

**876—4.14(86) Filing of documents and papers.** All documents and papers required to be served on a party under rule 876—4.12(86) shall be filed with the workers' compensation commissioner either before service or within a reasonable time thereafter. However, unless otherwise ordered by the workers' compensation commissioner or deputy workers' compensation commissioner, no deposition, notice of deposition, notice of service of interrogatories, interrogatories, request for production of documents, request for admission, notice of medical records and reports required to be served by 876—4.17(86), and answers and responses thereto shall be filed with or accepted for filing by the workers' compensation commissioner unless its use becomes otherwise necessary in the action, in which case it shall be attached to the motion or response to motion requiring its use, or unless offered as evidence at hearing of the contested case.

This rule is intended to implement Iowa Code section 86.18.