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Recommendation: That those Publicly held metering installations where the landholder doesn't wish to participate in the 'voluntary' transfer of ownership remain in Government ownership under the existing arrangements.

Recommendation: That irrigators with publicly held metering installations have representation at any discussions between WaterNSW and the Department in identifying the issues and finding solutions to provide a way forward.

Recommendation: That the government fully fund and make compliant all metering installations that they currently **own**, and have them validated and verified by a 'duly qualified person'.

Recommendation: That where any transfer of ownership occurs, the depreciation component of the annual fees and charges be refunded.

Recommendation: That data loggers not be required on meters equipped with telemetry with built in data capacity.

I **do want** my submission to be made publicly available.