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Sirs in Pierre,

PLEASE suspend the rate increase stated on the last page of the latest bill from Excel Energy. Please hold a public hearing on this rate increase.

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This is not in the best interest of all citizens, especially Senior citizens on fixed incomes.

Thank you for considering this matter.

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