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Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Attention: Case Number 14-0841EL-SSo 180 Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215

Dear Commissioner:

I am writing to express my concern about the plan for a public-funded bailout of a Utility company, that utilizes old, polluting technology. No company should ever be bailed out with public funds – neither on Wall Street, nor on Main Street. I urge you to reconsider the decision.

Thank you, kindly. A

Buddhadev Mukherjee

6081 Blueberry Drive Liberty Township, OH 45011 September 24, 2015

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street Columbus, OH 43215

To whom it may concern:

I am writing to you regarding case number 14-0841EL-SSO. I pay my bill to Duke Energy, and I care about this issue because my family and I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bills. A bailout of old, polluting technology only benefits utility shareholders and delays inevitable investment in efficiency and renewable energy. Please deny the rate increase to lock consumers into buying power from Ohio's oldest, dirtiest coal plants.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely

Miriam De La Cruz