

**Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In the Matter of	)	
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Notice of Proposed Rulemaking	)	
18 FCC Rcd 13187, 13188 ¶1 (2003)	)	ET Docket No. 03-137
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And	)	
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Service Rules for the Advanced Wireless Services	)	WT Docket No. 12-357
H Block---Implementing Section 6401 of the	)	
Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act of	)	
2012 Related to the 1915-1920 MHz and	)	
1995-2000 MHz Bands ¶53 footnote 95	)	

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I, L. Meade, attest that my statements are true to the best of my knowledge.

Comment round for ET Docket No. 03-137 and WT Docket No. 12-357.

1. My name is L. Meade. My address is southeast area, Ann Arbor, MI 48104.
2. I am in the Health Care profession.
3. I am officially informing the FCC of my desire to have you change the RF standards as the Commissions RF safety rules are inadequate because the *current rules are based on physics and engineering rather than biological studies*.
4. Most specifically I am writing to you about the Advanced Meter (aka Smart Meter) as I believe the RF involved with them is quite hazardous and these devices are not safe for use at this time. We have extensive research, regarding use of smart meters and objections to these being installed on our homes, schools, or businesses. We are requesting a moratorium on use or installation of smart meters in Michigan.
5. Looking at the type and levels of RF from these meters, I ask that you at least require reduction of these meters, and require the Utility Companies to offer at least a suitable opt out, where analog meters may be kept, without any fees, because you will declare the type of RF the smart meters put out as unsafe for use.
6. Also, I believe that no smart meter be allowed to be placed within a certain distance of ones' home or business. And if one chooses to opt out in order to reduce the RF levels, since the effects from neighboring smart meters can cause damage to the home or business occupants as well, then the smart meters be removed in that area.
7. The level and specific type of RF from smart meters (and cell phone towers) is dangerous for our atmosphere and it is getting dangerously polluted with unsafe types /levels of RF.
8. Reports of illness from these "Smart Meters" have been documented nation-wide, and lawsuits have been and continue to be drawn against utility companies that are choosing to install these meters. These "Smart Meters," in effect, are exposing

- people and animals to carcinogenic levels of radiation at close range. The effect of this radiation would be magnified in many areas with placement of so many meters in close proximity to one another. Particularly susceptible to this radiation are young children, the elderly, our pets, and those who are ill, or who have heart sensitivities. We have researched this extensively and have also experienced negative effects from this type of radiation until we were able to move away from the source of it.
9. We urge you to act in good conscience, and help us to protect our homes and our families. Please make it known to DTE, our electric service provider, that the potential hazards of these meters is significant and documented, and no school, business, or home should have them placed on mandatorily as the RF levels are unsafe.
 10. Many are not yet aware of the potential hazards, and yet their unknowing acceptance of these new meters may very well affect the health of not only themselves, but of their neighbors, people, animals, and wildlife everywhere so we ask for a moratorium.
 11. **Members of our family have health conditions which can not tolerate this unnecessary exposure. We should have the freedom to maintain quality health and not have these meters cluttering up our neighborhood with excessive and unsafe type of EMF. With a ruling from you we could be protected.**
 12. The Detroit Edison (DTE) company who provides our electric service here in Southeast Michigan proposed, after a hearing in the MPSC, that those opting out of smart meters would be charged \$86 up front plus \$15/month indefinitely – or until next year when fees might be still further increased. Also Detroit Edison has proposed that people opting out will have to pay (extortionate) fees and only be allowed a smart meter with the radio turned off, and will not be able to keep their analog meters, which the consumer is requesting. Most of us who have studied these matters consider the Utility Company proposal unacceptable. When they decided to install smart meters I imagine they did not have the evidence about the harm these meters cause. We need you to intercede for the people and put a moratorium on these meters and allow people to keep their safe analog meters.
 13. In light of so much astounding and credible evidence world wide regarding smart meters I, along with many of my friends, family, and neighbors, in Ann Arbor and other communities in Michigan ask that you consider the health risks seriously before allowing any company to continue installation. Please stop any further installation and require a reversal free of charge for all consumers. I prefer a moratorium on smart meters in Michigan to protect and preserve the health of all our people, also animals and nature, having all meters removed at the utilities expense. As I believe they went ahead with this project before properly

investigating this matter with outside studies etc. I understand that the Utility Company thought this would be acceptable, but they likely did not have the research and now need to hold off so they can find a way to serve the people safely. Unfortunately, even once hearing of all the medical ailments people are suffering from these meters they are not budging and are not listening to the pleas from consumers asking to stop installation and requests to keep their analog meters. There needs to be intervention.

14. I request that you mandate a complete moratorium on use of smart meters in Michigan, as the extensive use of electromagnetic fields needs to be reduced. We are beginning to see that the extensive use of smart meters has documented ill effects on all biology and pushes our exposure to unacceptable levels.
15. Simply put, a moratorium on smart meter installation due to unsafe RF should be introduced by FCC. Until such is in place please require the Utility companies to offer an opt-out program that protects people from these health hazardous smart meters; that easily allows anyone to have the smart meter removed, to replace their analog meter (or to keep their safe analog meter), and also not be charged any fees for any of this.
16. Even if only some meters are not placed they will still be here and there, will be emitting waves everywhere and people will not be able to maintain the quality of health they desire and deserve in many areas of the community.
17. Members of you own family and people everywhere will be subjected to damaging RF unless you rule to change the RF levels. If this is not stopped our society's atmosphere will be too polluted to maintain proper health. Individuals and businesses should not be required to have these meters. Employees and customers will be harmed by the radiation put out by smart meters in businesses also.
18. Anyone who asks to opt out while waiting for you to rule on this should not be required to have a smart meter placed near their home or business, should be granted this easily, and without any additional fees by their electric service provider. Digital meters are not an acceptable alternative, and any customer (individual or business) who wants to keep their analog meter, or have their smart meter replaced with an analog, must be allowed to do so, without a fee of any kind from their service provider. Individuals can read their own meters if they so

choose, thus negating the need for a fee, according to a MPSC (Michigan Public Service Commission) rule.

19. I am asking you to ask DTE and other utility providers to change their course of action and use only safe sources of technology that do NOT have all the dangerous health risks as these smart meters do, and for you to recommend that based on changing the RF levels to exclude use of smart meters.

Thank you for protecting our public health.

I look forward to your decision regarding this important matter!

Thank you very much,

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