STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

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BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1213)
In the Matter of Petition of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, for Approval of Prepaid Advantage Program DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1214)) ORDER GRANTING SECOND) EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE) BRIEFS AND PROPOSED) ORDERS
In the Matter of Application by Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, for Adjustment of Rates and Charges Applicable to Electric Utility Service in North Carolina))))
DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1187))
In the Matter of Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC for an Accounting Order to Defer Incremental Storm Damage Expenses Incurred as a Result of Hurricanes Florence and Michael and Winter Storm Diego)))))

BY THE CHAIR: On September 23, 2020, the Commission issued a Notice of Due Date for Proposed Orders and Briefs (Notice), in the above-captioned dockets. The Notice informed the parties that the transcript of testimony had been made available, and that briefs and proposed orders were to be filed on or before October 26, 2020.

On October 8, 2020, in response to a motion by the Public Staff, the Commission issued an order extending the due date for briefs and proposed orders to November 2, 2020.

On October 29, 2020, the North Carolina Attorney General's Office (AGO), filed a motion requesting that the Commission grant a further extension to November 4, 2020, of the date for filing briefs and proposed orders. In summary, the AGO stated that it requires additional time to complete its brief. In addition, the AGO stated that it contacted Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (DEC), and asked whether DEC would object to a one week

extension, and DEC responded that it would agree to a two day extension, but would oppose a longer extension. Further, the AGO stated that other parties were contacted shortly before it prepared its motion, and that the Public Staff, Appalachian Voices, Center for Biological Diversity, Carolina Industrial Group for Fair Utility Rates III, Commercial Group, Carolina Utility Customers Association, Inc., Harris Teeter, North Carolina Clean Energy Business Alliance, North Carolina Justice Center, North Carolina Housing Coalition, Natural Resources Defense Council, North Carolina League of Municipalities, North Carolina Sustainable Energy Association, NC WARN, Sierra Club, Tech Customers, and Vote Solar stated that they do not object to the requested extension. Finally, the AGO stated that no other intervenors have responded with any objections to the requested extension.

Based on the AGO's motion and the record, the Chair finds good cause to extend the date for parties to file briefs and proposed orders to November 4, 2020.

IT IS, THEREFORE, SO ORDERED.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 2nd day of November, 2020.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

Kimberley A. Campbell, Chief Clerk