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Public Service Commission 211 Sower Boulevard PO Box 615 Frankfort Ky 40602-0615

Re: Ky Power Co Case No. 2009-00459

Families are struggling to make it from payday to payday without pay increases. Our insurance's have increased, as well as all other monthly living expenses and now, we are told that the Power Company will increase our electric bills by as much as 35%.

When will this end? We need help if we are to survive. People will be forced to choose keeping warm over buying groceries, or medicine, or seeking medical help when needed.

The economy is in one of the worse conditions ever, and the consumer is being attacked from all sides.

Please tell us if there is anything we can do to survive this economic hardship.

Sincerely,

Linda and Stan Smith 25 Sullivan Street

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