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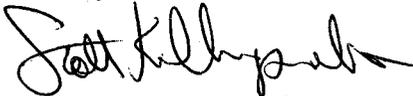
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Dear Commissioners:

I appreciate your willingness to create an opt-out provision for smart meters, as I believe the evidence is becoming increasingly clear that they pose a threat to human health. However I am concerned that the draft is insufficient as currently written. Guideline 8 states that customers may request and have installed meters that do not transmit wirelessly. Wireless transmissions are only a part of the problem with smart meters, however. Other types of smart meters transmit harmful high-frequency radiation over power lines that may be as bad or worse for health than wireless meters.

Therefore I strongly urge the Commission to change the language to simply say that "regardless of the metering technology used, all Arizona customers may request, and have installed, non-communicating electromechanical meters". These meters are proven safe and the only ones that we can be assured do not have a negative impact on health.

Sincerely,



Scott Killingsworth