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While my husband and I are fortunate enough to not have to choose between paying our utility bill and purchasing food, I resent the fact that SCE & G has so blatantly overspent. The fact that we DO have money to have been able to retire is only because we made ourselves live within our means. This is a concept that appears to be very foreign to SCE & G!!

As an individual, I am helpless to stop the overspending. The purpose of the PSC is to hold utility companies accountable. Please do your job! The PSC needs to get to the bottom of this and protect consumers from high utility costs. SCE&G’s residential customers already pay more than 16% of our electric bills for this project. And if this new rate increase is approved, we will pay almost 19% more. Will it ever end?

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