

BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)
OF IDAHO POWER COMPANY FOR) CASE NO. IPC-E-05-5
AUTHORITY TO INSTITUTE A)
PERFORMANCE-BASED PILOT DEMAND-)
SIDE MANAGEMENT INCENTIVE) ORDER NO. 29768
PROGRAM)
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On February 18, 2005, Idaho Power Company (Idaho Power; Company) filed an Application with the Idaho Public Utilities Commission (Commission) requesting authority to institute a pilot program intended to remove disincentives that hinder the Company's pursuit of cost-effective demand-side management (DSM) resources. In its Application, the Company described two DSM programs proposed for inclusion in the pilot program. These two DSM programs were the Energy Star® Homes Northwest Program and the Rebate Advantage for New Manufactured Homes Program.

On April 1, 2005, Idaho Power filed a Motion to Withdraw its Application. The Company notes that parties to the collaborative process to develop the pilot program now believe that there are other DSM programs that would be better candidates for testing the mechanism to remove disincentives. The Company has concluded that procedurally it would be preferable to withdraw its Application in its entirety and make a new application. The Company wishes to emphasize, however, that it will continue to pursue both of the above mentioned DSM programs, even though the Company is requesting that its Application be withdrawn.

Commission Findings

Idaho Power has requested that its Application in Case No. IPC-E-05-5 be withdrawn. Reference IDAPA 31.01.01.068. The Commission finds that no procedural notices in Case No. IPC-E-05-5 have been issued. The Commission finds it reasonable to grant the Company's Motion to Withdraw its Application in Case No. IPC-E-05-5 and to close the case docket.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The Idaho Public Utilities Commission has jurisdiction over Idaho Power Company, an electric utility, pursuant to the authority set forth in Idaho Code, Title 61, and the Commission's Rules of Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.000 *et seq.*

ORDER

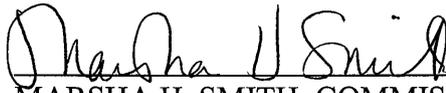
In consideration of the foregoing and as more particularly described above, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED and the Commission does hereby grant Idaho Power Company's Motion to Withdraw its Application in Case No. IPC-E-05-5 and closes the case docket.

THIS IS A FINAL ORDER. Any person interested in this Order may petition for reconsideration within twenty-one (21) days of the service date of this Order. Within seven (7) days after any person has petitioned for reconsideration, any other person may cross-petition for reconsideration. See *Idaho Code* § 61-626.

DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this 25th day of April 2005.



PAUL KJELLANDER, PRESIDENT

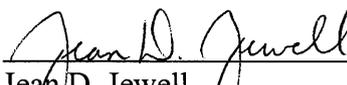


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