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BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of  
Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC,  
for Approval of a Solar Photovoltaic  
Distributed Generation Program and for  
Approval of the Proposed Method of  
Recovery of Associated Costs )

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N.C. Utilities Commission

) MOTION FOR  
) EXTENSION  
) OF TIME  
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NOW COMES THE PUBLIC STAFF - North Carolina Utilities Commission (Public Staff), by and through its Executive Director, Robert P. Gruber, and moves for an extension of time for all intervenors to file testimony and exhibits in this docket and for Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (Duke) to file its rebuttal testimony. In support of this motion the Public Staff respectfully shows unto the Commission:

1. In its order of July 8, 2008 in this proceeding, the Commission directed that the Public Staff and other intervenors file their testimony and exhibits by October 1, 2008, and that Duke's rebuttal testimony be filed by October 10, 2008.

2. In recent weeks the Public Staff personnel responsible for this case have been extensively occupied with other proceedings involving Duke, as well as Progress Energy Carolinas, Inc., and a variety of generic electric dockets. Despite its most diligent efforts, the Public Staff will not be able to complete preparing its testimony and exhibits by October 1 and needs a one-week extension of time. Duke has advised the Public Staff that it does not object to an extension of time, provided it is also allowed a one-week extension to file its rebuttal testimony.

3. The Public Staff has contacted all parties who have been authorized to intervene in this case, and none of them have objected to the extension of time requested herein.

WHEREFORE, the Public Staff prays:

1. For an extension of time until Wednesday, October 8, 2008 for itself and other intervenors to file their testimony and exhibits;

2. For an extension of time until Friday, October 17, 2008 for Duke to file its rebuttal testimony; and

3. For such other and further relief as the Commission may deem just and proper.

Clerk  
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This the 26<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2008.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of this Motion for Extension of Time has been served on all parties of record or their attorneys, or both, by depositing a copy in the United States Mail, first class postage prepaid, properly addressed.

This the 26<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2008.



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Robert S. Gillam