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Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC  
Form FWP  
November 14, 2016

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*Relating to*

*Preliminary Prospectus Supplement dated November 14, 2016 to*

*Prospectus dated September 23, 2016*

*Registration Statement No. 333-213765-05*

**Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC**  
**First and Refunding Mortgage Bonds,**  
**\$600,000,000 2.95% Series due 2026**

Pricing Term Sheet

Issuer:	Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC
Trade Date:	November 14, 2016
Settlement Date:	November 17, 2016; T+3
Ratings (Moody's/S&P/Fitch)*:	(Aa2/A/AA-) (Stable/Negative/Stable)
Security Description:	First and Refunding Mortgage Bonds, 2.95% Series due 2026 (the <b>Bonds</b> )
Interest Payment Dates:	June 1 and December 1, beginning on June 1, 2017
Principal Amount:	\$600,000,000
Maturity Date:	December 1, 2026
Price to Public:	99.758% per Bond, plus accrued interest, if any, from November 17, 2016
Coupon:	2.95%
Benchmark Treasury:	2.000% due November 15, 2026
Benchmark Treasury Price:	97-31
Benchmark Treasury Yield:	2.228%
Spread to Benchmark Treasury:	+75 bps

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Yield to Maturity:

2.978%

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Redemption Provisions/Make-Whole Call: At any time before September 1, 2026 (which is the date that is three months prior to maturity of the Bonds (the **Par Call Date** )), redeemable at the Treasury Rate + 15 bps. At any time on or after the Par Call Date, redeemable at par.

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Joint Book-Running Managers: BNP Paribas Securities Corp.  
Goldman, Sachs & Co.  
Mizuho Securities USA Inc.  
RBC Capital Markets, LLC

Senior Co-Manager: Loop Capital Markets LLC

Co-Managers: CIBC World Markets Corp.  
Fifth Third Securities, Inc.  
Santander Investment Securities Inc.

Junior Co-Managers: Academy Securities, Inc.  
CastleOak Securities, L.P.

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