STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

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BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of
Generator Interconnection Standards) ORDER PLACING CERTAIN COMPLIANCE
) DEADLINES IN ABEYANCE

BY THE CHAIR: On October 8, 2021, the Commission issued an Order Clarifying Generator Interconnection Standards, Requesting Comments, and Requiring Filing of Remediation Information. Among other things, the Order required certain facilities (Facilities) that are interconnected with Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC or Duke Energy Progress, LLC (jointly, Duke) to enter self-inspection agreements with Duke by no later than February 1, 2022. The Order also required Duke to file a report with the Commission detailing the status of the self-inspection agreements by February 23, 2022.

On January 20, 2022, Duke filed a motion for extension of time in which it seeks a 30-day time extension for the execution of self-inspection agreements. Duke seeks an additional 20 days beyond that execution deadline to file with the Commission a status report. In its motion, Duke reports that since the Commission issued the Order, Duke has taken a number of steps to comply with the Order's directives, including serving the Order on all North Carolina Interconnection Customers that own or operate Facilities, developing a template memorandum of agreement providing Interconnection Customers that own or operate Facilities with an option to self-administer inspection programs, and soliciting and incorporating input from stakeholders into the template memorandum of agreement. Duke maintains that the extension of time is necessary to allow for review of the memorandum of agreement and execution of the associated self-inspection agreements by owners and operators of Facilities. Further, Duke maintains that a corresponding extension of time for Duke to file a report with the Commission detailing the status of those agreements and identifying any remaining Facilities not covered by an agreement is necessary.

Based on the motion and the entire record, the Chair finds good cause to hold the compliance deadlines referenced above in abeyance at this time, pending further order of the Commission.

IT IS, THEREFORE, SO ORDERED

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 27th day of January, 2022.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

Erica N. Green, Deputy Clerk