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

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Service Monitoring & Enforcement Department

Dear Members of PUCO,

I am writing to ask you to deny the rate increase to lock consumers into buying power from Ohio's oldest, dirtiest coal plants. We pay our bill to Duke energy, and have long wished for a better solution for our current power plants. We also want to save money on our electric bills. Bailing out old, polluted plants only benefits the utility shareholders and not the consumers. It delays investing in more efficient and renewable energy, which is what we desire. We are also concerned with periodic reports that the area in which we live has some of the dirtiest air around. A bailout is not the answer. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Julie Froude

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