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**EB-2020-0133 Consultation on the Deferral Account
Pollution Probe Reply Comments on the Draft Issues List**

Dear Ms. Long:

In accordance with the Board's letter dated May 14, 2020 and clarification letter dated June 4, 2020, please find below Pollution Probe's reply comments related to the Draft Issues List.

Pollution Probe has reviewed the submissions by stakeholders and believes that the comments provided in our June 11 submission remain relevant, particularly for using "net costs" after mitigation instead of just the cost side of the ledger. In addition, several parties raised the fundamental issue of whether incremental costs should be recoverable from consumers that are already struggling under the impacts of COVID-19. Pollution Probe suggests that the issue wording changes proposed by SEC in their letter dated June 11, 2020 would ensure those issues are adequately addressed.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of Pollution Probe.



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