Sandra Soto

From: Sandra Soto on behalf of Records Clerk

Sent: Monday, July 18, 2016 8:50 AM

To: 'Steve Bertelli'

Subject: RE: FPL increase request Doc. 160021-E1

Good morning Mr. Bertelli,

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 160021-EI and forwarding your comments to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Sincerely,

Sandra Soto Commission Deputy Clerk I Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399 (850) 413-6010

From: Steve Bertelli [mailto:monyntime@comcast.net]

Sent: Sunday, July 17, 2016 9:45 AM

To: Records Clerk

Subject: FPL increase request Doc. 160021-E1

Dear Mr Stauffer,

I am writing to let you know my discontent with the request of FPL absorbent rate increase **docket number 160021-E1**.

I remember back when FPL was requesting customers to donate to their solar project. While I am all for alternative clean energy, it gave me pause to think that such a request would be made when FPL was flush with cash.

Again they are requesting a rate increase when they are already positive cash flow of 11% above and beyond their needs. This when inflation is only 2%. How out of touch and decadent a request on the backs of many elderly that make a choice between lighting or lifesaving drugs.

Large increases like this early have an astronomical compounding effect on future rates. It's an effect that had Einstein in awe.

Keep the \$\$ in the Florida citizens families rather than the privileged few executive and share holders pockets.

Best Regards;

Steve Bertelli 328 N Ocean Blvd 707 Pompano Beach, FL 33062

