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LETTER OF COMMENT

Comments:

I am writing in regards to your application FILE NUMBER: EB-2015-0004. I came across an article in the Ottawa citizen stating June 8th is the last day to communicate the proposed charges that Hydro Ottawa wishes to put into effect. In reading the article it indicates that the Innovative Research Group telephone survey of 1,036 residential customers. I hate to be rude but that is way below even a quarter of the Ottawa population. How is contacting 1036 customers substantial information for raising bills again. Especially when there are so many customers who live pay cheque to pay cheque. I for one believe this is just another excuse to charge hard working people and families more money. I do not agree that adequate information was collected let a lone enough customers contacted for this application to even be considered. Perhaps you could take the time to contact all your customers for better information instead of asking just a hand full if its ok if their bills increase because it is only a few dollars. Look at the larger picture here when I can't afford to feed my family because some money hungry company wants to increase their charges even though they make billons annually how is this fare?

Think of all the people that are in this situation. The cost of everything keeps going up because large corporations do not give their customers the opportunity to appose the plans to hike costs more. They are not even considered.

I hope you take this into account that there are so many people in the position that they can't afford food housing etc... What if that was all of Ottawa you would not have any customers? How would the application look then? Not a very smart idea

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