

DECISION MEMORANDUM

**TO: COMMISSIONER KJELLANDER
COMMISSIONER SMITH
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FROM: MICHAEL LOUIS

DATE: AUGUST 17, 2015

**SUBJECT: TARIFF ADVICE REGARDING MODIFICATION OF IDAHO POWER'S
RULE M, FACILITIES CHARGE SERVICE AND SCHEDULE 66,
MISCELLANEOUS CHARGES**

On August 7, 2015, Idaho Power Company filed Tariff Advice No. 15-09 requesting authority to modify Rule M, Facilities Charge Service and Schedule 66, Miscellaneous Charges. Rule M applies to customers taking Primary or Transmission Service using Company-owned and operated facilities beyond the point of delivery and charged rates outlined through Schedule 66, Miscellaneous Charges. The Company requests these updates to become effective on September 7, 2015.

STAFF ANALYSIS

The purpose of the Company's Application is to add language regarding Rule M's applicability to special contracts where the special contract does not specifically include facility charge provisions and to add the recently approved special contract, Schedule 32 (Electric Service Rate for J.R. Simplot Company, Caldwell, Idaho, dated April 8, 2015) to Schedule 66, Miscellaneous Charges.

Staff has reviewed the Application and believes this request does not materially change the current regulations under Rule M while appropriately adding the newly approved special contract (Schedule 32) to Schedule 66 so that the customer can be charged currently approved monthly facility charge rates.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the Commission authorize modifications to Rule M - Facilities Charge Service and Schedule 66 - Miscellaneous Charges as proposed in Tariff Advice No. 15-09.

COMMISSION DECISION

Does the Commission wish to approve Idaho Power's proposed modifications to Rule M - Facilities Charge Service (First Revision of Sheet No. M-1) and Schedule 66 - Miscellaneous Charges (Third Revision of Sheet No. 66-4) with an effective date of September 7, 2015?



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