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Ms. A. Shonta Dunston, Chief Clerk
North Carolina Utilities Commission
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*Re: Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. d/b/a Dominion Energy
North Carolina's Supplemental Direct Testimony of Rose M. Jackson –
Public Redacted
Docket No. G-5, Sub 661*

Dear Ms. Dunston:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc., d/b/a Dominion Energy North Carolina (the "Company") is the public redacted version of the Supplemental Direct Testimony of Rose M. Jackson.

Portions of Ms. Jackson's supplemental testimony contain commercially sensitive information that should be protected from public disclosure. The information designated herein as confidential qualifies as "trade secrets" under N.C. Gen. Stat. § 66-152(3). If this information were to be publicly disclosed, it would allow competitors, vendors, and other market participants to gain an undue advantage, which may ultimately result in harm and higher cost to customers. Pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. § 132-1.2, the Company requests that the information marked "Confidential" be protected from public disclosure. The Company is filing all information designated as confidential under seal and will make the information available to other parties to this docket pursuant to an appropriate nondisclosure agreement

Thank you for your assistance with this matter. Feel free to contact me should you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

/s/Mary Lynne Grigg

BEFORE THE

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF NORTH CAROLINA, INCORPORATED

DOCKET NO. G-5, SUB 661

SUPPLEMENTAL DIRECT TESTIMONY

OF

ROSE M. JACKSON

JUNE 16, 2023

1 Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME, BUSINESS ADDRESS, BY WHOM YOU
2 ARE EMPLOYED, AND IN WHAT CAPACITY.

3 A. My name is Rose M. Jackson. My business address is 220 Operation Way,
4 Cayce, South Carolina. I am employed by Dominion Energy Services, Inc., as
5 Director – Fuel Commodities.

6 Q. HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY FILED TESTIMONY IN THIS PROCEEDING?

7 A. Yes, I pre-filed direct testimony on June 1, 2023.

8 Q. WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF YOUR SUPPLEMENTAL DIRECT
9 TESTIMONY IN THIS PROCEEDING?

10 A. In my direct testimony, I testified that a bill pending in Congress to raise the
11 debt ceiling included a provision to expedite completion of the Mountain Valley
12 Pipeline (“MVP”) mainline project, to which PSNC has subscribed for 250,000
13 dekatherms per day of firm transportation capacity. I stated that, if the bill
14 became law, I would file supplemental testimony to address the legislation. The
15 bill did pass Congress and was signed into law by President Biden on June 3,
16 2023. The purpose of my supplemental direct testimony is to provide the
17 Commission with information about the law, which is known as the “Fiscal
18 Responsibility Act of 2023.”

19 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE PORTION OF THE ACT THAT PERTAINS TO
20 MVP.

21 A. Title III of the Act contains provisions regarding environmental permitting
22 reform. Within that title, Section 324 is devoted to expediting completion of
23 the MVP mainline project, which subsection (a) defines as the project generally

1 described and approved in Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Docket
2 Nos. CP16–10, CP19–477, and CP21–57. Subsection (b) includes the
3 following legislative findings:

- 4 • Timely completion of construction and operation of MVP is
5 required in the national interest.
- 6 • MVP will serve demonstrated natural gas demand in the
7 Northeast, Mid-Atlantic, and Southeast regions, will increase
8 the reliability of natural gas supplies and the availability of
9 natural gas at reasonable prices, will allow natural gas producers
10 to access additional markets for their product, and will reduce
11 carbon emissions and facilitate the energy transition.

12 Subsection (c) ratifies and approves all permits and authorizations issued under
13 federal law and necessary for the construction and initial operation of MVP and
14 directs the applicable federal agencies and officials to maintain those permits.
15 Under subsection (d), no later than June 24, 2023, the Secretary of the Army
16 must issue all permits and verifications necessary to complete construction of
17 the pipeline across federal waters and to allow for its operation and
18 maintenance. Subsection (e) divests all courts of jurisdiction to review any
19 approvals by applicable federal agencies and officials or by state administrative
20 agencies acting under federal law for the project, whether issued before or after
21 the effective date of Section 324, including any pending lawsuit. Finally,
22 subsection (f) provides that Section 324 supersedes any other provision of law
23 inconsistent with the issuance of any permit or authorization for the project.

1 Q. WHAT EFFECT WILL THE LAW HAVE ON COMPLETION OF THE MVP
2 MAINLINE PROJECT?

3 A. Following enactment of the law, Equitrans Midstream, operator of MVP, stated
4 its intent to work with its project partners to complete construction of the project
5 by the end of this year. This assumes the timely issuance of the few
6 authorizations remaining.

7 Q. HOW WILL THIS AFFECT PSNC'S PLANS?

8 A. As I indicated in my initial direct testimony, construction of the lateral
9 connecting PSNC's system with the mainline has been estimated to take at least
10 two years after the mainline project is placed into service. The legislation does
11 not purport to apply to the lateral project, and considerable uncertainty remains
12 as to when the Company might be able to access natural gas supplies through
13 MVP. Uncertainty surrounding the construction of new interstate pipeline
14 projects is an ongoing concern. For these reasons, the Company currently is
15 proceeding with plans to construct a second on-system liquefied natural gas
16 ("LNG") storage facility. However, the Company is monitoring potential
17 options that may become available when the MVP mainline project is placed
18 into service. **[BEGIN CONFIDENTIAL]** [REDACTED]

19 [REDACTED]

20 [REDACTED] **[END CONFIDENTIAL]**

21 Q. DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR SUPPLEMENTAL DIRECT
22 TESTIMONY?

23 A. Yes, it does.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing public, redacted Supplemental Direct Testimony of Rose M. Jackson, as filed in Docket No. G-5, Sub 661, were served electronically or via U.S. mail, first-class, postage prepaid, upon all parties of record.

This, the 16th day of June, 2023.

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