



June 16, 2016

Mrs. Gail L. Mount
Chief Clerk
North Carolina Utilities Commission
4325 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, NC 27699-4325

Dear Mrs. Mount:

Re: Docket No. G-5, Sub 565

Attached are original Affidavits of Publication of public notice for filing in the above-referenced matter.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at 919-836-2336 if you have questions or comments regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

/s/Gail M. Peele
Governmental & Regulatory Affairs

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF

Ad Number
0002443545

Ad attached

Advertiser Name: PSNC ENERGY
Address: attn GAIL PEELE
1312 ANNAPOLIS DR STE 200
RALEIGH, NC 27608

Before the undersigned, a Notary Public of Wake County North Carolina, duly commissioned and authorized to administer oaths, affirmations, etc., personally appeared R. C. Brooks, who being duly sworn or affirmed, according to law, doth depose and say that he or she is Accounts Receivable Specialist of The News & Observer Publishing Company a corporation organized and doing business under the Laws of the State of North Carolina, and publishing a newspaper known as, The News & Observer, in the City of Raleigh, Wake County and State aforesaid, the said newspaper in which such notice, paper, document, or legal advertisement was published was, at the time of each and every such publication, a newspaper meeting all of the requirements and qualifications of Section 1-597 of the General Statutes of North Carolina and was a qualified newspaper within the meaning of Section 1-597 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, and that as such he or she makes this affidavit; and is familiar with the books, files and business of said corporation and by reference to the files of said publication the attached advertisement for PSNC ENERGY was inserted in the aforesaid newspaper on dates as follows:

05/12/2016,05/19/2016

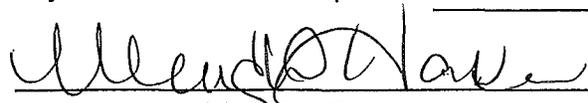




R. C. Brooks, Accounts Receivable Specialist
Wake County, North Carolina

Sworn to and subscribed before me
This 19th day of May, 2016

My Commission Expires: FEB 17 2020



Notary Signature

The Charlotte Observer Publishing Co.
Charlotte, NC
Affidavit of Publication

North Carolina } ss
Mecklenburg County }

Charlotte Observer

REFERENCE: 159301 PSNC ENERGY

0002441328 Public Hearing 5/12 & 5/19

Before the undersigned, a Notary Public of said County and State, duly authorized to administer oaths affirmations, etc., personally appeared, being duly sworn or affirmed according to law, doth depose and say that he/she is a representative of The Charlotte Observer Publishing Company, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Delaware, and publishing a newspaper known as The Charlotte Observer in the city of Charlotte, County of Mecklenburg, and State of North Carolina and that as such he/she is familiar with the books, records, files, and business of said Corporation and by reference to the files of said publication, the attached advertisement was inserted. The following is correctly copied from the books and files of the aforesaid Corporation and Publication.

PUBLISHED ON: 05/12/2016, 05/19/2016

AD SPACE: 62.25 INCHES

FILED ON: 05/24/2016

NAME: *Judith M. Sears*

TITLE: *Notary Clerk*
DATE: MAY 25 2016

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, the day and year aforesaid.

Notary: *Suzanne M. Quinn*

My commission Expires: / /

My Commission Expires May 27, 2016

OFFICIAL COPY

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**AFFIDAVIT OF INSERTION OF ADVERTISEMENT
The Gaston Gazette**

**Gastonia, N.C.
Gaston County**

The Gaston Gazette does certify that the advertisement for:

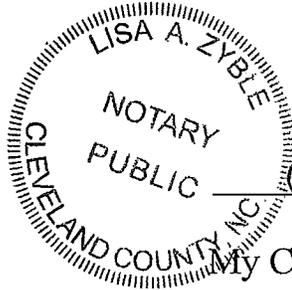
**NOTICE OF HEARING
PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF NORTH CAROLINA INC
DOCKET NO. G-5, SUB 565
BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION**

Measuring 101.25 column inches appeared in The Gaston Gazette, a newspaper published in Gaston County, Gastonia, N.C., in issue(s):

May 12, 2016
May 19, 2016

Name of Account: PSNC Energy
Account Number: 601374
Order Number: 54574628

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20th day of May, 2016.



Lisa A. Zyble, Notary Public

My Commission Expires April 25, 2017

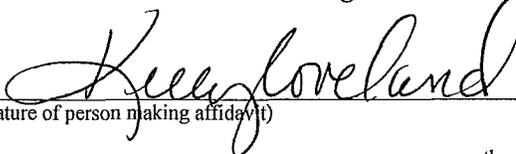
AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

BUNCOMBE COUNTY

SS.
NORTH CAROLINA

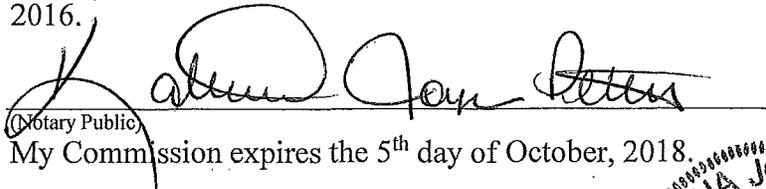
Before the undersigned, a Notary Public of said County and State, duly commissioned, qualified and authorized by law to administer oaths, personally appeared **Kelly Loveland**, who, being first duly sworn, deposes and says: that she is the **Staff Accountant** of **The Asheville Citizen-Times**, engaged in publication of a newspaper known as **The Asheville Citizen-Times**, published, issued, and entered as first class mail in the City of Asheville, in said County and State; that she is authorized to make this affidavit and sworn statement; that the notice or other legal advertisement, a true copy of which is attached hereto, was published in **The Asheville Citizen-Times** on the following date: May 12th and 19th 2016. And that the said newspaper in which said notice, paper, document or legal advertisement was published was, at the time of each and every publication, a newspaper meeting all of the requirements and qualifications of Section 1-597 of the General Statutes of North Carolina and was a qualified newspaper within the meaning of Section 1-597 of the General Statutes of North Carolina.

Signed this 19th day of May, 2016



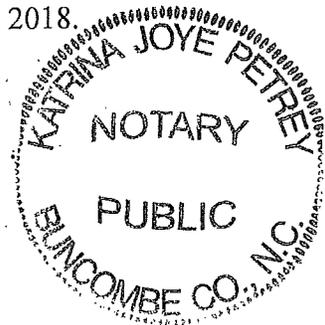
(Signature of person making affidavit)

Sworn to and subscribed before me the 19th day of May, 2016.



(Notary Public)

My Commission expires the 5th day of October, 2018.



SEE ATTACHED

PSNC ENERGY
ATTN: GAIL PEELE
1312 ANNAPOLIS DR, SUITE 200
RALEIGH, NC 27608
Reference: 30680667

Affidavit of Publication

State of North Carolina,
Durham County

To Whom it May Concern:
this is to certify the
advertisement attached
hereto has been published in

The Herald Sun

On the following dates:

5/12/2016
5/19/2016

Sworn to on this 24th day
of May, 2016

B. O.
Herald-Sun Representative

Sworn to and Subscribed
before me this 24th day
of May, 2016

Karen R. Blackwell
Notary Public

