

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: INTERSTATE POWER COMPANY	DOCKET NOS. EEP-94-40 TF-99-178 TF-99-179 (ECR-96-1)
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ORDER TEMPORARILY SUSPENDING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

(Issued October 13, 1999)

On July 14, 1999, the Utilities Board (Board) issued an order setting a procedural schedule in this docket. On September 8, 1999, Interstate Power Company (Interstate) filed its direct testimony. The Board is continuing its review of Interstate's direct testimony. Because there appear to be serious deficiencies in the filing, the Board may reject the filing or require Interstate to file some additional information. Either approach would require a change in the current procedural schedule. Therefore, while making its determination, the Board will temporarily suspend the procedural schedule.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

The procedural schedule in this docket is temporarily suspended.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ Allan T. Thoms

/s/ Susan J. Frye

ATTEST:

/s/ Raymond K. Vawter, Jr.
Executive Secretary

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 13th day of October, 1999.