To whom it may concern,

I received my Columbia Gas of PA bill today. Included in it was a proposed rate increase which, according to their paperwork, would raise bills by 11%. The average raise in PA is 2.61%. They literally just raised rates by 11% in a pandemic and now they want a 22% raise in 2 years compared to the average persons 5% raise in that same time span? In a pandemic?

They've managed to hide Mark Kempic's compensation which I'm guessing is several million dollars.

In light of the pandemic and the fact the thieves at Columbia Gas just raised prices by 11% - I formally request a mandatory rate reduction to residential customers of 75%.

As the PUC you work for the citizens. As one of your bosses I demand you vote NO to the rate increase and hit them with a rate reduction for their audacity to ask for such an appalling increase. They are already a monopoly.

Sincerely,

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