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Gentlemen:

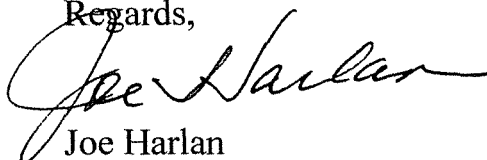
I have received in my February electric bill and notice informing me that Kentucky Utilities has filed for a rate increase with your office. I understand that money means very little in Frankfort since people over there has very little problems spending money they do not have. However, those of us that have had to work for a living and retired on Social Security we do not have extra money.

Before you consider approving this request let us review what is happening to the people, Kentucky Utilities customers. First, we do not get a COLA on our Social Security due to little or none inflation. This decision was made for the next three years. However, Kentucky Utilities wants to raise my electric bill by 13.54%, in a 1% inflation economy! With all the increases outlined on the enclosure they will increase revenues (profits) by 11.5%. I just do not understand how any sane person could allow this to happen.

I would also point out that I know of no one that is happy with the way our State and Federal governments are being currently run and that an approval of this type can only fuel the flame to throw everyone out of office over there and start over.

Hoping sanity can prevail and this increase is send back to Kentucky Utilities until their customer on Social Security gets an increase.

Regards,



Joe Harlan