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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Ms. M. Lynn Jarvis Chief Clerk North Carolina Utilities Commission 4325 Mail Service Center Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4300

Re: Duke Energy Progress, LLC, Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and

Dominion Energy North Carolina's Joint Motion for Extension of

Time to File Compliance Filing Docket No. E-100 Sub 148

Dear Ms. Jarvis:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket is Duke Energy Progress, LLC and Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's Joint Motion for Extension of Time to File Compliance Filing.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Kendrick C. Fentress

cc: Parties of Record

Enclosure

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION DOCKET NO. E-100, SUB 148

In the Matter of) JOINT MOTION OF DUKE
Biennial Determination of Avoided) ENERGY CAROLINAS, LLC
Cost Rates for Electric Utility) DUKE ENERGY PROGRESS,
Purchases from Qualifying Facilities -) LLC, AND DOMINION ENERGY
2016) NORTH CAROLINA FOR
) EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE
) COMPLIANCE FILING

NOW COME Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC ("DEC"), Duke Energy Progress, LLC ("DEP"), and Virginia Electric and Power Company d/b/a Dominion Energy North Carolina ("DENC") (collectively "the Utilities") pursuant to Commission Rule R1-7 and move the North Carolina Utilities Commission ("Commission") for a three-week extension of time through and including Tuesday, January 30, 2018, for the Utilities to file their procedures for curtailing electric output from qualifying facilities ("QFs") on a nondiscriminatory basis when the utility is faced with a system emergency. In support of this motion, the Utilities show the Commission as follows:

1. Ordering Paragraph No. 14 of the Commission's October 11, 2017 Order Establishing Standard Rates and Contract Terms for Qualifying Facilities ("Avoided Cost Order") required DEC, DEP, and DENC to file, within 90 days of the Avoided Cost Order, their respective procedures for how they would curtail electric output from QFs on a nondiscriminatory basis when the utility is faced with a system emergency. This ninety-day period expires Tuesday, January 9, 2018.

- 2. The Utilities have worked diligently on their filing, but the press of other business has resulted in them requiring additional time to finalize their procedures for filing.
- 3. DEC and DEP also believe that it would be productive to discuss their procedures with the Public Staff of the North Carolina Utilities Commission ("Public Staff") prior to this filing.
- 4. For the foregoing reasons, the Utilities request the additional three weeks to finalize their procedures for filing and for DEC and DEP to discuss their procedures with the Public Staff prior to filing. The undersigned counsel has contacted counsel for all parties of record regarding this motion via telephone and/or electronic mail, and none have advised that they object to this motion.

WHEREFORE, DEC, DEP and DENC respectfully request that the Commission grant this Motion for a three-week extension of time through and including Tuesday, January 30, 2018, for the Utilities to file their curtailment procedures under Ordering Paragraph 14 of the Avoided Cost Order and grant such further relief as the Commission deems just and proper.

Respectfully submitted, this the 4th day of January, 2018.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of Duke Energy Progress, LLC, Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Dominion Energy North Carolina's Joint Motion for Extension of Time to File Compliance Filing in Docket No. E-100, Sub 148 has been served on all parties of record either by electronic mail, hand delivery or by depositing a copy in the United States mail, postage prepaid.

This the 4th day of January, 2018.

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