

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: INTERSTATE POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY	DOCKET NO. GCU-07-1
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ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTIONS

(Issued September 26, 2007)

On September 13, 2007, Central Iowa Power Cooperative (CIPCO) and Corn Belt Power Cooperative (Corn Belt) filed separate petitions with the Utilities Board (Board) to intervene in Docket No. GCU-07-1. This docket involves Interstate Power and Light Company's (IPL) application for a generating facility certificate filed by IPL pursuant to Iowa Code Chapter 476A, which would authorize the construction and operation of a 630 MW coal-fired electric generating unit to be called the Sutherland Generating Station Unit Number 4 (SG4) in Marshalltown, Iowa. No objections to the petitions have been filed.

In support of their petitions to intervene, CIPCO and Corn Belt state that they have executed letters of intent to become joint owners of SG4. They further state that they have an interest in this proceeding that is unique and requires representation in addition to the existing parties. They do not dispute any of the material allegations set forth in the application. They also asked to receive copies of filings made by the parties and orders issued by the Board.

The Board will grant the petitions to intervene. CIPCO and Corn Belt have alleged a unique interest in this proceeding that is not currently represented. As parties, CIPCO and Corn Belt will receive copies of all filings and orders from this point forward.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

The petitions to intervene filed by Central Iowa Power Cooperative and Corn Belt Power Cooperative on September 13, 2007, are granted.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ John R. Norris

/s/ Krista K. Tanner

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 26th day of September, 2007.