

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: REVIEW OF NATURAL GAS AND ELECTRIC LINE EXTENSION RULES, 199 IAC 19.3(10) AND 20.3(13)	DOCKET NO. NOI-05-2
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ORDER ALLOWING ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

(Issued December 13, 2005)

On December 8, 2005, the Utilities Board (Board) held a workshop in Docket No. NOI-05-2 in which issues were discussed concerning the Board's current natural gas and electric extension line rules, 199 IAC 19.3(10) and 20.3(13). Linn County Rural Electric Cooperative, MidAmerican Energy Company, Aquila, Inc., d/b/a Aquila Networks, the Iowa Association of Electric Cooperatives, the Consumer Advocate Division of the Department of Justice, and Interstate Power and Light Company, as well as Board staff participated in the workshop.

At the workshop participants were informed that they would be given the opportunity to file additional comments on the issues discussed. By this order the Board is establishing a date for filing the additional comments. After Board staff has reviewed the additional comments it will provide the participants with proposed rule changes it may recommend to the Board. Participants will then be allowed to file comments on those proposed rule changes.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

Additional comments shall be filed on or before January 6, 2006.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ John R. Norris

/s/ Diane Munns

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

/s/ Curtis W. Stamp

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 13th day of December, 2005.