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MEDIA RELEASE: PSC Schedules Allowable Ex Parte Communication Briefing in Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC's 2023 Integrated Resource Plan Dockets

Columbia, South Carolina--The Public Service Commission of South Carolina (PSC) has scheduled an allowable ex parte communication briefing in Docket Nos. 2023-8-E and 2023-10-E on Friday, September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at 1 p.m. Those interested in watching this allowable ex parte communication briefing can attend in person at the Commission's office at 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, SC 29210. Registration is required for all in-person attendees so that the record can be certified as required by law; registration will be available upon your arrival at the Commission's office.

On August 25<sup>th</sup>, 2023, the Companies filed a request for an allowable ex parte communication briefing to discuss Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's and Duke Energy Progress, LLC's Integrated Resource Plan filing, "2023 Carolinas Resource Plan."

An allowable ex parte communication briefing is a form of communication between the PSC and a person or organization involved in a PSC docket or nondocketed item that is conducted in accordance with SC Code Ann. Section 58-3-260(c)(6). Allowable ex parte communication briefings allow the PSC to receive information from persons involved in matters that come before or are likely to come before the Commission without violating the ethical standards to which the PSC adheres.

More information about this matter can be found in the Docket links: <u>2023-8-E</u> and <u>2023-10-E</u>. If you have questions about this allowable ex parte communication briefing, please reach out to the PSC at 803.896.5100 or at contact@psc.sc.gov.