

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

<p>IN RE:</p> <p>JACOBSEN HOLZ CORPORATION,</p> <p style="padding-left: 100px;">Petitioner,</p> <p style="padding-left: 100px;">v.</p> <p>INTERSTATE POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY,</p> <p style="padding-left: 100px;">Respondent.</p>	<p style="text-align:right">DOCKET NO. FCU-05-5 (C-03-047)</p>
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ORDER

(Issued March 4, 2005)

On February 8, 2005, the Utilities Board (Board) issued an order docketing this case and assigning it to the undersigned administrative law judge. Pursuant to this order, a prehearing conference was held on March 3, 2005, with all parties participating. During part of the prehearing conference, the parties met outside the presence of the undersigned and Board advisory staff to discuss possible resolution of the technical issues and settlement of the case. At the prehearing conference, the parties agreed on the following activities: 1) the parties will gather additional data and perform additional testing to attempt to discover the sources of the problem and possible solutions; 2) the parties will share information with each other through data requests and answers; 3) the parties will meet with each other on May 23, 2005, to discuss the situation; and 4) a prehearing conference will be held with the

undersigned on May 31, 2005, to discuss the results of these activities and to set a procedural schedule if one is needed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. The parties' agreement regarding the activities they will pursue is approved.
2. A prehearing conference will be held on Tuesday, May 31, 2005, beginning at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 4, Utilities Board offices, 350 Maple Street, Des Moines, Iowa.
3. A copy of this order will be served on the following parties to this case: Jacobsen Holz Corporation, Progressive Foundry, Inc., Interstate Power and Light Company, and the Consumer Advocate Division of the Department of Justice.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ Amy L. Christensen
Amy L. Christensen
Administrative Law Judge

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 4th day of March, 2005.