

STATE OF IOWA  
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE:  AQUILA, INC., d/b/a AQUILA NETWORKS	DOCKET NO. TF-06-261 (RPU-05-2)
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**ORDER APPROVING COMPLIANCE TARIFF ON REHEARING**

(Issued October 17, 2006)

On September 12, 2006, the Utilities Board (Board) issued an order on rehearing denying the adoption of a capital additions tracker proposed by Aquila, Inc., d/b/a Aquila Networks (Aquila), and granting a waiver that allows Aquila to recover rate case expense through the issuance of the order on rehearing. The Board directed that the rate case expense be amortized over the remaining period of the rate case expense already included in the rates approved in TF-06-80, effective March 17, 2006.

On September 20, 2006, Aquila filed a proposed compliance tariff sheet to recover the rehearing rate case expense. The additional rate case expense to be recovered is \$183,021. On September 28, 2006, Aquila filed revisions to the proposed compliance tariff sheet. As revised, the additional rate case expense increases the Residential Class customer's monthly customer charge from \$10.56 to \$10.60 and the Commercial & Industrial Class customer's monthly customer charge from \$15.68 to \$15.74. Aquila requests the tariff sheet be approved no later than October 20, 2006.

The Board has reviewed Aquila's compliance tariff sheet, as revised, and finds that the revised sheet complies with the Board's September 12, 2006, order. The Consumer Advocate Division of the Department of Justice has indicated it has no objection to the proposed compliance tariff sheet, as revised. The Board will approve the compliance tariff, as revised, to be effective October 20, 2006.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

The compliance tariff filed by Aquila, Inc., d/b/a Aquila Networks, on September 20, 2006, as revised on September 28, 2006, is approved to be effective October 20, 2006.

**UTILITIES BOARD**

/s/ John R. Norris

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ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper  
Executive Secretary

/s/ Curtis W. Stamp

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2006.