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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION December 5, 2014 1088 Secretariat Dr. W Danville, Kentucky 40422

Dear Sirs:

This letter is regarding the rate increase requested by Kentucky Utilities. I feel that this rate increase is far too large amount for the average customer to be required to pay for KU's service. I know their costs have increased to provide their service and while I realize that they may be justified in asking for some additional money, I feel that a 9.57% increase at one time is far too much for most customers to have to pay. I have to go back covering several years to account for an increase of this amount in my salary.

You are the only authority that can prevent this large monetary increase to Kentucky Utilities. I respectfully ask that their requested rate increase be reduced substantially to an amount that the average customer could afford without cutting into their other required expenses.

Thank you

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Sincerely,

Richard Ray