

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: AQUILA, INC., d/b/a AQUILA NETWORKS	DOCKET NOS. WRU-05-6-225 TF-05-52
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**ORDER DOCKETING REQUEST FOR WAIVER AND PROPOSED TARIFF
REVISIONS FOR FURTHER REVIEW**

(Issued February 24, 2005)

On February 18, 2005, Aquila, Inc., d/b/a Aquila Networks (Aquila), filed with the Utilities Board (Board) a request for a waiver of some of the requirements in 199 IAC 19.3(10) applicable to natural gas distribution main and service line extensions. The waiver request was identified as Docket No. WRU-05-6-225. Also on February 18, 2005, Aquila filed proposed tariff revisions that included a proposal to replace Aquila's current Iowa gas tariff governing extensions of mains and service lines with a new facilities extension tariff. The proposed tariff revisions have been identified as TF-05-52.

The Board has determined that both the waiver request and the proposed tariff revisions should be docketed for further review. The proposed new facilities extension tariff would be a significant change from the current rules and could potentially require an amendment to the Board's rules.

Objections to the waiver request are due March 10, 2005. The Board will not establish a procedural schedule until the time for objections has passed and it has

had an opportunity to determine whether the waiver request or any of the proposed revisions require a proceeding or a proceeding is requested.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. The request for waiver, identified as Docket No. WRU-05-6-225, filed by Aquila, Inc., d/b/a Aquila Networks, on February 18, 2005, is docketed for further review.
2. The proposed tariff revisions, identified as TF-05-52, filed by Aquila, Inc., d/b/a Aquila Networks, on February 18, 2005, are docketed for further review.
3. Objections to the waiver request shall be filed on or before March 10, 2005.

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/s/ Mark O. Lambert

ATTEST:

/s/ Sharon Mayer
Executive Secretary, Assistant to

/s/ Elliott Smith

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 24th day of February, 2005.