591—17.2(17A) Definitions. Except where otherwise specifically defined by law:

"*Administrator*" means the Iowa comprehensive petroleum underground storage tank fund program administrator as provided for in Iowa Code section 455G.5.

*"Agency"* means the Iowa comprehensive petroleum underground storage tank fund board or the administrator, as appropriate, having statutory jurisdiction over a particular contested case.

"Benefit" means any of the benefits provided for under Iowa Code chapter 455G and subject to UST board authority.

"Contested case" means a proceeding defined by Iowa Code subsection 17A.2(2).

*"Issuance"* means the date of mailing of a decision or order or date of delivery if service is by other means unless another date is specified in the order.

"*Party*" means each person or agency named or admitted as a party or properly seeking and entitled as of right to be admitted as a party.

"Presiding officer" means the administrative law judge assigned to the contested case.

*"Proposed decision"* means the presiding officer's recommended findings of fact, conclusions of law, decision, and order in a contested case in which the UST board did not preside.

"UST board" means the Iowa comprehensive petroleum underground storage tank fund board.