SC DEPARTMENT *of*
ENVIRONMENTAL
SERVICES

Bureau of Air Quality
PSD Construction Permit
Department Decision

Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC – Anderson County Combined Cycle Station
Corner of Hwy 81 S and True Temper Road
Anderson, South Carolina 29624

In accordance with the 1976 Code of Laws of South Carolina, as amended, including S.C. Code Section 48-6-30(C), a Department Decision has been made to issue Permit No. PSD-50000026 v1.0 to the above-named permittee. This permit was previously placed on public notice and open for public comment from September 11, 2026, through October 20, 2026. A public hearing was held by SCDES's Bureau of Air Quality on October 13, 2026, to receive oral and written comments on the proposed project. Adverse public comments were received by SCDES during the permitting process/comment period. Comments received during the formal comment period have been addressed in SCDES's *Responses to Comments on Air Quality* document attached to this Department Decision. SCDES's decision to issue this permit has been made after consideration and a complete review of the following: the air permit application, applicable state and federal air quality regulations, comments and concerns made at the public hearing and all other comments received within the required time frame, the public hearing transcript, and all other pertinent information.

This Department Decision includes the following: a) the Final Determination, which includes the issued permit which meets the requirements of all applicable air quality regulations; b) a summary of the project, permit, and applicable regulations as outlined in the Statement of Basis; and c) a summary of the comments made by concerned citizens regarding the proposed project and permit and responses by the Bureau of Air Quality, as outlined in the *Responses to Comments on Air Quality*. This Department Decision will be included in SCDES's administrative record for this permit decision.

Permit Number: **PSD-50000026 v1.0**
Agency Air Number: **0200-0310**
Issue Date: **November 19, 2026**

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