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John Norris, Chairman

Curt Stamp, Board member

Krista Tanner, Board member

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Iowa Utility Regulator Leaving

Iowa Utilities Board (IUB) Member Curt Stamp has announced his resignation from the state regulatory body effective September 20, 2007. Stamp currently serves as co-vice chairman of the Committee on Telecommunications of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC), and has accepted the position of executive director of the Independent Telephone and Telecommunications Alliance (ITTA).

ITTA represents mid-size local exchange companies that provide wireline and wireless voice, data, Internet, and video telecommunications services to more than 14 million customers across the nation.

In September 2005, Governor Tom Vilsack appointed Stamp to the IUB. He was reappointed to the IUB this March by Governor Chet Culver. He has more than 15 years of utilities experience, working for the Iowa Senate Republican staff, as legislative liaison for the IUB, as manager of policy and law for Qwest, and as an attorney in private practice before being appointed to the IUB.

“I have truly enjoyed the opportunity to serve the people of Iowa as a member of the Iowa Utilities Board,” Stamp said. “It has been an exciting time to be involved in the policies affecting Iowa’s gas, electric, and telecommunications industries. I wish Chairman John Norris and Board Member Krista Tanner all the best as they continue to work hard for all Iowans.”

While on the IUB, he was active regionally and nationally, serving as secretary and treasurer of the Mid-America Regulatory Conference, as chair of the Qwest Regional Oversight Committee, as a member of the NARUC Task Force on Intercarrier Compensation, and as a member of the North American Numbering Council and the Federal-State Joint Board on Separations.

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Attention Editors: Link to a photo of Curt Stamp by visiting the IUB Web site, www.state.ia.us/iub.