

STATE OF IOWA  
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
UTILITIES BOARD

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<p>IN RE:</p> <p>MIDWEST RENEWABLE ENERGY PROJECTS LLC,</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Petitioner,</p> <p style="text-align:center">v.</p> <p>INTERSTATE POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY,</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Respondent.</p>	<p>DOCKET NOS. AEP-05-2 AEP-05-3 AEP-05-4</p>
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**ORDER AMENDING DEADLINES FOR RESPONSES**

(Issued November 15, 2007)

On October 3, 2007, the undersigned administrative law judge issued an "Order Denying Motion for Partial Summary Judgment and Setting Deadline for Submission of Proposed Schedule." On October 17, 2007, Interstate Power and Light Company (IPL) filed a "Proposed Procedural Schedule." Midwest Renewable Energy Projects II, LLC (MREP) filed a "Clarifying Statement and Proposed Procedural Schedule" on October 17, 2007. On October 25, 2007, IPL filed a "Response to Clarifying Statement of Midwest Renewable Energy Projects II, LLC and Request for Issue Preclusion Determination."

On November 1, 2007, the undersigned issued an "Order Setting Deadline For Responses." The order set November 15, 2007, as the deadline for the Consumer Advocate Division of the Department of Justice (Consumer Advocate) and MREP to file their responses to IPL's response and request for an issue preclusion determination, and set November 27, 2007, as the deadline for IPL's response.

On November 13, 2007, MREP filed a "Motion for Extension," stating that counsel for MREP had a personal emergency and requesting an eleven-day extension of the deadline for MREP's and the Consumer Advocate's responses and a corresponding extension for IPL's response. The Consumer Advocate and IPL do not object to the grant of the motion.

The motion should be granted. Due to various scheduling needs and the upcoming holidays, the undersigned will extend the filing deadlines beyond those requested by MREP.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

1. If Midwest Renewable Energy Projects II, LLC and the Consumer Advocate choose to file responses to Interstate Power and Light Company's "Response to Clarifying Statement of Midwest Renewable Energy Projects II, LLC and Request for Issue Preclusion Determination," the responses must be filed on or before December 17, 2007.

2. If Interstate Power and Light Company chooses to file a response to the filings of Midwest Renewable Energy Projects II, LLC and the Consumer Advocate, its response must be filed on or before January 7, 2008.

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/s/ Amy L. Christensen  
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Administrative Law Judge

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper  
Executive Secretary

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2007.