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From: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)

Sent: Saturday, March 06, 2010 11:32 AM

To: Garage Line Control

Subject: your comments in case 2009-00549 - Louisville Gas & Electric Co. rates

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Hedgepeth:

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. For your future reference, 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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Please do not let LGE increases rates as much as they have proposed or in the manner they are proposing. They are wasteful in repairs, advertising, sponsorships of Homarama and executive salaries. Make them make cuts first. We don't need bills stuffed full of junk mail each month. Our neighborhood was completely rewired this year because the president of LGE lives in the adjacent estate section and our lights were out a few times. We have underground utilities and the repair trucks were here the entire summer. The day they were supposed to have the power off and hook up the new service was postponed because LGE had sponsored a golf tournament at the Hunting Creek Country Club and it would have been effected. Why are they sponsoring golf event while people go without heat?

We have lost our business this last year; I have been out of work a year; we are trying to hold on to what has taken us a lifetime to gain. We are not alone and this is an awful time to raise rates like this and without any regards to usage. We have done everything to keep our bills down and for what purpose. If they are going to flat fees that are that high we should be able to turn off gas service for the summer without a penalty.

Thank you for considering the victims of a foreign-owned monopoly.

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