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Kentucky Public Service Commission  
Jeff DeRouen  
Executive Director  
P.O. Box 615  
Frankfort, KY 40602

Re: **Case Number 2009-00549**

Dear Mr. DeRouen,

I am writing to request that the Commonwealth of Kentucky's Public Service Commission deny E.On AG's request to impose new fees and higher usage rates for its customers. The fact that E.On's North American operations are contemplating a sale of LG&E and Kentucky Utilities requires careful scrutiny of the justification for its request. Obviously, if its customers are paying more for gas and electric usage, the companies have more appeal to prospective buyers. Yet, the citizens of the Commonwealth will be saddled with higher monthly bills.

As a St. Matthews Area Ministries Board member, I am particularly concerted that the increase in the flat rate fee for gas to \$26.53 and the tripling of the electric flat rate from \$5.00 to \$15.00 will add yet another financial burden for the clients we serve as well as for anyone living on a fixed income or depleted retirement savings, particularly senior citizens.

I do strongly oppose this increase in costs, particularly at this time of uncertainty.

Sincerely,



Carol Olorunsola