

A Resolution Honoring Paula S. Dierenfeld

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**WHEREAS**, Paula Dierenfeld served as a Commissioner on the Iowa Utilities Board from September 1997 to April 1999; and

**WHEREAS**, During her tenure as Commissioner she was a member of the NARUC Committee on Gas, and participated in discussions at national conferences on changes in the energy industries, presented testimony on natural gas unbundling at the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission; and

**WHEREAS**, During her membership on the Committee on Gas she provided insightful and timely information related to issues currently facing the natural gas industry and State utility regulatory commissions, and assisted her fellow Commissioners in addressing these issues; and

**WHEREAS**, She also served as an advisory member for the Iowa Center for Global and Regional Environmental Research at the University of Iowa, and was Chair of the Iowa Dual Party Relay Council; and

**WHEREAS**, She tirelessly and energetically participated in an international exchange program by representing Iowa in a delegation to Brazil to share her views on the deregulation of electricity; now therefore be it

**RESOLVED**, That the NARUC Committee on Gas and its Staff Subcommittee graciously thank Paula Dierenfeld for her time and effort as a Committee member, and for sharing her knowledge and experience with her fellow Committee members; and be it further

**RESOLVED**, That the Board of Directors of National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) convened in its March 2000 Winter Meeting in Washington, D.C., extends its sincerest appreciation to Paula Dierenfeld for her work on the Committee on Gas, and wishes her all the best in her endeavors as an attorney in private practice and all other future endeavors she may pursue.

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