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I was floored to realize this company, BHP, can raise their rates at will without any oversight! This must change. I don't believe there is any business today that can be trusted to make these kinds of decisions without some tough questions being asked before any rate increase can be approved. Just what has this company been doing with the profits they enjoy in past years? If I am paying for this power plant then this makes me a share holder! Where are my dividends for my shares I must have? I know this not the case but this is how I am looking at it now. This company hangs a carrot in front of everyone by offering a lower rate. I bought in to this plan and now look what has happened. I am seriously looking at Gas to heat my garage during the winter and not electric heat. I believe BHP is going to regret this increase for a long time to come. Change the way these rate increases are done. No raises before the PUC has a chance to ask some questions of the CEO and upper management. Seems like the seniors in this country of ours is under attack from all corners and especially by the garbage in Washington.

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