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Federal Communications Commission
7435 Oakland Mills Road
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Subject: Request for Addition of a Passive re-Radiator Accessory
FCC:EO980WI

Dear Sir/Madam:

Itron hereby requests adding a passive re-radiator antenna option to the 80Wi Automatic Meter Reading endpoint, FCC:EO980WI. This passive antenna allows improved performance for the 80Wi endpoints that are mounted under steel water pit lids, or other RF harsh environments. The antenna lead snaps into a pocket on the existing 80Wi and passively couples to the existing integrated antenna. The 80Wi 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 blue ink that reads "Jay R. Holcomb". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Jay R. Holcomb
R&D Program and Regulatory Manager

Enclosure: n/a
cc: n/a