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To Whom It May Concern,

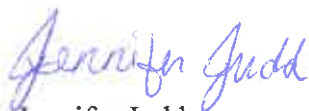
It has recently come to my attention that Rocky Mountain Power is attempting to monopolize on the energy market in the state of Utah through attacking current and future solar residents by fining them for choosing an alternative energy. Rocky Mountain already benefits from the solar energy produced and in addition, charges a flat monthly fee to solar panel owners. This is deplorable, and I strongly request that you stop Rocky Mountain Power from passing this bill. Utah residents have the right to choose the energy methods their homes run on without being punished through choosing an environmentally and financially fiscal option for their families.

I would also like to remind The Public Service Commission of Utah that there are several solar companies based in Utah. Passing this bill would presumably harm and deplete many jobs throughout the state. This includes my brother, a father of 7, one of his children being special needs, being the sole income provider. I asked him the concerns amongst the employees of his company. The following is his response: "It [This proposal] creates scare in the potential customer, which in turn means that we can't get customers, which means it puts us out of a job."

Furthermore, passing this bill goes against families' rights, business rights and environmental rights while creating a monopoly for a fossil fuel company. I implore you to do the right thing and deny this bill from passing.

Thank you for your consideration and please protect the rights and jobs of the citizens.

Sincerely,



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