STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. E-2, SUB 1159
DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1156

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of Duke Energy Progress, LLC, and Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, Joint Petition for Approval of Competitive Procurement of Renewable Energy Program	))))	ORDER SETTING TIME FOR INTERVENTION AND FILING COMMENTS

BY THE CHAIR: On September 1, 2023, Duke Energy Progress, LLC (DEP), and Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (DEC and collectively with DEP, Duke), filed a motion requesting that the Commission formally close or discontinue the program for competitive procurement of renewable energy (CPRE Program) established in N.C. Gen. Stat. § 62-110.8 and discontinue the planning and reporting requirements established by the Commission in Commission Rule R8-71 Subsections (g) and (h) because the CPRE Program procurement implementation phase has concluded (Motion).

Also on September 1, 2023, Duke filed its annual CPRE Program Plan pursuant to Commission Rule R8-71(g) in the above-captioned docket.

Based on the foregoing and the entire record, the Chair finds good cause to solicit comments on Duke's Motion and annual CPRE Program Plan.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED as follows:

1. That any person having an interest in this proceeding may file a petition to intervene stating such interest on or before Wednesday, October 11, 2023;

2. That parties may file comments responsive to the topics described above by Wednesday, October 11, 2023; and

3. That Duke may file reply comments by Wednesday, October 25, 2023.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 19th day of September, 2023.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

A. Shonta Dunston

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