

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 856

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of

Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, For) ORDER ALLOWING
Approval of a Solar Photovoltaic Distributed) PETITION TO INTERVENE
Generation Program and for Approval of the) AND GRANTING
Proposed Method of Recovery of Associated) MOTION FOR LIMITED
Costs) ADMISSION TO PRACTICE

BY THE PRESIDING COMMISSIONER: On September 24, 2008, Wal-Mart Stores East, LP (Wal-Mart) and Sam's East, Inc. (Sam's), filed a petition to intervene in the above-captioned proceeding. The petition states that Wal-Mart and Sam's are large consumers of electric energy in the State of North Carolina and as retail electric consumers, Wal-Mart and Sam's have an interest in this proceeding. The Presiding Commissioner is of the opinion that good cause exists to allow the intervention by Wal-Mart and Sam's.

On September 24, 2008, Wal-Mart and Sam's filed a motion with the Commission seeking authority for the out-of-state-attorney hereinafter listed for limited admission to practice in the above-captioned docket. The Presiding Commissioner is of the opinion that good cause exists to grant the motion for limited admission to practice.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED as follows:

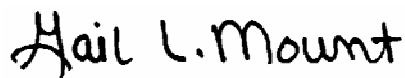
1. That Wal-Mart and Sam's should be, and hereby are, allowed to intervene in the above-captioned docket; and
2. That Wal-Mart and Sam's motion for limited admission to practice in the above-captioned docket should be and hereby is allowed; and
3. That the name and address of the attorney for Wal-Mart and Sam's is as follows:

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ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE PRESIDING COMMISSIONER.

This the 9th day of October, 2008.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION



Gail L. Mount, Deputy Clerk