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PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO Consumer Service Division Memorandum

CASE ID: 00763165 CUSTOMER: Karissa IQ: Columbia Gas of Ohio

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DOCKETING CASE #: 21-0637

SUBJECT: Columbia Gas of Ohio - Protest Rate Case

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"I am writing to express my opposition to Colombia Gas's application to increase rates. As a public utility with a monopoly on utility services, I do not have any other options for a gas provider. The utility should be provided with the interest of the public in mind. Tripling people's bill for gas distribution services while many are struggling to make ends meet with inflation and stagnant wages is wrong. In this time of energy transition, more money and infrastructure should not be put into further gas lines but into renewable energy such as making heat pumps accessible in homes and providing wind and solar electricity for heating and other purposes."

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Summary: Public Comment of Karissa, via website, electronically filed by Docketing Staff on behalf of Docketing