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## **Lorena Hollett**

From: Lorena Hollett on behalf of Records Clerk

Sent: Monday, March 13, 2023 8:27 AM

To: 'B21gator@gmail.com'
Cc: Consumer Contact

**Subject:** RE: Docket No. 20200181; Put us on a path to lower power bills through energy

efficiency

Good morning, Michael Barth.

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20200181, and forwarding your comments to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Regards,

Lorena Hollett Commission Deputy Clerk I Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399 Phone: (850) 413-6758

----Original Message-----

From: B21gator@everyactioncustom.com <B21gator@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Sunday, March 12, 2023 9:02 PM

To: Records Clerk < CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>

Subject: Docket No. 20200181; Put us on a path to lower power bills through energy efficiency

Dear Florida PSC Commissioners,

My solar panels produce more energy every year than I consume. Last year Duke bought the extra energy from me for \$165. Then they sold it to my neighbor for \$350.

Can you explain why I need to pay a minimum bill for infrastructure on the 50 feet of cable that yields Duke a huge profit?

And why can't I install more than 10kW and participate in a Virtual Power Plant to do my part in helping the environment? The solar panels on my roof don't require any extra land to be cleared. But a utility solar farm destroys land that can be used to sequester carbon.

Maybe the PSC needs to have a Hippocratic Oath type of mission statement:

- "First, do no harm to the environment."
- "Second, do no harm to the citizen."

Sincerely,
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