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# **GOVERNOR CULVER EXTENDS HELP TO ALLEVIATE PROPANE SUPPLY ISSUES**

*Proclamation suspends hours-of-service requirement for delivery drivers*

DES MOINES – Governor Chet Culver announced today that he will extend the suspension of the hours of service requirement for truck drivers delivering propane by 30 days. The extension comes in response to continued supply issues across the state and long lines for propane drivers.

On Nov. 7, Governor Culver issued a proclamation suspending the hours of service requirement for truck drivers delivering propane, and he extended the suspension on Nov. 25. The suspension of the rule will help bring propane into the state more quickly, helping to ensure an adequate supply of fuel for consumer winter heating needs.

The Governor's proclamation suspending the hours of service requirement for truck drivers delivering propane expires on January 17, 2010.

For more information on the Governor's original proclamation suspending hours of service for propane deliveries, visit:

[http://www.governor.iowa.gov/index.php/press\\_releases/single/173](http://www.governor.iowa.gov/index.php/press_releases/single/173).

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