

STATE OF IOWA  
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
UTILITIES BOARD

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IN RE:  IES UTILITIES INC. and INTERSTATE POWER COMPANY	DOCKET NOS. WRU-99-38-150 WRU-99-39-151
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**ORDER DOCKETING TARIFFS**

(Issued October 22, 1999)

On September 22, 1999, IES Utilities Inc. (IES) and Interstate Power Company (Interstate) each filed requests for waiver to recover through the energy adjustment clause the difference between a net billing customer's retail rate and the utilities' avoided generation cost. The Iowa Association of School Boards and the Eldora-New Providence Community Schools each filed a letter in support of the waiver requests on October 4, 1999. The Consumer Advocate Division of the Department of Justice (Consumer Advocate) filed an objection to the waiver requests on October 11, 1999.

Attached to each waiver request is a draft tariff to implement the requested waivers. While it is not clear if IES and Interstate filed the draft tariffs for informational purposes or as actual tariff filings, the Utilities Board (Board) will docket and suspend the proposed draft tariffs while the Board is considering the waiver requests.

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**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

The draft tariffs attached to the waiver requests identified as Docket No. WRU-99-38-150 and Docket No. WRU-99-39-151 are docketed and suspended.

**UTILITIES BOARD**

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/s/ Susan J. Frye

ATTEST:

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

/s/ Diane Munns

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 1999.