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**RE: *Response of Haywood EMC to Public Staff's Comments,  
Dockets No. E-100, Sub 118, 124 and 125***

Dear Ms. Vance:

Our firm represents Haywood EMC ("Haywood") in the above-referenced dockets. This letter is offered in response to Public Staff's Comments, filed February 8, 2010, related specifically to Haywood's demand side management ("DSM") and energy efficiency ("EE") programs. Public Staff recommends that Haywood file its listed existing EE programs for Commission approval under N.C. Gen. Stat. § 62-133.9 and Commission Rule R8-68, if such programs were adopted and implemented subsequent to August 20, 2007. See Public Staff Comment's, Section IX.D.

In an effort to promote energy efficiency, Haywood offers its customers rate alternatives, including a Time-of-Use rate, a Save rate and Smart rate. These rates were adopted and implemented prior to August 20, 2007. Haywood also offers its customers two EE programs: a compact fluorescent bulb ("CFL") rebate program and a water heater insulation kit program. These programs were instituted as part of GreenCo's portfolio of programs, and, consequently, GreenCo has submitted these programs for approval by the Commission in Docket No. EC-83, Sub 0.

I have discussed this issue with Public Staff, and Public Staff has agreed to review Haywood's programs implemented in 2009 in the context of GreenCo's filings. The Public

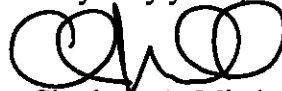
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Staff has also agreed that this letter satisfies the questions it raised in its February 8, 2010 Comments regarding the EE programs described in Haywood's 2009 integrated resource plan. Therefore, unless the Commission directs Haywood to do otherwise, Haywood will not make any additional filings related to its EE programs.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'C. Mitchell', with a stylized, cursive-like script.

Charlotte A. Mitchell, Esq.

cc: Parties of record (via First Class Mail)