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R/E Case Number 2020-00350

Dear Public Service Commission,

I vehemently oppose the proposed price increase from Louisville Gas and Electric. As stated in the Case No. 2020-00350 the proposal will increase the average residential Electric bill by 11.81% and the Gas bill by 8.37%. This is ludicrous! My wife and I are retired and currently barely pay our monthly bills. We are receiving a 1.3% increase in our Social Security Check starting January 2021. According to the government this is a cost of living increase. I can agree with a 1.3% increase from LG & E, but I cannot agree with this exorbitant request. Instead of increasing cost, they should put in place cost cutting and cost saving measures to keep their rates low for the struggling consumer in these tough times.

Regards,

Philip Adkison Carol Adkison

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## Sir/Madame

I am writing you concerning Louisville Gas and Electric proposed increase in electric and gas rates and charges effective January 1, 2021. Case No. 2020-00350.

They propose an 11.8% increase in residential electric rates and a 9.37% increase in residential gas rates. For a costumer with an average monthly consumption, this works out to a yearly increase of \$140.88 in their electric bill and a \$74.04 in their gas bill, for a total of \$214.92.

Given the present 12 month inflation rate for all items is 1.2%, in my opinion, this increase seems very excessive.

The cost of living increase for social security for 2021 is 1.3%. For anyone relying on social security as their main source of income, this increase in their energy bill will be a significant burden.

Also with the present COVID-19 virus epidemic, thousands of people are unemployed and suffering financially. This is not the time to place this further burden upon them.

I implore you to deny this excessive increase that Louisville Gas and Electric is requesting.

Thank you

Sincerely,

Kenneth Balcombe

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To Whom It May Conserve.

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increases downsittle Hast Electric Co.
is requesting and I don't think they
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out of john L. H. + E. Should Lite the
tullet like everyone else and delay
the increases don't grant the increases.

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Sincerely Evelyn Aingus 202 Lakewood Dr apt 4 Za Grange, Ky 40031