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## **Antonia Hover**

From:John PlescowSent:Thursday, February 2, 2023 4:33 PMTo:Consumer Correspondence; Diane HoodSubject:FW: To CLK Docket 20230001

Please, add to docket 20230001.

-----Original Message-----From: Consumer Contact <Contact@PSC.STATE.FL.US> Sent: Thursday, February 02, 2023 3:38 PM To: John Plescow <JPlescow@PSC.STATE.FL.US> Subject: To CLK Docket 20230001

-----Original Message-----From: Stephanie Trauschke <strauschke@gmail.com> Sent: Thursday, February 02, 2023 12:23 PM To: Consumer Contact <Contact@PSC.STATE.FL.US> Subject: Rate increase

Hello,

I am disturbed by the rate increase approval for duke power. The company has made a fantastic profit despite the storms and inflation. This profit should be used to proactively prepare for storms and make repairs rather than continue to make exorbitant profits for the board and officials. Instead, this is passed on to consumers who are already struggling with inflation. As a consumer, there is no free market and we cannot choose what company we have. Therefore, it is a monopoly price gauging after a disaster.

How can I petition to not allow this to pass or prevent this from happening in the future?

I am disturbed.

Stephanie Trauschke