

STATE OF IOWA  
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE:  IOWA TELECOMMUNICATIONS ASSOCIATION	DOCKET NO. TF-07-125 (TF-07-139)
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**ORDER ACCEPTING WITHDRAWAL OF REQUEST FOR RULING  
AND DENYING MOTION TO RECONSIDER**

(Issued March 21, 2008)

On March 7, 2008, the Utilities Board (Board) issued an order in this docket that compelled the Iowa Telecommunications Association (ITA) to produce certain responses and documents requested by Sprint Communications Company L.P. (Sprint) by March 7, 2008, under threat of civil penalties for non-compliance. Sprint originally requested the materials by data request issued on February 6, 2008.

Also on March 7, 2008, ITA filed a motion to reconsider that order, asserting that ITA does not have possession, custody, or control of the materials requested by Sprint. Sprint filed a response to ITA's motion on March 10, 2008.

On March 12, 2008, Sprint filed a supplemental brief regarding the discovery dispute between Sprint and ITA and requested that the Board issue a ruling on the dispute. ITA filed a response to Sprint's brief on March 13, 2008.

On March 17, 2008, Sprint filed a withdrawal of its request for ruling on the discovery dispute. Sprint states that it reached an agreement with ITA and submits a copy of the evidentiary stipulation signed by the parties with its withdrawal.

The Board has reviewed Sprint's withdrawal and attached stipulation and finds that it is reasonable. Therefore, the Board will accept Sprint's withdrawal and will not rule on the discovery dispute. In light of the recent stipulation, the Board finds that ITA's motion for reconsideration of the Board's March 7, 2008, order is moot.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

1. The withdrawal of the request for ruling filed by Sprint Communications Company L.P. on March 17, 2008, is accepted.
2. The motion for reconsideration filed by the Iowa Telecommunications Association on March 7, 2008, is denied as moot.

**UTILITIES BOARD**

/s/ John R. Norris

/s/ Krista K. Tanner

ATTEST:

/s/ Margaret Munson  
Executive Secretary, Deputy

/s/ Darrell Hanson

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 21<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2008.