

STATEMENT OF KAREN HIGGINS

1. On March 6, 2018, I attended the N.C. General Assembly's Subcommittee meeting on the Atlantic Coast Pipeline (ACP). At that meeting, I provided answers to questions posed by the Subcommittee.
2. On October 4, 2019, I was interviewed by Mr. Kevin Green and Mr. Tom Beers, both of whom are with Eagle Intel, LLC, a private investigation firm hired by the Subcommittee.
3. As I stated during my interview with Eagle Intel, LLC, I was not aware of the Mitigation Project Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) signed by Dominion Energy Transmission, Inc. on January 25, 2018 until it was reported in the news media after the ACP 401 Certification had been issued.
4. I am not familiar with the contents of the MOU and a question on whether or how knowledge of the MOU would have changed the Division of Water Resources' processing of the ACP 401 application is a hypothetical question that calls for speculation, not facts.

Karen Higgins

Name

10-31-19

Date

State of North Carolina, County of Wake

I, Janet T mack, Notary Public do hereby certify that Karen Higgins personally appeared before me this day and acknowledged the due execution of the foregoing instrument.

Witness my hand and official seal, this 31st day of October, 2019 Janet mack, Notary Public

