

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: INTERSTATE POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY	DOCKET NO. RPU-05-3
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ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION

(Issued August 11, 2005)

On August 2, 2005, the Community Coalition for Rate Fairness (CCRF) filed a petition with the Utilities Board (Board) to intervene in Docket No. RPU-05-3. This docket involves Interstate Power and Light Company's (IPL) proposal to consolidate tariff structures in IPL's four rate zones and accomplish another step toward equalizing rates across those four zones. No objections to the petition to intervene have been filed.

In support of its petition to intervene, the CCRF states that its membership includes cities, counties, hospitals, school districts and other educational institutions, and large industries. All of its members are IPL electric customers located in either the Northern rate zone or the Southeastern rate zone and some of its members are among IPL's largest electric customers. A list of current CCRF members was attached to the petition to intervene.

The Board will grant the petition to intervene. The CCRF has alleged a unique interest in this proceeding that is not currently represented.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

The petition to intervene filed by the Community Coalition for Rate Fairness on August 2, 2005, is granted.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ John R. Norris

/s/ Diane Munns

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

/s/ Elliott Smith

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 11th day of August, 2005.