## BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF IDAHO POWER	)
COMPANY'S PETITION FOR APPROVAL	) CASE NO. IPC-E-08-23
OF CHANGES TO THE IRRIGATION PEAK	)
REWARDS PROGRAM.	NOTICE OF APPLICATION
IDAHO POWER COMPANY'S PROPOSAL	) NOTICE OF
TO RECOVER THE ANNUAL COST OF THE	) INTERVENTION DEADLINE
PROGRAM IN THE PCA.	, )
	) ORDER NO. 30694

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that on November 7, 2008, Idaho Power Company filed a Petition requesting authorization to modify its Irrigation Peak Rewards Program consistent with the terms of a Settlement Stipulation signed by the Company, the Idaho Irrigation Pumpers Association, Inc. and Commission Staff. The Commission issued a Notice of Modified Procedure to establish a review of the changes to the Irrigation Peak Rewards Program by written comments submitted during a 14-day comment period.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company filed direct testimony of its witness to recommend recovering Irrigation Peak Rewards Program expenses in the Company's Power Cost Adjustment (PCA) mechanism. This proposal is not part of the Stipulation. The testimony suggests that in promoting cost-effective demand side management (DSM) resources, the Commission should consider funding sources in addition to the DSM rider funding approach. Apart from the terms of the Stipulation, the Company proposes that all of the peak reward program incentive-related expenses be included in PCA rates. The Company expects total program costs to be nearly \$7 million in 2009, and to increase to nearly \$11 million in 2011.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Application together with supporting workpapers, testimonies and exhibits, have been filed with the Commission and are available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Commission offices. The Application and testimonies are also available on the Commission's website at <a href="www.puc.idaho.gov">www.puc.idaho.gov</a> under "File Room" and then "Electric Cases."

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that persons desiring to intervene in this matter for the purpose of presenting evidence or cross-examining witnesses at hearing must file a

NOTICE OF APPLICATION NOTICE OF INTERVENTION DEADLINE ORDER NO. 30694 Petition to Intervene with the Commission pursuant to the Commission's Rules of Procedure 72 and 73, IDAPA 31.01.01.072 and .073. Persons intending to participate at hearing must file a Petition to Intervene no later than 14 days from the service date of this Order. Persons seeking intervenor status shall also provide the Commission Secretary with their electronic mail address to facilitate further communications in this matter.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that persons desiring to present their views without parties' rights of participation and cross-examination are not required to intervene and may present their comments without prior notification to the Commission or to other parties.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that once the deadline for intervention has passed, the Commission Secretary shall issue a Notice of Parties. The Notice of Parties shall assign exhibit numbers to each party in this proceeding.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Commission has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to Title 61 of the Idaho Code and specifically *Idaho Code* §§ 61-307, 61-502, 61-503, and 61-622. The Commission may enter any final Order consistent with its authority under Title 61.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that all proceedings in this matter will be conducted pursuant to the Commission's Rules of Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.000 et seq.

## ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that persons desiring to intervene in this case for the purpose of presenting evidence or cross-examination at hearing shall file a Petition to Intervene with the Commission no later than 14 days from the service date of this Order.

DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this 3 rd day of December 2008.

MACK A. REDFORD, PRESIDENT

MARSHA H. SMITH, COMMISSIONER

JIM D. KEMPTON, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:

Jean D. Jewell () Commission Secretary

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