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

Re:

AEP: 16-1852-EL-SSO

DP&L: 15-1830-EL-AIR

As an Ohio resident, I do not support the flat rate increases being proposed by Dayton Power and Light and American Electric Power. Increasing the flat rate punishes the customers who use less energy.

Ohio should not set up a precedent for energy companies all over the state who will also want to raise flat rates that are punitive to low and fixed income customers who already are struggling to pay their monthly bills..

What I do support is increasing Ohio's energy efficiency and renewable energy resources.

Please hold the line on allowing or encouraging increases to the "customer charge."

Thank you.

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