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To: PUC: <PUC@puc.nh.gov>

Subject: Pennichuck East Rate increase sought.

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Hello

I just received a letter from Pennichuck East saying they are seeking a temporary 15% rate increase and a permanent 21.5% rate increase for Raymond and several other communities. It seems like only a few years ago they sent me a letter indicating they would ask for an increase and a monthly 1.5% surcharge so future large rate increase request would become unnecessary. Now I get another letter saying they want a 21.5% permanent rate increase? These rate increases are getting out of hand and all too often approved by you. I'm urging you not to grant them any rate increases. It has been three years since the surcharge was floated and now they want a 21.5% rate hike? What was that surcharge all about? I got a 1.3% Social Security cola. Their request is over 7% a year.

Regards

Stephen Dyleski