

STATE OF IOWA  
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
UTILITIES BOARD

<p>IN RE:</p> <p>INTERSTATE POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY AND FPL ENERGY DUANE ARNOLD, LLC</p>	<p>DOCKET NO. SPU-05-15</p>
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**ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION AND  
REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO APPEAR**

(Issued September 20, 2005)

On September 9, 2005, the Iowa Consumers Coalition (ICC) filed a petition with the Utilities Board (Board) to intervene in Docket No. SPU-05-15. This docket involves a reorganization that would allow Interstate Power and Light Company (IPL) to sell and transfer its ownership interest in the Duane Arnold Energy Center (DAEC), including nuclear fuel, to FPL Energy Duane Arnold, LLC. IPL owns 70 percent of DAEC. No objections to the petition were filed.

In support of its petition to intervene, the ICC states it represents 14 large electric customers of IPL. A listing of the ICC's members is contained in the petition to intervene. The ICC further states that IPL's filing could have a substantial impact on the rates and services received by ICC members.

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

Accompanying the petition to intervene filed by the ICC was a request for permission to appear filed by James M. Bushee, Daniel E. Frank, and Matthew J. Binette. All three attorneys are members of the same law firm and are licensed to practice law in other states, but not Iowa. Attached to the request was an appearance of Iowa counsel for purposes of service of process pursuant to Iowa Court Rule 31.14(2). The request for permission to appear will be granted.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

1. The petition to intervene filed by the Iowa Consumers Coalition on September 9, 2005, is granted.
2. The request for permission to appear filed by James M. Bushee, Daniel E. Frank, and Matthew J. Binette, 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 20<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2005.