

## IOWA UTILITIES BOARD

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IN RE:

EXECUTIVE ORDER 10 — REVIEW OF  
RENEWABLE ENERGY PERCENTAGE  
VERIFICATION RULES [199 IOWA  
ADMINISTRATIVE CODE CHAPTER 30]

DOCKET NO. RMU-2023-0030

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### ORDER COMMENCING RULEMAKING

On January 10, 2023, Gov. Kim Reynolds issued Executive Order Number 10 (Executive Order), which put a moratorium on agency rulemaking and directed agencies, including the Utilities Board (Board), to engage in a comprehensive evaluation of existing rules. Pursuant to the Executive Order, the Board is conducting comprehensive reviews of each chapter of its administrative rules.

According to the Executive Order rulemaking process, an agency may not commence a formal rulemaking without first approving a final regulatory analysis and receiving preclearance through a Request to Initiate Rulemaking. See <https://dom.iowa.gov/red-tape-review> (last accessed on June 10, 2024) (setting forth the Executive Order 10 Rulemaking Process). In an order previously issued in the above-captioned docket, the Board approved a Final Regulatory Analysis for chapter 30, Renewable Energy Percentage Verification, and indicated it was submitting a Request to Initiate Rulemaking. Since issuance of that order, the Board has received preclearance to commence this chapter 30 rulemaking. The Board is proposing to rescind chapter 30. The date for filing written comments will be in the Notice of Intended Action (NOIA) published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin (IAB). Additionally, per the Executive

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Order, the Board will hold two public hearings, the dates for which will be contained in the NOIA published in the IAB.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

1. The Notice of Intended Action attached to this order will be submitted to the Administrative Rules Code Editor for review and publication in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin and may contain editorial changes that are not shown in the attached Notice of Intended Action.

2. The Notice of Intended Action published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin will identify the public hearing dates and the comment deadline.

**UTILITIES BOARD**

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Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 17th day of June, 2024.

**ATTACHMENT A**

**UTILITIES DIVISION [199]**

**DRAFT** Notice of Intended Action

The following rulemaking action is proposed:

- ITEM 1.           Rescind and reserve 199—Chapter 30.