

BEFORE  
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF  
SOUTH CAROLINA

**HEARING OFFICER DIRECTIVE**

DOCKET NOs. 2013-298-E and 2015-163-E - ORDER NO. 2020-96-H

OCTOBER 7, 2020

Josh Mingos  
Hearing Officer

**DOCKET DESCRIPTION:**

Docket No. 2013-298-E - Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC for Approval of New Cost Recovery Mechanism and Portfolio of Demand-Side Management and Energy Efficiency Programs.

- And -

Docket No. 2015-163-E - Application of Duke Energy Progress, LLC to Establish a New Cost Recovery and Incentive Mechanism for Demand-Side Management and Energy Efficiency Programs.

**MATTER UNDER CONSIDERATION:**

Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC are requesting that the above captioned dockets be held in abeyance, including the testimony filing deadlines and hearing dates, stating the parties to these dockets are engaging in settlement discussions and need additional time to conduct those discussions. The Companies assert that no party objects to this request.

**HEARING OFFICER ACTION:**

The request to hold the above captioned dockets in abeyance, including the testimony filing deadlines and hearing dates, is unopposed and granted. The parties are requested to update the Commission on the progress of settlement discussions within 30 days of the date of this directive, which is on or before Friday, November 9, 2020.