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Re: **PRN 2017-164 and BPU Docket Number: AX1750469** AARP COMMENTS CONCERNING THE NJ BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES PROPOSED NEW RULES: N.J.A.C. 14:3-2A, INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT AND RECOVERY

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PRN 2017-165 and BPU Docket Number: AX1750468 AARP COMMENTS CONCERNING THE NEW JERSEY BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES' PROPOSED RULES ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF PROVISIONAL BASE RATES

Dear Secretary Asbury,

Please accept the enclosed copies of 1024 comments concerning the above referenced rule proposals. These have been filed by utility consumers who are AARP members and non-AARP members.

Thank you for your careful consideration of AARP's comments. If you have any questions or would like additional information please do not hesitate to contact me at <u>eliebman@aarp.org</u>.

Sincerely,

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Evelyn Liebman AARP NJ Director of Advocacy

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