	15,111,558	4.67%	2.28%	\$	705,284			
	eferred Stock			-	0.00%		- -	0.00%	0.00%		-			
	embers' Equity			15,762,402	51.05%		15,762,402	8.22%	4.20%	\$	1,295,598			
4 To	otal Capitalization		\$	30,873,959	100.00%	\$	30,873,959		6.48%	\$	2,000,883			
				Total Comp	any Booked			Wholesale & Other Elec	tric Operations Portio	<u>n</u>				
5 Loi	ong-term Debt		\$	15,111,558	48.95%	\$	1,187,602	4.67%	2.29%	\$	55,461			
6 Pre	eferred Stock			-	0.00%		-	0.00%	0.00%		-			
	embers' Equity			15,762,402	51.05%		1,238,552	5.75%	2.94%		71,214			
8 To	otal Capitalization		\$	30,873,959	100.00%	\$	2,426,154		5.22%	\$	126,675			
								North Carolina Retail	Electric Jurisdiction					
	ong-term Debt		\$	15,111,558	48.95%	\$	9,232,994	4.67%	2.29%	\$	431,181			
	eferred Stock			-	0.00%		-	0.00%	0.00%		-			
	embers' Equity			15,762,402	51.05%		9,629,098	10.02%	5.11%		964,713			
12 To	otal Capitalization		\$	30,873,959	100.00%	\$	18,862,092	[A] [C]	7.40%	\$	1,395,894			
								South Carolina Retail	Electric Jurisdiction					
	ong-term Debt referred Stock		\$	15,111,558 -	48.95% 0.00%	\$	3,102,309	4.67% 0.00%	2.29% 0.00%	\$	144,878 -			
15 Me	embers' Equity			15,762,402	51.05%		3,235,401	10.31%	5.26%		333,436			
16 To	otal Capitalization		\$	30,873,959	100.00%	\$	6,337,710		7.55%	\$	478,314			
								Other Company Operation	ons - Residual Balance	<u>es</u>				
	ong-term Debt		\$	15,111,558	48.95%	\$	1,588,652	4.67%	2.27%	\$	73,764			
	eferred Stock			-	0.00%		-	0.00%	0.00%		-			
	embers' Equity			15,762,402	51.05%		1,659,351	-4.45%	-2.27%	<u> </u>	(73,765)			
20 To	otal Capitalization		\$	30,873,959	100.00%	\$	3,248,003		0.00%	\$	(0)			

[[]A] If adjusted for weather, this rate would be 10.80%.

[[]B] This rate is based on historical information and average rate base over a 13-month period. It is not reflective of expected future returns. Future returns will be impacted by significant rate base additions, new costs, and the elimination of one-time expenses occurring in the historical period.

[[]C] Allocation factors based on 2022 Cost of Service.

NCUC Form E.S.-1 Rate of Return Calculations Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges - SEC Method Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC Twelve Months Ended 30-Sep-2023

Financial Method Schedule 1a (\$000s)

Line			Total								
No.	<u>Item</u>		Company		<u>Wholesale</u>		NC Retail		SC Retail		<u>Other</u>
			(a)		(b)		(c)		(d)		(e)
1	Rate of Return on Investment										4-1
2	Net Operating Income (Schedule 4, Line 34)	\$	2,000,883	\$	126,675	Ş	1,395,894	\$	478,314	\$	(0)
3	Net Investment Including Materials and Supplies (Schedule 5, Line 7)	\$	35,226,887	\$	3,198,022	\$	23,922,090	\$	8,106,775	\$	-
4	Rate of Return on Investment (L2 / L3)		5.68%		3.96%		5.84%		5.90%		0.00%
5	Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges (SEC)										
6	Net Income (Schedule 4, Line 55)	\$	1,411,995	\$	71,214	\$	964,713	\$	333,436	\$	42,630
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7 8	Add Back: Federal Income Tax Including Investment Credits (Schedule 4, Line 28) [A]	\$	122,358	ć	8,817	۲.	60,941	Ļ	52,280	Ļ	319
9	State Income Tax (Schedule 4, Line 29 + Line 30) [B]	Ş	11,324	Ş	1,995	Ş	16,390	Ş	(4,009)		(3,052)
10	Total Net Income Plus Income Taxes (L6 + L8 + L9)	Ś	1,545,677	Ś	82,026	Ś	1,042,044	Ś	381,708		39,897
10	Total Net intollie Tax intollie Taxes (25 · 25 · 25)	<u> </u>	1,545,677	7	02,020	7	1,042,044	Υ	301,700	<u> </u>	33,031
11	Fixed Charges										
12	Interest Expense Excluding Allowance for Funds Used During Constr. [C]	\$	703,086	\$	55,461	\$	434,758	\$	145,743	\$	67,124
13	1/3 Rentals Included in Fixed Charges		38,149		2,508		26,495		9,146		-
14	Total Fixed Charges (L12 + L13)	\$	741,235	\$	57,969	\$	461,253	\$	154,889	\$	67,124
15	Earnings as Adjusted (L10 + L14)	Ċ	2,286,912	ċ	139,995	ċ	1,503,298	ċ	536,596	<u> </u>	107,021
15	Earnings as Aujusteu (L10 + L14)	ې	2,280,912	Ą	135,553	Ą	1,303,298	Ą	330,390	۲	107,021
16	Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges (L15 / L14)		3.09		2.41		3.26		3.46		1.59
17	Common Stock Dividends Paid/Declared		n/a								
18	Number of Shares Outstanding: (Rounded to thousands)										
19	End of Period		n/a								
20	Yearly Average		n/a								

[[]A] Includes below the line federal income taxes of \$319.

[[]B] Includes below the line state income taxes of -\$3,052.

[[]C] Includes interest on customer deposits of \$3,577 for NC Retail and \$865 for SC Retail.

NCUC Form E.S.-1 Capital Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC Twelve Months Ended 30-Sep-2023

N.C. Rate Base Method Schedule 2 (\$000s)

					Total	Total
Line		Long-term		Preferred	Members'	Capital
No.	<u>ltem</u>	<u>Debt*</u> (a)		<u>Stock</u> (b)	<u>Equity</u> (c)	(col. a+b+c) (d)
1	Total Company	(a)		(b)	(C)	(u)
2	Balance at end of:					
3	Sep 2022	\$ 14,059,367	\$	- \$	15,112,119	\$ 29,171,485
4	Oct 2022	14,079,837		-	15,214,505	29,294,342
5	Nov 2022	14,056,986		-	15,292,203	29,349,189
6	Dec 2022	14,102,625		-	15,439,746	29,542,371
7	Jan 2023	15,926,869		-	15,552,437	31,479,306
8	Feb 2023	15,945,139		-	15,613,161	31,558,299
9	Mar 2023	14,957,589		-	15,734,338	30,691,927
10	Apr 2023	14,958,366		-	15,801,785	30,760,151
11	May 2023	14,990,733		-	15,903,638	30,894,371
12	Jun 2023	15,822,356		-	16,025,154	31,847,510
13	Jul 2023	15,844,307		-	16,272,910	32,117,217
14	Aug 2023	15,850,593		-	16,412,353	32,262,946
15	Sep 2023	15,855,483		-	16,536,874	32,392,357
16	Total (Sum L3 through L15)	\$ 196,450,250	\$	- \$	204,911,221	\$ 401,361,471
17	13 Month Average (L16 / 13 Months)	\$ 15,111,558	\$	- \$	15,762,402	\$ 30,873,959
18	13 Month Average Ratio	48.95%		0.00%	51.05%	100.00%
19	Net Proceeds		NA			
20	Allocation of Total Company Data					
21	Wholesale Jurisdiction Amount	\$ 1,187,602	\$	- \$	1,238,552	\$ 2,426,154
22	N.C. Retail Electric Jurisdiction Amount	\$ 9,232,994	\$	- \$	9,629,098	\$ 18,862,092
23	S.C. Retail Electric Jurisdiction Amount	\$ 3,102,309	\$	- \$	3,235,401	\$ 6,337,710
24	Other Company Operations Amount	\$ 1,588,652	\$	- \$	1,659,351	\$ 3,248,003
25	Actual Interest Accrued for the Period (Schedule 4, L46 + L47 + L48)	\$ 705,284				
26	Average Embedded Cost for the Period (Col. a, L23/L16)	4.67%				

^{*}Long-term Debt includes Current Maturities

NCUC Form E.S.-1 Rate Base Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC Twelve Months Ended 30-Sep-2023

N.C. Rate Base Method Schedule 3 (\$000s)

IWE	ve Months Ended 30-3ep-2023					_	Cost Free	Capital			
Line <u>No.</u>			Plant in Service		CWIP <u>Allowed</u>	Accumulated Provision for Depreciation	Accumulated Deferred Income Taxes	Operating <u>Reserves</u>	Working Capital <u>Allowance</u>	Rate Base (a+b+c+d+e+f)	Total Company Booked <u>CWIP</u>
1	Total Company Jurisdictional Data		(a)		(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)
2	Balance at end of:										
3	Sep 2022	\$	47,699,551	\$	- \$	(18,110,861)	\$ (4,439,228)	\$ (321,917) \$	1,078,576 \$	25,906,121	2,905,567
4	Oct 2022	,	48,320,217	*	- "	(18,150,275)	(4,439,541)	(314,516)	1,096,089	26,511,975	2,585,185
5	Nov 2022		48,447,357		-	(18,247,356)	(4,509,774)	(309,134)	1,112,504	26,493,598	2,741,136
6	Dec 2022		48,641,755		-	(18,147,874)	(4,493,168)	(378,753)	1,244,273	26,866,233	2,668,055
7	Jan 2023		48,879,580		-	(18,203,727)	(4,493,815)	(372,755)	1,234,149	27,043,431	2,674,215
8	Feb 2023		49,026,369		-	(18,233,554)	(4,493,833)	(365,843)	1,239,098	27,172,237	2,688,193
9	Mar 2023		49,301,109		-	(18,344,934)	(4,596,677)	(360,786)	1,292,466	27,291,178	2,734,884
10	Apr 2023		49,538,325		-	(18,459,672)	(4,180,112)	(354,287)	1,322,218	27,866,472	2,822,611
11	•		49,798,176		-	(18,468,069)	(4,181,836)	(349,581)	1,368,483	28,167,173	2,736,251
12	Jun 2023		50,489,221		-	(18,444,036)	(4,231,620)	(345,684)	1,375,671	28,843,553	2,183,236
13	Jul 2023		50,584,064		-	(18,504,604)	(4,249,864)	(339,685)	1,348,440	28,838,352	2,303,713
14	Aug 2023		50,796,131		-	(18,579,575)	(4,251,588)	(332,670)	1,337,832	28,970,129	2,423,655
15	Sep 2023		50,944,157		-	(18,648,075)	(4,397,189)	(272,046)	1,540,131	29,166,977	2,457,220
16	Total (Sum L3 through L15)	\$	642,466,014	\$	- \$	(238,542,611)	\$ (56,958,246)	\$ (4,417,656) \$	16,589,931 \$	359,137,431	\$ 33,923,921
17	13 Month Average (L16 / 13 Months)	\$	49,420,463	\$	- \$	(18,349,432)	\$ (4,381,404)	\$ (339,820) \$	1,276,149 \$	27,625,956	\$ 2,609,532
18	Allocation of Total Company Jurisdictional Data										
19	Wholesale Electric Jurisdiction Amount	\$	4,510,549	\$	- \$	(1,672,091)	\$ (384,273)	\$ (32,693) \$	4,662 \$	2,426,154	\$ -
20	N.C. Retail Electric Jurisdiction Amount	\$	33,518,495	\$	- \$	(12,448,613)	\$ (3,027,122)			18,862,092	
21	S.C. Retail Electric Jurisdiction Amount	\$	11,391,419	\$	- \$	(4,228,729)				6,337,710	
22	Other Company Operations	\$	-	\$	- \$	- :	\$ -	\$ - \$		(0)	\$ 2,609,532

NCUC Form E.S.-1 Income Statement Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC Twelve Months Ended 30-Sep-2023 N.C. Rate Base Method Schedule 4 Page 1 of 2 (\$000s)

Line			Total				
<u>No.</u>	<u>ltem</u>		Company	Wholesale (b)	NC Retail	SC Retail	Other
1	OPERATING REVENUES		(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
2	Residential Sales	\$	3,308,116 \$	- \$	2,469,810 \$	838,306 \$	_
3	Commercial Sales	*	2,498,971	-	1,953,447	545,524	_
4	Industrial Sales		1,309,735	_	761,133	548,602	-
5	Public Street Lighting Sales		51,548	_	41,443	10,105	-
6	Sales for Resale		629,708	589,966	29,846	9,895	-
7	Joint Dispatch		80,522	7,521	53,819	19,182	_
8	Provision for Rate Refund		(375)	-	(375)	-	_
9	Unbilled Revenue		8,864	-	11,251	(2,387)	-
10	Income Tax Reform		52,289	-	40,351	11,938	-
11	Total Sales of Electricity (Sum L2 through L10)	\$	7,939,378 \$	597,488 \$	5,360,724 \$	1,981,166 \$	-
12	Other Electric Revenues		206,117	44,248	122,165	39,704	-
13	Total Electric Operating Revenues (Sum L11 through L12)	\$	8,145,495 \$	641,736 \$	5,482,889 \$	2,020,870 \$	=
14	OPERATING EXPENSES						
15	Fuel Used in Electric Generation	\$	1,995,517 \$	184,782 \$	1,341,639 \$	469,096 \$	-
16	Purchased Power		176,727	21,175	17,270	138,282	-
17	Purchased Power - Joint Dispatch		243,927	22,784	163,034	58,109	-
18	Maintenance		551,554	37,557	374,377	139,620	-
19	Other Operating Expenses (Except Taxes) (A)		1,076,218	64,578	756,865	254,774	<u> </u>
20	Total Operating Expenses (Sum L15 through L19)	\$	4,043,943 \$	330,877 \$	2,653,185 \$	1,059,881 \$	-
21	Depreciation and Amortization		1,602,384	141,868	1,115,459	345,057	<u> </u>
22	Total Expenses and Depreciation (Sum L20 through L21)	\$	5,646,327 \$	472,745 \$	3,768,644 \$	1,404,938 \$	-
23	OPERATING TAXES						
24	Federal Income Tax Liability	\$	129,028 \$	7,025	89,292 \$	32,710	0
25	Federal Income Tax - Deferred		(2,752)	2,296	(25,255)	20,206	0
26	Investment Tax Credit (ITC) Normalization		-	-	-	-	-
27	Amortization of Investment Tax Credits (ITC)		(4,237)	(504)	(3,096)	(637)	-
28	Total Federal Taxes - Operating (Sum L24 through L27)		122,039 \$	8,817 \$	60,941 \$	52,280 \$	0
29	State Income Tax		28,143	1,532	19,476	7,135	0
30	State Income Tax - Deferred		(13,767)	463	(3,086)	(11,143)	0
31	Other Operating Taxes (General)		361,870	31,504	241,019	89,347	-
32	Total Operating Taxes (Sum L28 through L31)	\$	498,285 \$	42,316 \$	318,350 \$	137,618 \$	0
33	Total Operating Expenses, Depreciation & Taxes (L22 - L32)	\$	6,144,612 \$	515,061 \$	4,086,994 \$	1,542,556 \$	0
34	Net Operating Income Net of Interest on Customer Deposits (L13 - L33)	\$	2,000,883 \$	126,675 \$	1,395,894 \$	478,314 \$	(0)
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NCUC Form E.S.-1 Income Statement Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC Twelve Months Ended 30-Sep-2023 Financial Method Schedule 4 Page 2 of 2 (\$000s)

Line			Total							
No.	<u>ltem</u>		<u>Company</u>		<u>Wholesale</u>	NC Retail		SC Retail		<u>Other</u>
25	OTUED INCOME		(a)		(b)	(c)		(d)		(e)
35	OTHER INCOME Allow for Equity Funds Used During Construction	ć	91,803	Ļ	- \$	-	۲.	-	<u>,</u>	01.003
36 37	Equity and Earnings of Subsidiary Companies	\$	91,803	Þ	- \$	-	Þ	-	Þ	91,803
38	Interest and Dividend Income (A)		- 6,579		-	-		-		- 6,579
39	Miscellaneous Income		88,243		-	-		-		88,243
40	Total Other Income (Sum L36 through L39)	Ś	186,625	ć	- - \$		ć	-	ć	186,625
40	Total Other Income (Sum ESO through ESS)	Ą	180,023	J	- ب		Ţ	_	ب	180,023
41	OTHER DEDUCTIONS									
42	Miscellaneous Income Deductions	\$	147,101	\$	- \$	-	\$	-	\$	147,101
43	Taxes Applicable to Other Income & Deductions		(6,828)		-	-		-		(6,828)
44	Total Other Deductions (Sum L42 through L43)	\$	140,273	\$	- \$	-	\$	-	\$	140,273
45	INTEREST CHARGES									
46	Interest on Long-term Debt	\$	692,115	\$	54,425 \$	· ·	\$	142,173	\$	72,387
47	Amortization of Debt Discount and Expense		13,276		1,044	8,117		2,727		1,389
48	Amortization of Premium on Debt (Cr.)		(107)		(8)	(66)		(22)		(11)
49	Interest on Advances from Affiliated Companies		- (0.010)		-	-		-		- (0.000)
50	Other Interest Expense [A]		(6,646)		-	-		-		(6,646)
51	Allowance for Borrowed Funds Used During Constr.	Ś	(63,396)	_	-	- 124 124	_	- 111.070	_	(63,396)
52	Total Interest Charges (Sum L46 through L51)	\$	635,242	\$	55,461 \$	431,181	\$	144,878	\$	3,722
53	Net Income Before Extraordinary and Delayed Items (L34 + L40 - L44 - L52)	\$	1,411,993	\$	71,214 \$	964,713	\$	333,436	\$	42,630
54	Extraordinary & Delayed Items		1		-	-		-		1
55	Net Income (L53 + L54)	-	1,411,995	ć	71,214 \$	964,713	ć	333,436	ć	42,630
55	Net Income (LSS + LS4)	3	1,411,555	Ą	71,214 \$	304,713	ې	333,430	ې	42,030
56	Less Preferred Dividends		-		-	-		_		-
57	Net Income Available for Members' (Common) Equity	\$	1,411,995	\$	71,214 \$	964,713	\$	333,436	\$	42,630
58	Members' Equity Capital - Year End (Schedule 5, Line 16)	\$	16,541,684		1,501,713 \$			3,806,743		-
59	Members' Equity Capital - Simple Average	\$	15,829,306	\$	1,437,040.50 \$	10,749,462.46	\$	3,642,803.53	\$	-
60	Rate of Return on Members' Equity - Year End		8.54%		4.74%	8.59%		8.76%		0.00%
61	Rate of Return on Members' (Common) Equity - Simple Average		8.92%		4.96%	8.97%		9.15%		0.00%

[A] Excludes interest on customer deposits of \$3,577 for NC Retail and \$865 for SC Retail.

Financial Method

Schedule 5 (\$000s)

NCUC Form E.S.-1 Condensed Balance Sheet Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC Twelve Months Ended 30-Sep-2023

24 Other Liabilities

25 Total Liabilities (Sum L18 through L24)

Line			Total Company	Allocation		Wholesale	Allocation		NC Retail	Allocation		SC Retail	Other Company
No.	<u>Item</u>		Booked	Factor		Operations	Factor		Operations	Factor		Operations	Operations
1			(a)	(b)		(c)	(d)		(e)	(f)		(g)	(h)
2	<u>ASSETS</u>												
3	Electric Plant in Service	\$	53,299,278	9.0898%	\$	4,844,793	67.8449%	\$	36,160,817	23.0654%	\$	12,293,668	-
4	Less: Accumulated Depreciation & Amortization		19,582,623	9.0855%		1,779,179	67.8621%		13,289,179	23.0524%		4,514,265	-
5	Net Plant in Service (L3 - L4)	\$	33,716,655		\$	3,065,613		\$	22,871,638		\$	7,779,404	-
6	Plus: Materials and Supplies		1,510,232	8.7674%		132,408	69.5557%		1,050,453	21.6769%		327,372	-
7	Net Plant in Service and Materials & Supplies(L5 + L6)	\$	35,226,887		\$	3,198,022		\$	23,922,090		\$	8,106,775	-
8	Percent of Total (Line 7)		100.0000%			9.0784%			67.9086%			23.0130%	0.0000%
9	CWIP Allowed in General Rate Cases		-			-			-			-	-
10	CWIP - All Other		2,457,220	9.0784%		223,075	67.9086%		1,668,664	23.0130%		565,481	-
11	Other Property and Investments (Less Depreciation)		5,355,212	9.0784%		486,165	67.9086%		3,636,650	23.0130%		1,232,397	_
12	Current Assets		1,542,449	9.0784%		140,029	67.9086%		1,047,456	23.0130%		354,964	
12	Deferred Debits		6,354,913	9.0784%		576,921	67.9086%		4,315,533	23.0130%		1,462,458	
1/	Total Assets (Sum L7 through L13)	¢	50,936,681	3.070470	Ġ	4,624,212	07.500070	Ċ	34,590,393	23.0130/0	Ġ	11,722,075	
14	Total Assets (Sulli E7 tillough E13)	<u> </u>	30,330,001		<u>,</u>	4,024,212		-	34,330,333		-	11,722,075	
15	LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY												
16	Total Members' Equity		16,541,684	9.0784%	\$	1,501,713	67.9086%	\$	11,233,228	23.0130%	\$	3,806,743	=
17	Total Long-term Debt		15,923,459	9.0784%		1,445,588	67.9086%		10,813,400	23.0130%		3,664,471	-
18	Total Capitalization (L16 + L17)	\$	32,465,143		\$	2,947,301		\$	22,046,628		\$	7,471,214	-
19	Short-term Obligations		20,539	9.0784%		1,865	67.9086%		13,948	23.0130%		4,727	-
20	Advances from Parent or Affiliate												-
21	Deferred Credits		5,796,966	9.0784%		526,269	67.9086%		3,936,639	23.0130%		1,334,058	-
22	Operating Reserves		272,046	9.0784%		24,697	67.9086%		184,743	23.0130%		62,606	-
23	Accumulated Deferred Income Taxes (Net)		4,363,480	9.0784%		396,132	67.9086%		2,963,179	23.0130%		1,004,169	-

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Electric Operations N.C. Retail Revenues and Expenses (\$000s)

		D End o	Year 12 Months En Jecember 31, 2018 f Period After Incr C Docket E-7, Sub	8 rease		Actual (Allocation Factors in C Docket E-7, Sub 1214	Operations for 12 Mo	Current A	Allocation Cost Stud Made Since Last R 12/31/2022	•
Line		Retail	Exper	nses as a % of	Retail	Expenses a	is a % of	Retail	Expense	s as a % of
No.	<u>Item</u>	<u>Amount</u>	Revenue	Expenses	<u>Amount</u>	Revenue	Expenses	<u>Amount</u>	Revenue	Expenses
1	OPERATING REVENUES	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)
2	Gross Operating Revenues	\$ 4,957,881	100.00%		\$ 5,497,158	100.00%		\$ 5,482,889	100.00%	
3	OPERATING REVENUE DEDUCTIONS									
4	Fuel Expense	\$ 1,039,423	20.97%	27.61%	\$ 1,322,328	24.05%	32.04%	\$ 1,341,639	24.47%	32.83%
5	Purchased Power	23,412	0.47%	0.62%	240,371	4.37%	5.82%	180,304	3.29%	4.41%
6	Operating & Maintenance Expense - Other	1,163,514	23.47%	30.90%	1,117,020	20.32%	27.07%	1,127,665	20.57%	27.59%
7	Depreciation and Amortization	1,084,682	21.88%	28.81%	1,129,991	20.56%	27.38%	1,115,459	20.34%	27.29%
8	Taxes Other Than Income Taxes	212,103	4.28%	5.63%	242,156	4.41%	5.87%	241,019	4.40%	5.90%
9	Income Taxes - State, Federal and Deferred	237,674	4.79%	6.31%	74,089	1.35%	1.80%	80,427	1.47%	1.97%
10	Amort. of Investment Tax Credits (ITC)	(2,836)	-0.06%	-0.08%	(2,841)	-0.05%	-0.07%	(3,096)	-0.06%	-0.08%
11	Interest on Customer Deposits	 7,130	0.14%	0.19%	 3,577	0.07%	0.09%	 3,577	0.07%	0.09%
12	Total Oper Expenses (Sum L4 through L11)	\$ 3,765,102	75.94%	100.00%	\$ 4,126,690	75.07%	100.00%	\$ 4,086,994	74.54%	100.00%
13	Net Operating Income for Return (L2 - L12)	\$ 1,192,779	24.06%		\$ 1,370,469	24.93%		\$ 1,395,894	25.46%	

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									nate base						
		Test Year 12 Months Ended Actual Operations for 12 Months Ended 30-Sep-2023 December 31, 2016 Current Allocation Cost Study if One													
			D	ecember 31, 20	16							Current A	llocation Cost St	udy if O	ne
			End o	f Period After In	crease			A	llocation Factors in	1		Has Been	Made Since Last	Rate Ca	ise
			NCU(Docket E-7, Sul	1214			<u>NCU</u>	C Docket E-7, Sub 1	214		Study Date	12/31/2022		<u>Updated</u>
Line			Total	Allocation		N.C. Retail		Total	Allocation		N.C. Retail	Total	Allocation		N.C. Retail
No.	<u>Item</u>		Company	<u>Factor</u>		<u>Amount</u>		<u>Company</u>	<u>Factor</u>		<u>Amount</u>	Company	<u>Factor</u>		<u>Amount</u>
			(a)	(b)		(c)		(d)	(e)		(f)	(g)	(h)		(i)
14	INVESTMENT IN ELECTRIC PLANT														
15	Electric Plant in Service	Ś	40,519,492	73.46%	Ś	29,765,829	Ś	48,940,966	68.07%	\$	33,311,714 \$	48,940,966	67.83%	Ś	33,198,013
16	Net Nuclear Fuel		537,828	65.88%	·	354,338	•	479,497	65.88%		315,908	479,497	66.84%		320,482
17	Construction Work in Progress		-	100.00%		-		-	100.00%		-	-	100.00%		-
18	S .		(15,830,487)	73.79%		(11,680,960)		(18,349,432)	68.07%		(12,491,248)	(18,349,432)	67.84%		(12,448,613)
19	Less: Accumulated Deferred Income Taxes		(3,824,449)	37.84%		(1,447,189)		(4,381,404)	68.97%		(3,021,813)	(4,381,404)	69.09%		(3,027,122)
20	Operating Reserves		(628,321)	67.49%		(424,053)		(339,820)	67.49%		(229,344)	(339,820)	67.86%		(230,591)
21	Net Investment in Electric Plant	\$	20,774,063	79.75%	\$	16,567,965	\$	26,349,808	67.88%	\$	17,885,217 \$	26,349,808	67.60%	\$	17,812,169
22	ALLOWANCE FOR WORKING CAPITAL AND DEFER	RED DE	BITS & CREDITS												
23	Cash Requirement	\$	300	68.14%	\$	204	\$	300	68.14%	\$	204 \$	300	68.31%	\$	205
24	Materials & Supplies		994,443	64.30%		639,426		1,364,377	68.19%		930,323	1,364,377	69.56%		949,002
25	Unamortized Debt		114,911	68.14%		78,306		112,689	68.14%		76,791	112,689	68.31%		76,975
26	Investor Funds Advanced for Operations		260,829	72.97%		190,338		212,916	68.23%		145,264	212,916	68.23%		145,264
27	Other Rate Base		(656,436)	67.12%		(440,597)		(322,710)	32.31%		(104,266)	(322,710)	18.40%		(59,393)
28	Customer Deposits		(126,585)	76.32%		(96,608)		(91,423)	67.96%		(62,130)	(91,423)	67.96%		(62,130)
29	Total (Sum L23 through L28)	\$	587,464	63.16%	\$	371,069	\$	1,276,149	77.28%	\$	986,185 \$	1,276,149	82.27%	\$	1,049,923
30	Original Cost Rate Base (L21 + L29)	\$	21,361,527	79.30%	\$	16,939,033	\$	27,625,956	68.31%	\$	18,871,402 \$	27,625,956	68.28%	\$	18,862,092

NCUC Form E.S.-1 Long-Term Debt and Interest Charges Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC Twelve Months Ended 30-Sep-2023

N.C. Rate Base Method / Financial Method Schedule 7 (\$000s)

Interest

Interest

							Booked for	Annualized
							12 Months	On O/S Long-
Line	Type Obligation				Amount		Ended	Term Debt
No.	(Bonds, Debentures, Notes, etc.)	Issue Date	Maturity Date	Par Amount	Outstanding	Interest Rate	This Report	Col. (d)*(e)
1	DE Car 500M 2.50% 3/15/23	03/11/2016	03/15/2023	500,000	-	2.50	5,694	-
2	DE Car 500M 3.05% 3/15/23	03/01/2018	03/15/2023	500,000	-	3.05	6,947	-
3	DE Car DERF 195M 1/24/25	08/13/2015	01/24/2025	195,000	195,000	6.18	10,595	12,050
4	DE Car DERF 305M 1/24/25	08/13/2015	01/24/2025	305,000	305,000	6.18	16,573	18,848
5	DE Car 600M 2.95% 12/1/26	11/17/2016	12/01/2026	600,000	600,000	2.95	17,700	17,700
6	DE Car Greensboro Transit 8.95% 07/01/27	07/01/1991	07/01/2027	4,865	4,865	8.95	501	435
7	DE Car 650M 3.95% 11/15/28	11/08/2018	11/15/2028	650,000	650,000	3.95	25,675	25,675
8	DE Car 450M 2.45% 8/15/29	08/14/2019	08/15/2029	450,000	450,000	2.45	11,025	11,025
9	DE Car 500M 2.45% 2/1/30	01/08/2020	02/01/2030	500,000	500,000	2.45	12,250	12,250
10	DE Car 550M 2.55% 4/15/31	04/01/2021	04/15/2031	550,000	550,000	2.55	14,025	14,025
11	DE Car 500M 2.85% 3/15/32	03/04/2022	03/15/2032	500,000	500,000	2.85	14,250	14,250
12	DE Car 900M 4.95% 1/15/2033 Reopen-350M June 2023	01/06/2023	01/15/2033	1,250,000	1,250,000	4.95	37,895	61,875
13	DE Car 500M 6.00% 1/15/38	01/10/2008	01/15/2038	500,000	500,000	6.00	30,000	30,000
14	DE Car 600M 6.05% 4/15/38	04/14/2008	04/15/2038	600,000	600,000	6.05	36,300	36,300
15	DE Car 750M 5.30% 2/15/40	11/19/2009	02/15/2040	750,000	750,000	5.30	39,750	39,750
16	DE Car 650M 4.25% 12/15/41	12/08/2011	12/15/2041	650,000	650,000	4.25	27,625	27,625
17	DE Car 650M 4.00% 9/30/42	09/21/2012	09/30/2042	650,000	650,000	4.00	26,000	26,000
18	DE Car 500M 3.75% 6/1/45	03/12/2015	06/01/2045	500,000	500,000	3.75	18,750	18,750
19	DE Car 500M 3.875% 3/15/46	03/11/2016	03/15/2046	500,000	500,000	3.875	19,375	19,375
20	DE Car 550M 3.70% 12/1/47	11/14/2017	12/01/2047	550,000	550,000	3.70	20,350	20,350
21	DE Car 500M 3.95% 3/15/48	03/01/2018	03/15/2048	500,000	500,000	3.95	19,750	19,750
22		08/14/2019	08/15/2049	750,000	750,000	3.20	24,000	24,000
23	DE Car 450M 3.45% 4/15/51	04/01/2021	04/15/2051	450,000	450,000	3.45	15,525	15,525
24		03/04/2022	03/15/2052	650,000	650,000	3.55	23,075	23,075
25	DE Car 900M 5.35% 1/15/2053	01/06/2023	01/15/2053	900,000	900,000	5.35	35,444	48,150
26		06/15/2023	01/15/2054	500,000	500,000	5.40	7,950	27,000
27	Charlotte Metro Debt	12/23/2019	12/31/2052	701,317	701,317	3.66	23,659	25,696
	Total Mortgage, Pollution Control Bonds and DERF (Sum L1 through L27)	,,	,,	\$ 15,156,182 \$	14,156,182		\$ 540,684 \$	
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29	DE Car 300M 6.00% 12/1/28	12/04/1998	12/01/2028	300,000	300,000	6.00	18,000	18,000
30	DE Car 350M 6.45% 10/15/32	10/08/2002	10/15/2032	350,000	350,000	6.45	22,575	22,575
31	DE Car 500M 6.10% 6/1/37	06/05/2007	06/01/2037	500,000	500,000	6.10	30,500	30,500
	Total Senior Debt (Sum L29 through L31)		,.,	\$ 1,150,000 \$	1,150,000		\$ 71,075	
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33	Capital Leases			278,903	278,903		32,229	33,057
34	DE Car 300M CP LTD	01/01/2022	03/17/2028	300,000	300,000	5.54	46,316	16,634
35	Gains and Losses on Terminated Swaps	Various	Various	555,555	-		1,812	267
36	Unamortized Debt Expense, Discount and Premium			(29,603)	(29,603)		13,169	13,061
37	Current Portion of Long-Term Debt			(==,===,	-			,
38	Total Long-Term Debt (L28 + L32 + Sum L33 through L37)			\$ 16,855,483 \$	15,855,483		\$ 705,284 \$	\$ 723,573
	10tal 2018 10111 2021 (222 1 3411 233 through 237)			φ 10,055,105 φ	23,033,103		φ 703)201 	
39	Wholesale Electric Jurisdiction Amount			\$	1,445,588		\$ 64,303	\$ 65,970
40	N.C. Retail Electric Jurisdiction Amount			*	10,813,400		481,002	493,475
41	S.C. Retail Electric Jurisdiction Amount				3,664,471		163,003	167,230
42	Other Company Operations Amount				(67,976)		(3,024)	(3,102)
	Total Company			\$	15,855,483		\$ 705,284 \$	
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Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC
Twelve Months Ended 30-Sep-2023

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Line		Tota							
No.	<u>Item</u>	Compa	ny	Wholesale	% of Total	NC Retail	% of Total	SC Retail	% of Total
		(a)		(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
1	Operating Revenues (\$000s)								
2	Residential Sales	\$ 3,3	08,116 \$	-	0.0000%	\$ 2,469,810	74.6591%	\$ 838,306	25.3409%
3	Commercial Sales	2,4	98,971	-	0.0000%	1,953,447	78.1701%	545,524	21.8299%
4	Industrial Sales	1,3	09,735	-	0.0000%	761,133	58.1135%	548,602	41.8865%
5	Public Street Lighting Sales		51,548	-	0.0000%	41,443	80.3968%	10,105	19.6032%
6	Sales for Resale	6	29,708	589,966	93.6889%	29,846	4.7397%	9,895	1.5714%
7	Joint Dispatch		80,522	7,521	9.3405%	53,819	66.8372%	19,182	23.8223%
8	Provision for Rate Refund		(375)	-	0.0000%	(375)	100.0000%	-	0.0000%
9	Unbilled Revenue		8,864	-	0.0000%	11,251	126.9262%	(2,387)	-26.9262%
10	Income Tax Reform		52,289	<u> </u>	0.0000%	 40,351	77.1687%	 11,938	22.8313%
11	Total Revenue from Sales of Electricity (Sum L2 through L10)	\$ 7,9	39,378 \$	597,488	7.5256%	\$ 5,360,724	67.5207%	\$ 1,981,166	24.9537%
12	Kilowatt-Hours Sold (000s)								
13	Residential Sales	28,3	26,982	-	0.0000%	21,612,510	76.2965%	6,714,472	23.7035%
14	Commercial Sales	29,3	69,488	-	0.0000%	23,839,901	81.1723%	5,529,587	18.8277%
15	Industrial Sales	20,0	03,731	-	0.0000%	11,828,112	59.1295%	8,175,619	40.8705%
16	Public Street Lighting Sales	2	79,344	-	0.0000%	233,495	83.5870%	45,849	16.4130%
17	Sales for Resale	8,7	93,604	8,238,631	93.6889%	416,790	4.7397%	138,183	1.5714%
18	Joint Dispatch	1,2	80,557	119,610	9.3405%	 855,888	66.8372%	 305,059	23.8223%
19	Total KWH Sales (Subtotal) (Sum L13 through L18)	88,0	53,707	8,358,241	9.4922%	 58,786,696	66.7623%	 20,908,769	23.7455%
20	Revenue Per KWH Sold (Cents)								
21	Residential Sales		11.68	=		11.43		12.49	
22	Commercial Sales		8.51	=		8.19		9.87	
23	Industrial Sales		6.55	-		6.43		6.71	
24	Public Street Lighting Sales		18.45	=		17.75		22.04	
25	Sales for Resale		7.16	7.16					
26	Total Revenue per KWH Sold		9.02	7.15					

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Line		Total	Wholesale & Other					
No.	<u>ltem</u>	Company	<u>Jurisdiction</u>	% of Total	N.C. Retail	% of Total	S.C. Retail	% of Total
		(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
27	Period End Number of Customers							
28	Residential Sales	2,439,289	-	0.0000%	1,881,988	77.1531%	557,301	22.8469%
29	Commercial Sales	400,618	-	0.0000%	299,625	74.7907%	100,993	25.2093%
30	Industrial Sales	5,993	-	0.0000%	4,495	75.0042%	1,498	24.9958%
31	Public Street Lighting Sales	11,183	-	0.0000%	8,661	77.4479%	2,522	22.5521%
32	Sales for Resale	29	29	100.0000%		0.0000%		0.0000%
33	Total Customers - Period End (Sum L28 through L32)	2,857,112	29	0.0010%	2,194,769	76.8177%	662,314	23.1812%
							_	
34	Average Number of Customers							
35	Residential Sales	2,401,422	1	0.0000%	1,854,346	77.2187%	547,075	22.7813%
36	Commercial Sales	399,779	(0)	-0.0001%	298,752	74.7294%	101,027	25.2707%
37	Industrial Sales	6,079	0	0.0000%	4,551	74.8643%	1,528	25.1357%
38	Public Street Lighting Sales	11,229	(1)	-0.0059%	8,692	77.4044%	2,538	22.6015%
39	Sales for Resale	22	22	100.0000%		0.0000%		0.0000%
40	Total Customers - Average (Sum L35 through L39)	2,818,531	22	0.0008%	2,166,341	76.8606%	652,168	23.1386%
41	INFORMATIONAL ONLY							
42	Average MWH Usage per Customer							
43	Residential Sales	11.796			11.655		12.273	
44	Commercial Sales	73.464			79.798		54.734	
45	Industrial Sales	3,290.629			2,599.014		5,350.536	
46	Public Street Lighting Sales	24.876			26.863		18.065	
47	Sales for Resale	399,709.286			-		-	
48	Total MWH Usage per Customer - Avg	31.241			27.136		32.060	

NCUC Form E.S.-1 NCUC Form E.S.-1 vs. NCUC Fee Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC Quarter Ended September 30, 2023

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Quai	ter Ended September 30, 2025			NCUC Form E.S1		1	NCUC Fee
Line				NC Retail			Quarter
No.		Total Company		Alloc Fac	NC Retail	3	30-Sep-23
1	Revenue from KWH Sales Subject to NCUC Fee:					•	<u>-</u>
2	Retail Sales Billed:						
3	Residential Sales	\$	1,007,832	Actual NC	\$ 748,540	\$	748,540
4	Commercial Sales		768,962	Actual NC	596,912		596,912
5	Industrial Sales		386,854	Actual NC	224,891		224,891
6	Public Street Lighting Sales		13,400	Actual NC	10,856		10,856
7	Total Retail Sales Billed (Sum L3 through L6)	\$	2,177,047		\$ 1,581,199	\$	1,581,199
8	Sales for Resale:						
9	Wholesale & Other	\$	141,477	2.4629%	\$ 3,484	\$	-
10	Catawba		4,332	43.6574%	1,891		-
11	Joint Dispatch		5,037	66.8372%	3,367		-
12	Provision for Rate Refund		894	100.0000%	894		-
13	Unbilled Revenue		(22,059)	Actual NC	(15,059)		-
14	Income Tax Reform		2,171	100.0000%	 2,171		-
15	Total Revenue from Sales of Electricity (Sum L7 through L14)	\$	2,308,899		\$ 1,577,947	\$	1,581,199
16	Other Electric Revenue Subject to NCUC Fee:						
17	Other Revenue - Excluding Direct Assignments	\$	81,799	43.6574%	\$ 35,711	\$	35,711
18	0456392 - Jobs Retention Rider		-	100.0000%	-		-
19	0456540 - Wholesale Unbilled Fuel Clause		(8,589)	0.0000%	-		-
20	0456560 - NC EE Deferred Revenue		(351)	100.0000%	(351)		-
21	0456570 - SC EE Deferred Revenue		3,793	0.0000%	-		-
22	0456630 - Gross Up - Contr in Aid of Const		638	43.6574%	279		-
23	0456640 - Deferred Dsm Costs - Nc		(348)	100.0000%	 (348)		-
24	Subtotal - Other Electric Revenue (Sum L17 through L23)	\$	76,942		\$ 35,291	\$	35,711
25	Total Electric Revenues (L15 + L24)	\$	2,385,840		\$ 1,613,238	\$	1,616,910
26	Uncollectible Accrual (NC Electric)		11,581		 11,581		11,581
27	Electric Revenues Subject to Regulatory Fee (L25 - L26)	\$	2,374,259		\$ 1,601,657	\$	1,605,329

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Line <u>No.</u>	<u>ltem</u>					N.C. Retail from Schedule 4	Impacts of <u>Save-a-Watt</u>		N.C. Retail excluding <u>Save-a-Watt</u>
1 OPERATING REVE 2 Net Lost Revenue					\$	5,482,889	\$ 166,46 (56,47		5,316,421 56,477
3 <u>OPERATING EXPE</u> 4 Fuel	<u>ENSES</u>					1,341,639			1,341,639
5 Purchased Power	r					180,304			1,341,639
6 Maintenance	•					374,377	-		374,377
7 Other Operating	Expenses					756,865	95,90	2	660,963
8 Total Operating E					\$				2,557,283
9 Depreciation and	I Amortization					1,115,459			1,115,459
10 Total Expenses &	Depreciation				\$	3,768,644	\$ 95,90	2 \$	3,672,742
11 OPERATING TAXE									
12 Total Operating T					_	318,350	2,17		316,172
13 Total Operating E14 Net Operating Inc	Expenses, Depreciation & Taxes				\$	4,086,994 1,395,894	98,08 \$ 11,91		3,988,914 1,383,983
14 Net Operating in	come				<u> </u>	1,333,034	7 11,51	<u> </u>	1,303,303
						North Carolina Retail from Sch			
			Average	-		Average	Overall		Total
Line		Average	Capital			Embedded	Cost/		Company
No.	<u>Item</u>	<u>Capital</u>	<u>Ratio</u>		Rate Base	Cost	Rate %		<u>Earnings</u>
15 Long-term Debt		\$ 15,111,558	48.95%	\$	9,232,994	4.67%	2.29%	\$	431,181
16 Preferred Stock		-	0.00%		-	0.00%	0.00%		-
17 Members' Equity	,	 15,762,402	51.05%		9,629,098	10.02%	5.11%		964,713
18 Total Capitalization	on	\$ 30,873,959	100.00%	\$	18,862,092	,	7.40%	\$	1,395,894
						Impacts of Save	-a-Watt Total		
19 Long-term Debt		\$ -	48.95%	\$	=	0.00%	0.00%	\$	=
20 Preferred Stock		-	0.00%		-	0.00%	0.00%		-
21 Members' Equity		 -	51.05%		-	0.12%	0.00%		11,911
22 Total Capitalization	on	\$ -	100.00%	\$	-	;	0.00%	\$	11,911
					North Car	rolina Retail Electric Juri	sdiction Excluding Save	e-a-Wat	t
23 Long-term Debt		\$ 15,111,558	48.95%	\$	9,232,994	4.67%	2.29%	\$	431,181
24 Preferred Stock		-	0.00%		-	0.00%	0.00%		-
25 Members' Equity	•	 15,762,402	51.05%		9,629,098	9.90%	5.05%		952,802
26 Total Capitalization	on	\$ 30,873,959	100.00%	\$	18,862,092		7.34%	\$	1,383,983

Save-a-Watt

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Long-term Debt Preferred Stock Members' Equity **Total Capitalization**

Long-term Debt Preferred Stock

Members' Equity **Total Capitalization**

9 Long-term Debt

13 Long-term Debt 14 Preferred Stock

17 Long-term Debt Preferred Stock Members' Equity 20 Total Capitalization

21 Long-term Debt 22 Preferred Stock Members' Equity 24 Total Capitalization

Members' Equity 16 Total Capitalization

Preferred Stock 11 Members' Equity 12 Total Capitalization <u>Item</u>

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North Carolina Retail Electric Jurisdiction from Schedule 1

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		Average			Average	Overall		Total
	Average	Capital			Embedded	Cost/		Company
	<u>Capital</u>	<u>Ratio</u>		Rate Base	Cost	Rate %		<u>Earnings</u>
	(a)	(b)		(c)	(d)	(e)		(f)
\$	15,111,558	48.95%	\$	9,232,994	4.67%	2.29%	\$	431,181
	-	0.00%		-	0.00%	0.00%		-
	15,762,402	51.05%		9,629,098	10.02%	5.11%		964,713
\$	30,873,959	100.00%	\$	18,862,092	=	7.40%	\$	1,395,894
					Impacts of EE	Programs		
\$	-	48.95%	\$	-	0.00%	0.00%	\$	-
	-	0.00%		_	0.00%	0.00%		-
	-	51.05%		_	-0.02%	0.00%		(1,900
\$	-	100.00%	\$	-	_	0.00%	\$	(1,900)
				North	n Carolina Retail Electric	Jurisdiction Excluding	z EE	
\$	15,111,558	48.95%	\$	9,232,994	4.67%	2.29%	\$	431,181
,	,,	0.00%	*	-	0.00%	0.00%	*	
	15,762,402	51.05%		9,629,098	10.04%	5.12%		966,613
\$	30,873,959	100.00%	\$	18,862,092		7.41%	\$	1,397,794
т					=			
т					North Carolina Retail E			
7		Average			from Scheo	dule 1		Total
T	Average	Average Capital			from Scheo Average	dule 1 Overall		Total
	Average Capital	Capital		Rate Rase	from Sched Average Embedded	dule 1 Overall Cost/		Company
•	<u>Capital</u>	Capital <u>Ratio</u>		<u>Rate Base</u> 9 232 994	from Sched Average Embedded <u>Cost</u>	Overall Cost/ Rate %	\$	Company <u>Earnings</u>
•	•	Capital <u>Ratio</u> 48.95%	\$	Rate Base 9,232,994	from Sched Average Embedded <u>Cost</u> 4.67%	Overall Cost/ Rate % 2.29%	\$	Company <u>Earnings</u>
	Capital 15,111,558 -	Capital <u>Ratio</u> 48.95% 0.00%	\$	9,232,994	from Sched Average Embedded <u>Cost</u> 4.67% 0.00%	Overall Cost/ Rate % 2.29% 0.00%	\$	Company <u>Earnings</u> 431,181 -
\$	<u>Capital</u>	Capital <u>Ratio</u> 48.95%	\$		from Sched Average Embedded <u>Cost</u> 4.67%	Overall Cost/ Rate % 2.29%	\$	Company <u>Earnings</u>
\$	Capital 15,111,558 - 15,762,402	Capital <u>Ratio</u> 48.95% 0.00% 51.05%		9,232,994 - 9,629,098	from Sched Average Embedded Cost 4.67% 0.00% 10.02%	Overall Cost/ Rate % 2.29% 0.00% 5.11% 7.40%		Company <u>Earnings</u> 431,181 - 964,713
\$	Capital 15,111,558 - 15,762,402	Capital Ratio 48.95% 0.00% 51.05% 100.00%	\$	9,232,994 - 9,629,098	from Sched Average Embedded Cost 4.67% 0.00% 10.02% =	Overall Cost/ Rate % 2.29% 0.00% 5.11% 7.40%	\$	Company <u>Earnings</u> 431,181 - 964,713
\$	Capital 15,111,558 - 15,762,402	Capital Ratio 48.95% 0.00% 51.05% 100.00%		9,232,994 - 9,629,098	from Sched Average Embedded Cost 4.67% 0.00% 10.02% Impacts of	Overall Cost/ Rate % 2.29% 0.00% 5.11% 7.40%		Company <u>Earnings</u> 431,181 - 964,713
\$	Capital 15,111,558 - 15,762,402	Capital Ratio 48.95% 0.00% 51.05% 100.00% 48.95% 0.00%	\$	9,232,994 - 9,629,098	from Sched Average Embedded Cost 4.67% 0.00% 10.02% Impacts of 0.00% 0.00%	Overall Cost/ Rate % 2.29% 0.00% 5.11% 7.40% DSM 0.00% 0.00%	\$	Company <u>Earnings</u> 431,181 - 964,713 1,395,894
\$	Capital 15,111,558 - 15,762,402	Capital Ratio 48.95% 0.00% 51.05% 100.00%	\$	9,232,994 - 9,629,098	from Sched Average Embedded Cost 4.67% 0.00% 10.02% Impacts of	Overall Cost/ Rate % 2.29% 0.00% 5.11% 7.40%	\$	Company <u>Earnings</u> 431,181 - 964,713
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\$	Capital 15,111,558 - 15,762,402	Capital Ratio 48.95% 0.00% 51.05% 100.00% 48.95% 0.00% 51.05% 100.00%	\$	9,232,994 - 9,629,098 18,862,092 - - -	Section From Sched	Overall Cost/ Rate % 2.29% 0.00% 5.11% 7.40% DSM 0.00% 0.00% 0.00% 0.00% urisdiction Excluding 2.29%	\$	Company <u>Earnings</u> 431,181 - 964,713 1,395,894 13,811
\$	Capital 15,111,558 - 15,762,402 30,873,959	Capital Ratio 48.95% 0.00% 51.05% 100.00% 48.95% 0.00% 51.05% 100.00%	\$	9,232,994 - 9,629,098 18,862,092 - - - - North	from Sched Average Embedded Cost 4.67% 0.00% 10.02% Impacts of 0.00% 0.00% 0.14% Carolina Retail Electric Ju	Overall Cost/ Rate % 2.29% 0.00% 5.11% 7.40% DSM 0.00% 0.00% 0.00% 0.00% urisdiction Excluding	\$ \$ \$ DSM	Company Earnings 431,181 - 964,713 1,395,894 13,811 13,811

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Note: Amounts herein represent balances associated with NC Rider EE.	Amounts exclude balances associated with NC Rider DSM.

	N	orth Carolina Retail	
Energy		Demand-Side	
Efficiency		Management	Total
<u>Programs</u>		<u>Programs</u>	Sav-a-Watt
\$ 74,051	\$	21,997	\$ 96,048
(4,022)		17,965	13,943
56,264		213	56,477
			0
\$ 126,293	\$	40,175	\$ 166,468
72.050		24.244	05.000
73,958		21,944	95,902
\$ 52,335	\$	18,231	\$ 70,566
50.004		242	56.477
56,264		213	56,477
\$ (3,929)	\$	18,018	\$ 14,089
2,029		(4,207)	(2,178)
\$ (1,900)	\$	13,811	\$ 11,911

Program Performance incentives Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC Twelve Months Ended 30-Sep-2023

Program Performance Incentives Schedule 10b (\$000s)

Impacts

N.C. Retail

Line <u>No.</u>	<u>ltem</u>	N.C. Retail from Schedule 4	of Program Performance Incentives	excl Program Performance <u>Incentives</u>
1	OPERATING REVENUES	\$ 5,482,889 \$	13,943	\$ 5,468,946
2	Adjust for Net Lost Revenues			
3	OPERATING EXPENSES			
4	Fuel	1,341,639	-	1,341,639
5	Purchased Power	180,304	-	180,304
6	Maintenance	374,377	-	374,377
7	Other Operating Expenses	756,865	-	756,865
8	Total Operating Expenses	\$ 2,653,185 \$	-	\$ 2,653,185
9	Depreciation and Amortization	1,115,459	-	1,115,459
10	Total Expenses & Depreciation	\$ 3,768,644 \$	-	\$ 3,768,644
11	OPERATING TAXES			
12	Total Operating Taxes	318,350	2,928	315,422
13	Total Operating Expenses, Depreciation & Taxes	4,086,994	2,928	4,084,066
14	Net Operating Income	\$ 1,395,894 \$	11,015	\$ 1,384,879
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North Carolina Retail Electric Jurisdiction from Schedule 1

			Average		Average	Overall		Total
Line		Average	Capital		Embedded	Cost/		Company
No.	<u>Item</u>	<u>Capital</u>	<u>Ratio</u>	Rate Base	Cost	Rate %		<u>Earnings</u>
		(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)		(f)
15	Long-term Debt	\$ 15,111,558	48.95%	\$ 9,232,994	4.67%	2.29%	\$	431,181
16	Preferred Stock	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	0.00%		-
17	Members' Equity	15,762,402	51.05%	9,629,098	10.02%	5.11%		964,713
18	Total Capitalization	\$ 30,873,959	100.00%	\$ 18,862,092	_	7.40%	\$	1,395,894
					Impacts of	PPI		
19	Long-term Debt	\$ -	48.95%	\$ -	0.00%	0.00%	\$	-
20	Preferred Stock	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	0.00%		-
21	Members' Equity	-	51.05%	-	0.12%	0.00%		11,015
22	Total Capitalization	\$ -	100.00%	\$ -	_	0.00%	\$	11,015
				Nortl	n Carolina Retail Electric J	urisdiction Excluding	PPI	
23	Long-term Debt	\$ 15,111,558	45.59%	\$ 9,232,994	4.67%	2.29%	\$	431,181
24	Preferred Stock	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	0.00%		-
25	Members' Equity	15,762,402	54.41%	9,629,098	9.90%	5.06%		953,698
26	Total Capitalization	\$ 30,873,959	100.00%	\$ 18,862,092	_	7.35%	\$	1,384,879
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APPENDIX A

REGARDING ACCURACY OF REPORT

(NOTE: THIS VERIFICATION SHALL BE COMPLETED BY EITHER THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, A SENIOR LEVEL FINANCIAL OFFICER, OR THE RESPONSIBLE ACCOUNTING OFFICER.)

I, Reem Grammatico, state and attest that the attached NCUC Form E.S.-1 Report is filed on behalf of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC as required by the North Carolina Utilities Commission; that I have reviewed said Report and, in the exercise of due diligence, have made reasonable inquiry into the accuracy of the information provided therein; and that, to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, all of the information contained therein is accurate and true, no material information or fact has been knowingly omitted or misstated therein and all of the information contained in said Report has been prepared and presented

,			I Statutes, Commission Rules, and
	Signature of Person	Maki	ammafico ng Verification
	Reem Grammatic Typed or Printed 1	0	
	Director, Electric		
	Title 11-28-202. Date Signed	3	
	Mecklenbur	3	County, North Carolina
Signed and sworn to before	me this day by _	Ree	em Grammatico Name of principal
Date: 11/28/2023	_		Traine of principal
Official Signature of Notary	re ll		(Official Seal)
Notary's printed or typed name	, Notary Public	the catholices of the substances to	KIMBERLEY A CAMPBELL Notary Public, North Carolina Wake County My Commission Expires
My commission expires:	15/2026	is a	
I signed this notarial certific notarization requirements con	-		according to the emergency video
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's Quarterly Surveillance Report, in Docket No. M-100, Sub 12DEC, has been served by electronic mail, hand delivery or by depositing a copy in the United States mail, postage prepaid, to parties of record.

This the 30th day of November, 2023.

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