## **Brandy Butler**

From: Ruth McHargue

Sent: Wednesday, January 10, 2018 4:16 PM

To: Consumer Correspondence
Cc: Diane Hood; Janet Brunson
Subject: FW: To CLK Docket 20160101

From: Consumer Contact

Sent: Wednesday, January 10, 2018 3:49 PM

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From: Chris Derato [mailto:cderato@aol.com] Sent: Wednesday, January 10, 2018 2:58 PM

To: Consumer Contact

Subject: Utilities Inc. of Florida Rate Increase

RE: Docket Number 20160101

I'm complaining about the over 100% increase in water and sewage rates that you recently granted Utilities Inc. of Florida. My wife and I are both retired and live on a fixed income from our retirement account and can't afford this type of increase. Please check your past records and note that you granted a previous increase a few years ago that doubled our water bill then. As an agency that is supposed to protect consumers, you have failed miserably. I urge you to take another look at the need for this recent increase. Thanks.

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