

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

<p>IN RE:</p> <p>KINZE MANUFACTURING, INC.,</p> <p style="padding-left: 100px;">Complainant,</p> <p style="text-align:center">v.</p> <p>INTERSTATE POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY,</p> <p style="padding-left: 100px;">Respondent.</p>	<p>DOCKET NO. FCU-03-28</p>
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ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION AND SETTING TIME FOR RESPONSES

(Issued July 18, 2003)

On April 9, 2003, Kinze Manufacturing, Inc. (Kinze), filed a complaint with the Utilities Board (Board) against Interstate Power and Light Company (IPL). The complaint alleged, among other things, that IPL violated the provisions of its net metering tariff by refusing to interconnect with Kinze on a net metering basis. Kinze stated it planned to construct three or four 1.5 megawatt wind generators in IPL's service territory. IPL filed a motion to dismiss the complaint on April 29, 2003, and Kinze filed a resistance on May 13, 2003, and a supplemental resistance on July 1, 2003.

The Iowa Joint Utility Management Program, Inc. (IJUMP), filed a petition to intervene on June 25, 2003. IJUMP is a nonprofit corporation whose purpose is to provide energy and energy-related services to school districts, other public agencies,

and nonprofit organizations. IJUMP states it has an interest in the complaint proceedings because one of its members is an alternate energy producer and IJUMP anticipates other members may also become alternate energy producers.

The Board will grant the petition to intervene. IJUMP has demonstrated an interest in these proceedings that is not currently represented.

IJUMP has not had an opportunity to respond to the motion to dismiss or resistances thereto. Therefore, the Board will set a time for response and reply. IPL and Kinze may also file any supplemental arguments they may have pursuant to this schedule.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. The petition to intervene filed by the Iowa Joint Utility Management Program, Inc., on June 25, 2003, is granted.
2. IJUMP may file a response to the motion to dismiss on or before July 31, 2003; other parties may also file supplemental arguments or responses on that date.
3. All parties may file replies to the July 31, 2003, filings on or before August 8, 2003.

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/s/ Diane Munns

/s/ Mark O. Lambert

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

/s/ Elliott Smith

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Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 18th day of July, 2003.