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Kentucky Public Service Commission PO Box 615 Frankfort, KY 40602

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Re: AEP rate raise

To Whom This May Concern:

I wish to be exempted from the rate raise by AEP due to my being over 65 years of age and a senior citizen. Actually, I am 81 years old and only receive Social Security benefits. I have no other income.

Again as previously stated, I wish to be EXEMPTED from the rate raise.

Thanking you in advance for any assistance you may be able to give me.

Sincerely,

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