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### ABSTRACT

The proposed system design eliminates the human involvement in Electricity maintenance. The Buyer needs to pay for the usage of electricity on schedule, in case that he couldn't pay, the electricity transmission can be turned off autonomously from the distant host. The Existing domestic Energy meter reading systems universally exist problems, such as difficulty in construction, too narrow bandwidth, poor real time, not two way communication quickly etc. To solve above problems, this framework uses the wireless technology for Automatic Meter Reading system. The proposed method provides communication between the Electricity Board section and the consumer section using Global System for Mobile Communication (GSM) for transmitting the customer's electricity consumption and calculating the bill information. Depending on the power consumption, the information regarding the bill amount and payment are communicated to the consumer via SMS. The power and billing information is transmitted by the use of GSM modem and monitored by the Electricity Board section. Whenever there is power theft identified, the energy supply can be cut from the electricity board section by a distant host wirelessly.