Dear Ms. Stanley:

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. As you noted, 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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From: PSC - Public Information Officer Sent: Monday, March 08, 2010 11:27 PM To: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC) Subject: FW: LG@E CASE# 2009-00549

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In reference to the raise  $\underline{LG@E}$  is requesting. case # 2009-00549, I am against it. I am strictly against it. I am a senior citizen living on a fixed income like so many others are. When they give the comparison rates to other cities, they need to give the incomes that are made in those cities. The Mayor was on TV and said Ky was getting aid from the federal government for the ice storm, now they wants us to pay for it. Senior citizens living on fixed income are always taken the beating, we didn't get a cost of living increase this year, yet the garbage, water, MSD, health insurance, drug policy insurance and <u>LG@e</u> all raised their rates, seniors like me will have to end up selling our homes even though we are still healthy enough to live in them but we won't be able to afford the necessities to stay in them. Let <u>LG@E</u> make some cuts of their own, check on pay checks and see how much they make, how much do their CEOS make??

The prices they charge before you even get to the charge for gas and electric is out ragious! Take a look at your bill and add up all the charges, it is close to the gas and electric charge.

I think it is wrong for them to charge fifteen cents for gas and fifteen cents for electric for Home energy assistance fund, that should be illegal MAKING people to contribute to something they don't want to. If I ever have any extra money I want to be the one who decides where it goes.

If everyone wants to raise our bill every time we turn around, then they must raise our income, because these raise take a chunk out of our monthly income, it may not seem like much to them but they aren't on a fixed income below poverty level. They should give senior citizens a discount instead of asking for more.

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