

199—26.1(17A,476) Scope.

26.1(1) This chapter contains utilities board procedural rules and filing requirements for utility rate cases, other rate tariff filings, and rate regulation election of electric cooperatives. The general contested case procedural rules in 199—Chapter 7 apply to these types of proceedings where the rules in this chapter do not provide specific guidance.

26.1(2) The provisions of this chapter do not apply to municipal utilities.

26.1(3) The provisions of this chapter do not apply to electric utilities with fewer than 10,000 customers or to electric cooperatives or associations subject to the provisions of Iowa Code section 476.1A that have not elected to be rate-regulated by the board. Electric utilities with fewer than 10,000 customers shall be subject to the same regulatory requirements as electric cooperatives prescribed in 199—Chapter 27.

26.1(4) The provisions of this chapter do not apply to natural gas utilities with fewer than 2,000 customers pursuant to Iowa Code section 476.1C unless a valid petition is filed with the board pursuant to Iowa Code section 476.1C(1)“e”(1).

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