

BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)	
OF IDAHO POWER COMPANY FOR AN)	CASE NO. IPC-E-09-10
ACCOUNTING ORDER APPROVING)	
AMORTIZATION OF FEDERAL AGENCY)	NOTICE OF APPLICATION
ANNUAL FEES)	
)	NOTICE OF
)	MODIFIED PROCEDURE
)	
)	ORDER NO. 30769

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that on April 2, 2009, Idaho Power filed an Application for an accounting order approving its proposed accounting for amortization of federal agency fees refunded to the Company in 2006. In the Company's recently concluded rate case, Order No. 30722 issued January 30, 2009, the Commission directed the Company to amortize the approximately \$3.2 million credit it received as reimbursement of Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) and other federal agency fees. The Commission directed a five-year amortization period. Because Idaho Power received the credit in September 2006, the Company alleges the amortization period should begin as of October 2006, consistent with generally accepted accounting principles. The Company requests an Order authorizing an amortization period that commenced in October 2006 and will end in September 2011.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Commission has determined that the public interest may not require a formal hearing in this matter and will proceed under Modified Procedure pursuant to Rules 201 through 204 of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission's Rules of Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.201-204. The Commission notes that Modified Procedure and written comments have proven to be an effective means for obtaining public input and participation.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that any person desiring to state a position on the proposed amortization period may file a written comment in support or in opposition with the Commission within twenty-one (21) days from the service date of this Notice. The comment must contain a statement of reasons supporting the comment. Persons desiring a hearing must specifically request a hearing in their written comments. Written comments concerning this Application may be mailed to the Commission and Idaho Power at the addresses reflected below:

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These comments should contain the case caption and case number shown on the first page of this document. Persons desiring to submit comments via e-mail may do so by accessing the Commission's home page located at www.puc.idaho.gov. Click the "Comments and Questions" icon, and complete the comment form, using the case number as it appears on the front of this document. These comments must also be sent to Idaho Power at the e-mail addresses listed above.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that if no written comments or protests are received within the time limit set, the Commission will consider this matter on its merits and enter its Order without a formal hearing. If written comments are received within the time limit set, the Commission will consider them and, in its discretion, may set the same for formal hearing.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Application and supporting workpapers have been filed with the Commission and are available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Commission offices or on the Commission's website at www.puc.idaho.gov under the "File Room" and then "Electric Cases."

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that all proceedings in this case will be held pursuant to the Commission's jurisdiction under Title 61 of the Idaho Code and that 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.

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ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Application of Idaho Power Company for an accounting order regarding amortization of FERC fees be processed by Modified Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.201-.204. Persons interested in submitting written comments in this matter must do so within twenty-one (21) days from the service date of this Notice.

DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this 8th day of April 2009.


JIM D. KEMPTON, PRESIDENT

Out of the Office On This Date
MARSHA H. SMITH, COMMISSIONER


MACK A. REDFORD, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:


Jean D. Jewell
Commission Secretary

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