

STATE OF IOWA  
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE:  INTERSTATE POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY	DOCKET NO. E-21870
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**TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION PERMIT**

(Issued March 1, 2007)

On February 8, 2007, Interstate Power and Light Company (IPL) filed with the Utilities Board (Board) a verified petition for franchise with an application for a temporary construction permit pursuant to Iowa Code § 478.31 (2007), for .35 miles of 169,000 maximum voltage electric transmission line in Monroe County, Iowa.

In support of its request, IPL asserted it has obtained the approval of the appropriate highway or railroad authorities, and is the nearest electric utility to the proposed point of service.

The Board has reviewed IPL's application and finds it meets the requirements of Iowa Code § 478.31 (2007). Therefore, IPL is granted a temporary construction permit for an electric transmission line to be operated at a maximum voltage not in excess of that stated herein and not exceeding one mile in length over, along, and across the following described land, highways, and streams:

**Single circuit transmission line:**

West Terminus is the existing Interstate Power and Light Company (IP&L) Beacon 161kV line located east of the Union Pacific Railroad tracks in the

Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of Section 12, T-73N, R-16W, Monroe County, Iowa.

East Terminus is the proposed IP&L Tri-County substation to be located adjacent to the west margin of county road T61 in the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of Section 12, T-73N, R-16W, Monroe County, Iowa.

Beginning at the existing Interstate Power and Light Company (IP&L) Beacon 161kV line located east of the Union Pacific Railroad tracks in the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of Section 12, T-73N, R-16W of the 5<sup>th</sup> P.M., Monroe County, Iowa thence East .19 mile on private easement to the Tri-County substation to be located adjacent to the west margin of county road T61 in the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of Section 12, all in the last named township and range.

**Double circuit transmission line:**

South Terminus is the existing IP&L Ottumwa Generation Station (OGS) 161kV line located in the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of Section 12, T-73N, R-16W, Monroe County, Iowa.

North Terminus is the proposed IP&L Tri-County substation to be located adjacent to the west margin of county road T61 in the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of Section 12, T-73N, R-16W, Monroe County, Iowa.

Beginning at the existing IP&L Ottumwa Generation Station (OGS) 161kV line located in the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of Section 12, T-73N, R-16W of the 5<sup>th</sup> P.M., Monroe County, Iowa thence North .04 mile on private easement to the Tri-County substation to be located adjacent to the west margin of county road T61 in the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of Section 12, all in the last named township and range.

If the Board determines that a franchise should not be granted, or that further restrictions, conditions or modifications are required, or if IPL fails to make a sufficient and proper showing of the necessity for granting the franchise within six months of the granting of this temporary construction permit, this permit shall become null and void.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

The application for a temporary construction permit filed by Interstate Power and Light Company, on February 8, 2007, is granted in accordance with the body of this order.

**UTILITIES BOARD**

/s/ John R. Norris

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper  
Executive Secretary

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2007.