6840000 NETWORK DEVICES COMMENTS FROM INTERNAL/INDUSTRY REVIEW

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In new section 684.1.2.6, we suggest the equipment be permanently marked with the manufacturer name or trademark, the part number, the date of manufacture, "and" the serial number. The word "and" was changed to "or". This will not allow us to keep a current inventory of ITS devices as recommended by the OIG unless we have a serial number. This same change is suggested to be made to new sections 684.2.2.5, 684.3.2.13, and 684.4.2.3 which has the same wording. The bottom line is we really need a serial number shown on each device for inventory purposes.

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