

**199—18.3(476) Availability of records.** All records kept pursuant to any rules of the board that are of a general corporate nature or otherwise pertain to the utility's operations as a whole shall be made available for examination by the board during normal business hours, unless otherwise authorized by the board. Upon receipt by a utility of a formal request in writing from the board for records or information pertaining to records required by any board rule, the utility shall provide the requested information to the board within 15 days of receiving the written request from the board unless the utility files an objection to the request or a request for an extension of time within seven days of the utility's receipt of the information request. The objection or request for extension of time shall be filed in writing and state the concise grounds for relief. If the board finds that the objection or request for extension of time does not have merit, the information originally requested shall be provided immediately upon receiving notice of the board's decision.

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