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Committee Assigned: Utilities & Natural Resources

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RESOLUTION

**Re-regulate and restrict the Utility Companies to a maximum of 15% profit
and require cost of fuel to be shown on electric bills**

A RESOLUTION TO: Require the Texas Public Utilities Commission to provide a plan to the Texas Legislature that would control the extremely high rate increases that have been the result of Deregulation.

WHEREAS, The large profits reported by the Utilities Companies are unreasonable and are creating a hard ship on the senior citizens with a fixed income; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, THAT the 11th Texas Silver-Haired Legislature encourage and strongly recommend that the 80th Texas Legislature enact laws to restrict the Utility Companies to a maximum of 15% profit on their investment; be regulated by the Public Utilities Commission; and require fuel costs to be shown on electric bills..

PASSED AND APPROVED this 13th day of September, 2006,
by the Utilities & Natural Resources Committee.

Richard A. Landry, Jr., Chair

PASSED AND APPROVED this 14th day of September, 2006,
by the Texas Silver-Haired Legislature.

Charlotte Parks, Speaker

ATTEST:

Carlos Higgins, Secretary