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April 17, 2017

Ms. Rosemary Chiavetta  
Secretary  
Public Utility Commission  
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Re: Docket No. C-2017-2589827

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

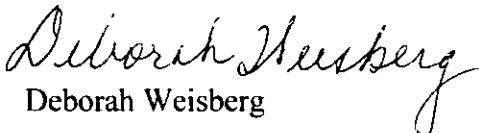
In response to Duquesne Light Company's preliminary objections to my above-referenced complaint, I contend that Duquesne Light property damaged my vehicle and therefore the company should be held responsible for damages. I submitted a reasonable claim to Duquesne Light and repeatedly attempted to work with them, but they failed to respond in an appropriate manner, which is why I appealed to the Public Utility Commission for help.

While I understand that Duquesne Light contends it is not up to the PUC to award damages, I believe the company should have to answer to the PUC for its failure to safely maintain their light pole outside my house.

Duquesne Light sent a worker to remove the offending copper cable that gashed my car, so they obviously acknowledged it was a problem. They simply don't want to pay for the damage their poorly-maintained equipment did to my vehicle.

I would like the PUC to find them responsible for their failure to maintain safe equipment, and to mediate my claim in arbitration.

Sincerely,

  
Deborah Weisberg

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