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Dear PURA Commissioners,
Eversource's proposed $727 million annual rate increase must be rejected. We already pay some of the highest electric bills in the country, and another $400 a year per household is unaffordable for most of us.
Meanwhile, Eversource is seeking permission to increase its allowed return on equity from 9.25% to 10.25%, **well above the national average of approximately 9.7%.** PURA must ensure ratepayers are not being asked to pay more to improve returns for investors.
As a regulated monopoly, Eversource should be held to the highest standards of transparency, accountability, and responsible spending.
I urge PURA to reject unjustified rate increases, scrutinize every dollar Eversource is requesting, and prioritize affordable, reliable electricity for Connecticut residents over corporate profits.

Sincerely, Eric Brown

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