

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
UTILITIES COMMISSION  
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1213  
DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1214  
DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1187  
DOCKET NO. E-2, SUB 1219

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	)	
	)	
In the Matter of	)	
Application by Duke Energy Carolinas,	)	ORDER ALLOWING
LLC, for Adjustment of Rates and	)	WITHDRAWAL AND
Charges Applicable to Electric Utility	)	SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL
Service in North Carolina	)	
	)	
DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1187	)	
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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	)	
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DOCKET NO. E-2, SUB 1219	)	
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In the Matter of	)	
Application by Duke Energy Progress,	)	
LLC, for Adjustment of Rates and	)	
Charges Applicable to Electric Utility	)	
Service in North Carolina	)	

BY THE CHAIR: On July 10, 2020, Warren K. Hicks and Christina D. Cress (Movants) filed a Motion for Substitution of Counsel in the above-captioned dockets, pursuant to Commission Rules R1-7 and R1-23, and Rule 1.16(b) of the North Carolina Rules of Professional Conduct. Movants requested that the Commission enter an order

allowing Ms. Hicks to withdraw from serving as the attorney of record for Carolina Industrial Group for Fair Utility Rates (CIGFUR), and that Ms. Cress be allowed to serve as the attorney of record for CIGFUR. Movants stated that Ms. Hicks has accepted employment as a senior staff attorney with the North Carolina Utilities Commission effective July 13, 2020, which precludes her from continuing to represent CIGFUR, and that Ms. Cress, Attorney at Law with the firm of Bailey & Dixon, LLP, will represent CIGFUR in these dockets. Further, Movants stated that they provided notice to CIGFUR of Ms. Hick's withdrawal, and that they believe that her withdrawal can be accomplished without resulting in any material adverse effect on the interests of CIGFUR.

Based on the foregoing and the record in these dockets, the Chair finds that there is justifiable cause to grant the Motion.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that Warren K. Hicks is allowed to withdraw as counsel for CIGFUR, and Christina D. Cress is substituted as counsel for CIGFUR in the above-captioned dockets.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 13th day of July, 2020.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Janice H. Fulmore", is written over a faint, circular official stamp.

Janice H. Fulmore, Deputy Clerk