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RECEIVED DOCKETING DI I read today in the Dayton Daily News about the huge increase requested by VECTREN. It was just in 2005 that this company was permitted an increase. (4.3%)

These increases in the energy companies are a great part of the many foreclosures in our state. Many homeowners are just trying to stay in their homes and now companies like VECTREN are trying to get more when there is no more.

Vectren is asking for a 7.8% increase in Residential Sales Service. Also, Residential Transportation charges will increase by 34.36%. (Many Rider Charges) The General Sales Service charge wouldincrease to 3.37%. (Again many Rider charges)

Maybe this company should take a good look at our today economy and try to live within their means which they were awarded in 2005.

I would certainly appreciate your commission looking at all these increases. Any increase passed on to our businesses will just be passed on to us as customers. When will we as citizens of this great State of Ohio going to stand up to these big energy companies?

Thanks for taking your time to understand my point.

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