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Dear Commission,

I am tired of Eversource raising our rates. My electric bill literally doubled this winter and usually my bill is lower in the winter than the summer when ac's are running. This is getting out of hand. Please tell Eversource no more raping customers to pad their bottom line. I moved from Massachusetts 9 years ago and I have steadily watch my electric bill increase every year significantly. Why is Eversource so much more expensive in New Hampshire than Massachusetts. Do they think we are hicks and don't see what they are doing. Please stand up and say no to this increase. When you live pay check to pay check this couldn't come at a worse time.

I urge the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission to reject the unfair Eversource rate proposals (DE 19-057).

The proposed 23.9% residential increase is higher than any other rate class.

In addition, increasing the basic customer charge unfairly adds to the burden on many older Eversource customers, who generally use less electricity. Eversource New Hampshire customers already pay a much higher monthly customer charge than their customers in Massachusetts and Connecticut.

Finally, the proposed nearly automatic surcharges remove incentives for the utility to become more efficient and sidestep the regulatory process for setting rates.

Utility rates are an essential pocketbook issue for people age 50-plus and their families, many of whom struggle to balance paying utility bills and other household expenses along with buying food and medicine.

Please reject the unfair Eversource residential rate hike proposals.

Thank you for your consideration,

Sincerely,

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