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Ms. Janice Fulmore, Deputy Clerk North Carolina Utilities Commission Dobbs Building, Fifth Floor 430 North Salisbury Street Raleigh, North Carolina 27602 Clerk's Office N.C. Utilities Commission

Re:

Docket No. E-2, Sub 1207; Duke Energy

Progress LLC's Joint Agency Asset Rider Application

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Dear Ms. Fulmore:

We enclose for filing in the above-referenced matter, on behalf of Carolina Utility Customers Association, Inc. ("CUCA"), an original and 33 copies of CUCA's Petition to Intervene. Kindly date-stamp and return to us via our courier the three additional enclosed copies. Please let me know, at your early convenience, if you have any questions concerning this filing.

Very truly yours,

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Robert F. Page

Enclosures

cc: Sharon Miller Parties of Record

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. E-2, SUB 1207

| In the Matter of |) |
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| Application of Duke Energy Progress, LLC |) Petition of Carolina Utility Customers |
| Pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. δ62-133.14 and |) Association, Inc. to Intervene |
| Rule R8-70 to Establish a Joint Agency |) |
| Asset Rider for Recovery of Costs Related to |) |
| Facilities Purchased from Joint Power Agency |) |

Carolina Utility Customers Association, Inc. ("CUCA"), by and through its undersigned counsel, files this Petition pursuant to G.S. 62-72 and Rule R1-19 of the Rules and Regulations of the North Carolina Utilities Commission ("Commission") that CUCA be permitted to intervene and participate in the above-captioned proceeding. In support of this petition, CUCA states as follows:

1. CUCA is a corporation duly organized, validly existing, and in good standing under the laws of the State of North Carolina, with its principal office located at Suite 210, Trawick Professional Center, 1708 Trawick Road, Raleigh, North Carolina 27604. The names and addresses of its principal officers are:

Chair: David J. Lyons

Gerdau Long Steel North America 384 Old Grassdale Road NE Cartersville, GA 30121

Vice Chair: Sean M. Finsel

Moen, Inc.

2609 Cox Mill Road Sanford, NC 27332-9727

Executive Director: Sharon C. Miller

Carolina Utility Customers Association, Inc.

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Raleigh, North Carolina 27604 Email: smiller@cucainc.org 2. CUCA's attorney, to whom all communications and pleadings should be

addressed, is shown below. Copies of all communications and pleadings should also be served

on CUCA's Executive Director Sharon Miller.

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3. CUCA is an organization of industrial utility customers whose member

companies maintain numerous industrial manufacturing facilities and employ thousands of

workers throughout the State of North Carolina, including the territory in which Duke Energy

Progress, Inc. ("DEP") has been authorized by the Commission to sell electricity at retail.

4. CUCA's member companies use electricity sold by DEP in the operation of their

manufacturing plants. The availability of an adequate supply of electricity at a reasonable price is

critical to the economic viability of CUCA's member companies. DEP's filing will affect the rates

associated with DEP's sale of electricity to CUCA members. As a result, CUCA has a vital

interest in the matters at issue in the above-captioned proceeding and should be permitted to

intervene and participate.

5. CUCA agrees to accept electronic service of all filings in the Docket.

WHEREFORE, CUCA respectfully requests that the Commission enter an order allowing

CUCA to intervene and fully participate in the above-captioned proceeding, including the right to

discovery, and to otherwise exercise all statutory rights provided to Intervenors under North

Carolina law.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, the undersigned counsel for CUCA, do hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Petition to Intervene was served upon all parties of record in this proceeding, or their legal counsel, by electronic mail.

This the 22nd day of July, 2019.

Robert F. Page

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COUNTY OF WAKE

Sharon C. Miller, being duly sworn, deposes and says that she is the Executive Director of Carolina Utility Customers Association, Inc., the Intervenor herein; that she has read the foregoing Petition of Carolina Utility Customers Association, Inc., to Intervene, and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true of her own knowledge, except as to those matters herein state upon information and belief, and as to those, she believes them to be true; and that this verified petition be used as an affidavit.

This the 22 day of July, 2019.

Sharon C. Miller SHARON C. MILLER

SWORN to and subscribed before me, This the **22** day of July, 2019.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 2-3-2020