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This letter is in reference to PUCO case 23-301 regarding the proposed rate hike of our electric bill by the FirstEnergy Company.

We conducted an analysis of our electric bills from January through August of this year. FirstEnergy charged us \$5.47 per killowatt hour for electricity in January. By August we were paying \$11.50 per killowatt hour. Within 7 months our energy bill doubled. And now the electric company wants to increase that same service?

How greedy!!!

How dare this company add to the financial burden of elderly people on fixed incomes. Or families struggling to make ends meet with rising prices on food, gasoline and inflation!

FirstEnergy might want to reconsider a rate increase after the incident with HB6, Larry Householder and Matt Borges.

Sincerely,

Truman and Priscilla Patterson

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## FIRST ENERGY OHIO EDISON

January		<b>KWH</b>
February	5.38	
March	5.38	
April	5.76	,
May	5.88	
June	10.82	
July	11.71	
August	11.50	•
September	10.22	2 -

In 8 months the supplier, First Energy/Ohio Edison, has doubled electric charges.