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South Carolina Court of Appeals
Attn: Catherine S. Harrison, Chief Deputy Clerk
P.O. Box 11629
Columbia, SC 29211-1629

Re: Duke Energy Corporation v. SCDOR
Appellate Case No.: 2020-001542

Dear Ms. Harrison:

This letter is in response to the Court's October 11, 2023 notice regarding consideration of oral argument in the above-referenced case during the February 2024 term of court. I respectfully submit that counsel for Duke Energy Corporation has an unavoidable conflict on February 5, 2024.

Please note we are available during any of the other dates set forth in the notice. Therefore, counsel respectfully submits that no alternate dates are needed. Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Sincerely,



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