

BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)	
OF IDAHO POWER COMPANY FOR)	CASE NO. IPC-E-05-28
AUTHORITY TO INCREASE ITS BASE)	
RATES AND CHARGES FOR ELECTRIC)	ORDER NO. 29935
<u>SERVICE IN THE STATE OF IDAHO</u>)	

The Kroger Co. petitioned to intervene in this case on December 16, 2005 after the deadline for petitioning to intervene of December 6, 2005, pursuant to Rules of Procedure 71 through 75 of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission, IDAPA 31.01.01.071-.075.

FINDINGS OF FACT

We find that no party timely opposed this Petition to Intervene.

We further find that based on the pleadings and other documents filed in this case, intervention by this party would serve the purposes of intervention as described by Rule 74 of the Rules of Procedure. We also find that granting this late intervention will not prejudice any party and that late intervention should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Petition to Intervene filed by the Kroger Co. is hereby granted.

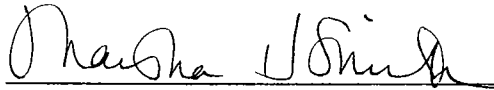
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all parties in this proceeding serve all papers hereafter filed in this matter on all parties of record. This intervenor is represented by the following for purposes of service:

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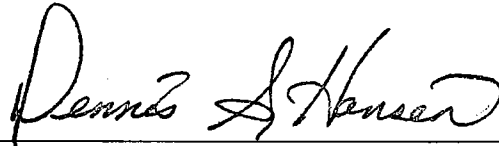
DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this 21st
day of December 2005.



PAUL KJELLANDER, PRESIDENT

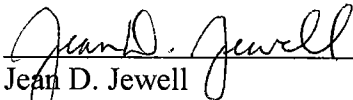


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ATTEST:



Jean D. Jewell
Commission Secretary

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