Public Service Commission of Wisconsin

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610 North Whitney Way
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April 27, 2010

Ms. Catherine Kleiber
N9387 Riverview Drive
Waterloo, WI 53594

Re: Meter Complaint forwarded from Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection

Dear Ms. Kleiber:

On April 21, 2010, the Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (DATCP) forwarded a complaint to our agency that you had filed with them concerning the automated meter reading (AMR) electric meters being installed by We Energies.

Regulation, licensing, and safety of radio frequency equipment rests with the Federal Communications Commission (FCC). The FCC is required by the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 to evaluate the effect of emissions from FCC-regulated transmitters on the quality of the human environment. The AMR meters used by We Energies comply with FCC safety standards.

For the few electric customers that have expressed health concerns with the AMR technology We Energies has given them the option of choosing to move their electric meters away from their house to another location on their property, at the customer's expense. There is no basis for the Commission to require We Energies to take any further or different action. Pursuant to Wis. Admin. Code § PSC 113.0809, the utility determines the type of metering equipment to be installed and its location.

If you have further questions, please feel free to contact me at (608) 267-3595.

Sincerely,

Terri K. Kosobucki

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cc: Susan Crane, We Energies