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Kentucky Power Company
Case No: 2009-00459

Dear Commissioner

I James Maggard and family of six, makes a MOTION to disallow the almost 34 % Rate Hike Increase proposed by the Kentucky Power Company.

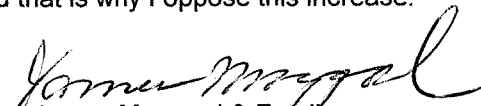
The grounds for this motion is that the Power Company has not updated very little of their equipment, Lines, poles and right of ways in the Coon Creek area of Leslie County in some sections since it was installed in 1952-53. I have a setion behind my Sons House that has not been trimmed out in aproximately 14 years, I have complained, their Engineers come out and tell me they will get it took care of but five years have passed and it has not been cut out yet.

Recent power outage December 19, 2009 was a result of failure to maintain their Right of way for the past several years, including the section behind the house.

The contractors brought in by the ppower company (Pike Electric and others) was within 1000 feet of the downed line serving 28 homes on Coon Creek on the 20th of December 2009, They left without repairing the line and did not return untill 24 December 2009 in the afternoon, when they did return it only took two and a half hours too repair, check and turn the power back on, being an Engineer this is just not correct.

The last rate hike did not improve our service and that is why I oppose this increase.

Thank You


James Maggard & Family