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To: PUC-PUC <PUC@state.sd.us>

Subject: [EXT] Electric Price Increase

To whom it may concern,

I am writing in concern to the price increase that Black Hills Energy is wanting to impose. I ask that you please reject the increase. As it current stands, my electric bill is over \$100. With their increase, it will push my electric bill closer to \$300. I cannot justify them wanting to increase our rates just so they can pay for a new facility. With the current rates, and how many customers they have in the area, they should be able to cover a few facility with what they currently have.

Thank you for taking the time to read this email.

Have a great day.

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