

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: THE AMERICAN CLEAN ENERGY AND SECURITY ACT OF 2009	DOCKET NO. NOI-2009-0002
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ORDER SETTING POST-WORKSHOP COMMENT SCHEDULE

(Issued September 24, 2009)

On July 16, 2009, the Utilities Board (Board) issued an order initiating this inquiry to gather information from a broad cross-section of Iowa stakeholders on how the provisions of the American Clean Energy and Security Act of 2009 (H.R. 2454, the Waxman-Markey bill) could affect Iowa. Many companies, organizations, agencies, and individuals filed written comments with the Board and many of them participated in the workshop held on September 18, 2009. The Board is impressed with the depth and breadth of analysis by the participants and thanks them for their comments and participation.

As discussed at the workshop, the Board will provide the opportunity to file one more round of written comments. All companies, organizations, agencies, or individuals who wish to file written comments with the Board in this inquiry may do so, even if they did not previously file comments or participate in the workshop.

Workshop participants requested that the deadline to file written comments be set considering the time for the court reporter to prepare the transcript of the

workshop and this request will be honored. The Board expects the court reporter will file the transcript by September 28, 2009, and will allow participants three weeks after that date to file written comments. Participants must file their written comments electronically through the Board's Electronic Filing System (EFS). Instructions for making an electronic filing can be found on the Board's EFS Web site at <https://efs.iowa.gov>.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

Any person, company, agency, or organization wishing to file written comments with the Board must file them on or before Monday, October 19, 2009.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ Robert B. Berntsen

/s/ Krista K. Tanner

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

/s/ Darrell Hanson

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 24th day of September, 2009.