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**From:** Melnykovich, Andrew (PSC)  
**Sent:** Friday, December 01, 2006 2:13 PM  
**To:** 'KERRYD827@YAHOO.COM'  
**Subject:** Case no 2006-00172 - Duke Energy

Mr. Daniel:

Thank you for your comments regarding the application by Duke Energy for a rate increase. Your comments will be placed into the case file for consideration by the Public Service Commission as it deliberates in this matter. For your future reference, the case number in this matter is 2006-00172.

*Andrew Melnykovich*  
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**Kentucky Public Service Commission**  
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**From:** PSC - Public Information Officer  
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Dear Public Service Commission,

I just received my Duke Energy letter regarding rate increases beginning Jan 1. I am not happy and believe there are unanswered questions..

If I figure this correctly they have asked for a 16.7% increase cleverly disguised as a small dollar amount of \$11 per month based on 1000 kilwatt hours. Many in our district will not consider this to be a small amount.

They also attempt to buffer the impact by saying there have been no increases since 1992. This is really meaningless.

They state coal costs are 41 percent of the increase.

They have not stated what any of their employees make at any level. We deserve to know this.

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They did not disclose earnings, profits, payouts to stockholders or any similar information. I actually benefit from this, but that is not the issue.

I can't help but believe they expect small public reaction during this busy month.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter,

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