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**From:** Angie Calhoun  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 17, 2019 2:21 PM  
**To:** Consumer Correspondence  
**Cc:** Diane Hood  
**Subject:** FW: To CLK Docket 20190138-EC

Consumer correspondence for docket 20190138.

Angela Calhoun  
Regulatory Program Administrator  
Office of Consumer Assistance & Outreach

-----Original Message-----

From: [consumerComplaint@psc.state.fl.us](mailto:consumerComplaint@psc.state.fl.us) [<mailto:consumerComplaint@psc.state.fl.us>]  
Sent: Tuesday, September 17, 2019 2:03 PM  
To: Consumer Contact  
Subject: E-Form Other Complaint TRACKING NUMBER: 139848

**CUSTOMER INFORMATION**

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**BUSINESS INFORMATION**

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**COMPLAINT INFORMATION**

Complaint: Other Complaint against Duke Energy Florida, LLC d/b/a Duke Energy  
Details:

In Hardee county, we were forced to switch from Duke Energy to Peace River Cooperative for electric service. I just noticed that you don't regulate Peace River Cooperative. That must mean that we are screwed with the rates that appear to be near double those of Duke Energy. Is there nothing to be done to stop this massive rate increase? Somewhere along the line Duke Energy must have agreed to serve the needs of Hardee County to be allowed to provide service. Can they just walk away from that commitment? Can someone else come in and take over the electric service and double the rates again?

I know I am probably jousting windmills here, but let this serve as a complaint of excessive taxation without representation. Can I just start up a company providing electricity with no oversight or regulation?