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From: Collin Roehner on behalf of Records Clerk
Sent: Thursday, July 14, 2016 8:16 AM
To: 'Vanski'
Subject: RE: FPL Rate Hike Not Needed to Serve You, It's About Corporate Profit

Good morning Mr. Vazquez,

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 160021-EI and forwarding your comments to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Sincerely,

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Sent: Wednesday, July 13, 2016 5:36 PM
To: Records Clerk
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Name: Ivan Vazquez

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This is a complex request that would require us – the consumer – to pay monthly increases to the only power provider available to you. FPL's request equals a 23 percent base rate increase for all residential ratepayers (this is a charge increase even before you flip on a switch,) and would allow an unprecedented return on equity (shareholder profit) of 11.5 to 12.5 percent

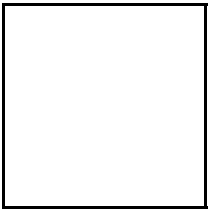
We have no option of investing in any other power company, we have no say in how many millions of dollars they pay their C-Suite executives, and we have no accurate accounting for the full scale of political contributions they make each year to influence those in powers to keep FPL in its unchallenged, powerful position in this state.

"They're asking for money to resolve – to get more profit for people that are out – for their shareholders that are out of state. Now we have seniors that cannot afford to buy their medication, and now with this rate increase and everything else, as everyone has

spoken about, that will – it's not only a 23 percent, everything that comes with it that they're going to have to pay for, they may have to – they may have to serve – they may have to not eat to be able to pay for their bills.

“When you're considering this rate increase in order to generate higher profits for FP&L, please keep in mind that those profits come at our expense, and that includes the senior community, many of whom are having a very hard time of it.

Regards, Ivan Vazquez



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