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Federal Communications Commission
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Dear Sir/Madam:

Itron hereby requests adding a passive re-radiator antenna option to the 60W Automatic Meter Reading endpoint, FCC:EO960W. This passive antenna allows improved performance for the 60W endpoints that are mounted under steel water pit lids, or other RF harsh environments. The antenna is very unique to the 60W endpoint and just snaps on over the top of the existing 60W and passively couples to the existing integrated antenna. The 60W water endpoint device itself is not changed in any way. This includes that there are no changes to the RF circuit or integrated antenna, and therefore no changes to its RF output power.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jay R. Holcomb".

Jay R. Holcomb
R&D Program and Regulatory Manager

Enclosure: n/a
cc: n/a