

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1162

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of	
Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC,)	
for Approval of Renewable Energy and)	ORDER GRANTING
Energy Efficiency Portfolio Standard Cost)	PETITION TO INTERVENE
Recovery Rider Pursuant to G.S. 62-133.8)	
and Commission Rule R8-67)	

BY THE PRESIDING COMMISSIONER: On May 21, 2018, Blue Ridge Electric Membership Corporation (Blue Ridge EMC) filed a petition to intervene in the above-captioned proceeding. In support of its petition, Blue Ridge EMC states that it relies on Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (DEC), to facilitate its compliance with the renewable energy and energy portfolio standard (REPS), and that DEC's 2017 REPS Compliance Report filed in this docket covers measures undertaken to meet Blue Ridge EMC's REPS requirements.

Based on the foregoing and the record herein, the Presiding Commissioner finds good cause to allow the requested intervention by Blue Ridge EMC limited to the extent that the issues addressed are related to measures undertaken to meet Blue Ridge EMC's REPS requirements. Blue Ridge EMC shall not present issues related to the calculation of the REPS rider charges appearing on the bills of DEC's retail electric customers, as Blue Ridge EMC's interest in the calculation of the REPS rider charges is not a direct interest as contemplated by G.S. 62-73 to justify intervention.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED as follows:

1. That Blue Ridge EMC is hereby allowed to intervene in this proceeding as limited by this order;

2. That the names and addresses of the attorneys for Blue Ridge EMC are as follows:

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ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 1st day of June, 2018.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Janice H. Fulmore", is written over a faint, light-colored circular stamp or watermark.

Janice H. Fulmore, Deputy Clerk