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From: John Plescow
Sent: Monday, June 27, 2022 11:51 AM
To: Consumer Correspondence; Diane Hood
Subject: FW: To CLK Docket 20210015

Please, add to docket 20210015.

From: Consumer Contact <Contact@PSC.STATE.FL.US>
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From: Ed Cassidy <ejcassidy111@yahoo.com>
Sent: Sunday, June 26, 2022 4:08 PM
To: Consumer Contact <Contact@PSC.STATE.FL.US>
Subject: New Florida Power and Light minimum billing charge

Public Service Commission;

[His FPL bill averaged \\$15 a month — until it doubled with new minimum monthly charge \(msn.com\)](#)

Above is a link to an article from the by Ron Hurtibise of The South Florida Sun Sentinel newspaper published today. I believe that it spells out the reasons that small / conservative users of electricity are upset.

I'm emailing you as I believe the PSC is the agency that approved this new Florida Power and Light minimum billing charge. In reviewing the article, it appears to me that conservation and energy alternative initiatives are being overlooked and in fact punished.

I too had my bill increase by greater than 2 fold due to my conservative efforts. I believe that the existing \$8.99 charge is meant to offset the costs not directly related to producing and delivering electricity. Rather than punishing the small users and/or solar adopters it would be better to increase the price per kilowatt hour to whatever point would cover the additional costs required by FPL. By doing so you would maintain the focus on energy conservation whereas the larger consumers would pay their fair share based on their conservation efforts.

Thank you for your time and I hope you rethink your efforts to make FPL financially whole.

Ed Cassidy, Venice FL 34293