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Ms. Magalie R. Salas, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
The Portals, 445 12th Street, S.W.
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Re: Docket Number: 00221
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Dear Ms. Salas:

On Tuesday, September 25, on behalf of Itron, Inc., the undersigned met with Paul Margie, Legal Advisor to Commissioner Michael J. Copps, concerning the above-referenced proceeding. We discussed Itron's position in the proceeding, including an allocation to utility telemetry, as proposed by Itron and the American Hospital Association. This position is covered fully in the Itron and AHA filings in the proceeding. In addition, I provided a copy of Itron's *ex parte* letter dated August 23, 2001, which has already been filed for the record.

If there are any questions in this regard, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,



Henry Goldberg
Attorney for Itron, Inc.

cc: Paul Margie

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