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Re:Docket number 160021-E1 Florida Power & Light's (FPL) request for a \$1.34 billion increase in base rates.

Dear Ms. Carlotta Stauffer:

I am a disable Vet-Nam Veteran living on a fixed income like other senior citizens here in South Florida which alone is a very expensive area to live. FPL is considering this rate increase in order to generate higher profits for their selves and their shareholders that do not live here in our State of Florida. We have some seniors that cannot afford medication in some cases. I can go on and on with the problems we senior citizens are facing here in South Florida. Now to allow this rate increase is going to hurt a lot of people beside the senior citizens of this great state.

Commissioner we all know the fact that all big corporations look for millions of dollars to pay their executives and shareholders. We cannot see where FPL will spend \$1.34 billion dollars in equipment or improvements of services.

I thing I made add, Commissioner thing of you having at least one senior family member living in South Florida facing this high rate increase. Would you let this be a burden on your senior family member? I personal pray that you will not let this rate increase be approved.

May GOD be with you on your decision on this issue.

Ward regards,

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