

DECISION MEMORANDUM

**TO: COMMISSIONER KJELLANDER
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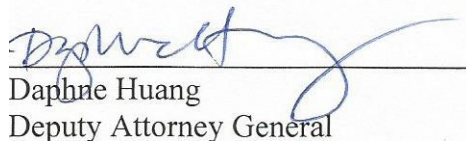
**SUBJECT: IDAHO POWER'S STIPULATED MOTION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE
REPLY IN ASSET EXCHANGE; CASE NO. IPC-E-16-06**

On February 19, 2016, Idaho Power Company filed a request to approve its regulatory accounting from the Company's asset exchange with PacifiCorp in Case No. IPC-E-14-41, as required under the Commission's Order No. 33313. The Industrial Customers of Idaho Power (ICIP), who had intervened in Case No. IPC-E-14-41, petitioned for and were granted intervention in this matter. Order No. 33510. The Commission issued a Notice of Application and Notice of Modified Procedure setting a comment deadline of June 9, 2016, and a reply deadline of June 16, 2016. Order No. 33500.

Staff filed timely comments outlining its position opposing Idaho Power's request. In light of Staff's position and the complexities of this case, Idaho Power contacted Staff and ICIP about an extension of its deadline to reply. Staff and ICIP do not oppose an extension, thus Idaho Power has filed an agreed Motion to Extend the reply deadline to July 1, 2016, attached hereto.

COMMISSION DECISION

Does the Commission wish to grant Idaho Power's agreed Motion to Extend the reply deadline to July 1, 2016?



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BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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| IN THE MATTER OF IDAHO POWER'S |) | |
| COMPLIANCE-FILING REQUEST |) | CASE NO. IPC-E-16-06 |
| FOLLOWING THE COMMISSION'S PRIOR |) | |
| APPROVAL FOR THE COMPANY TO |) | IDAHO POWER COMPANY'S |
| EXCHANGE CERTAIN TRANSMISSION |) | MOTION TO EXTEND REPLY |
| ASSETS WITH PACIFICORP |) | COMMENT DEADLINE |
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Idaho Power Company ("Idaho Power" or "Company") respectfully moves the Idaho Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") for an order under Rule of Procedure 256 that extends the reply comment deadline in this case by approximately two weeks, to July 1, 2016.

The Commission initially set a June 16, 2016, reply comment deadline. Order No. 33500. Due to the complexity of the issues and the position that Commission Staff ("Staff") has taken in its Comments, the Company seeks additional time in order to more fully analyze and respond to Staff's comments. Idaho Power has discussed this request

with Staff and the Industrial Customers of Idaho Power, both of which agree to the extension. Thus, the Commission should grant Idaho Power's request to extend the reply comment deadline and issue an order extending the reply comment deadline to July 1, 2016.

Respectfully submitted this 13th day of June 2016.



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