Dear Mr. & Ms. Broughton:

Thank you for your comments regarding the rate increase proposed by Louisville Gas & Electric Co. Your comments will be placed into the case file for the Commission's review as it considers this matter. As you noted, the case number in this matter is 2009-00549. Please cite it in any future correspondence regarding this case so that your comments may be readily directed to the case file.

Thank you again for your interest.

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It is my understand that LG & E are going to have another rate increase. I want to let you know that we do not feel that this is justified. You keep raising our rates, but our wages do not increase, nor have then been. The

economy is in a pretty bad situation and as far as I am concerned, we believe that raising our rates will only cause more distress to us and to all in our community.

Please reconsider this rate increase. I believe if you look hard enough you will find ways to trim down the cost from your end instead of raising rates upon our end.

Thank you, Scott and Celia Broughton 2410 Blevins Gap Road Louisville, KY 40272