Dear Mr. Ardeshir:

Thank you for your comments on the application of Louisville Gas & Electric Co. for an adjustment in rates.

Your comments in the above-referenced matter have been received and will be placed into the case file for the Commission's consideration.

For your future reference, the case number in this matter is 2016-00371. It would be helpful if you would please refer to it in any further correspondence.

The application and other documents in this case are available at http://psc.ky.gov/PSC_WebNet/ViewCaseFilings.aspx?case=2016-00371

Thank you again for your interest in this matter.

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-----Original Message-----From: Farah Ardeshir Sent: Friday, March 17, 2017 7:06 PM To: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC) <Andrew.Melnykovych@ky.gov> Subject: Re: Doubling the rates

My place of residence is in Bloomington, Indiana but I have friends and family in Louisville.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Mar 17, 2017, at 3:01 PM, Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC) < Andrew.Melnykovych@ky.gov> wrote:

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> In order to place your comments into the case file, we need your place of residence. Thank you.

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- > Sent: Tuesday, March 14, 2017 9:40 AM
- > To: PSC Public Information Officer < PSC.Info@ky.gov>
- > Subject: Doubling the rates

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> To whom it may concern:

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> I am deeply concerned about LGE proposing to raise the basic service rates for electric and gas. Regardless of receiving any new features or differences in service, there is a proposal to increase the service fee. How is this acceptable for the consumer? I find it completely unacceptable that many of my family and friends will be impacted negatively by this. That's \$20 for both bills that could be saved for a family vacation, groceries, or general savings. Consumers of utilities should not be expected to make LGE richer for no added value to the service.

> Please do not allow this proposal to succeed.

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> Sent from my iPhone

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From: jill harmer

Sent: Sunday, March 19, 2017 2:53 PM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>; jill harmer <jharmer81@hotmail.com>
Subject: case 2016-00371

Please do not increase the base rates of electricity, LGE. That decreases incentives to save electricity for everyone, and hurts the poor more than anyone. It helps those who use a lot of electricity.

I would like to get solar but it makes less sense with the proposed re structure. Solar users would help lge by reducing demand at peak times so that LGE doesn't have to pay for outside sources at increased cost to produce electricity.

Please encourage the use of solar and wind energy. Thank you.

Jill harmer 40205

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