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NAME: Dr. Brian Supplee

**CONTACT SENDER? Yes** 

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INDUSTRY: Electric

## ACCOUNT INFORMATION:

Company: AEP

• Name on account: Same as above • (no service address provided?) • Service phone: 614-338-1440 • (no account number provided?)

## COMPLAINT DESCRIPTION:

It is my understanding that rate de-regulation went into effect in 2007. I have had a near doubling of my electric bill in the last 2 months with no increase in consumption. Considering that there is a request for another 15% increase for 2009 plan on this and other physician offices closing, if in fact this is approved, due to uncontrollable overhead cost in the face of decreased revenue and re-imbursement from the BWC, insurance companies, etc. In otherwords I do not think it is wise to put more peopple out of work so that AEP can have another record profit year.

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caller states bill doubled in last few mo. deregulated pricing in 2007. Caller feels gouged by elec, asked about competition, asked about how to protest rate increase, advised of hearings.