

DECISION MEMORANDUM

**TO: COMMISSIONER KJELLANDER
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DATE: FEBRUARY 11, 2014

**SUBJECT: IDAHO POWER’S REQUEST TO UPDATE SCHEDULE 86, CASE NO.
 IPC-E-13-25**

On October 24, 2013, Idaho Power Company filed Tariff Advice No. 13-05 with the Commission seeking authority to update its Schedule 86. Staff recommended the tariff advice be suspended and the case be processed by Modified Procedure. At the Commission’s regularly scheduled November 25, 2013, Decision Meeting the Commission suspended the tariff advice and determined that the case should be processed by Modified Procedure.

On December 6, 2013, the Commission issued a Notice of Filing and set a deadline for intervention. Order No. 32945. J.R. Simplot Company; Cassia Wind Farm, LLC; SE Hazelton A, L.P.; Fulcrum, Inc.; BP Hydro Associates; Bypass Power Company, Inc.; and Notch Butte Hydro Company, Inc., petitioned for, and were granted, intervention. Order No. 32960.

THE PROPOSED SCHEDULE

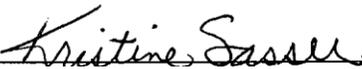
Pursuant to the Commission’s directive, the parties discussed a procedural schedule, service of discovery, and other issues pertinent to the processing of this case. Some parties were concerned that Modified Procedure would not provide an adequate record upon which the Commission could make a decision. Consequently, the parties propose the following procedural schedule:

Meeting to discuss settlement	March 4, 2014
Prefile direct testimony deadline for Idaho Power	March 13, 2014
Prefile direct testimony deadline for Intervenors and Staff	April 3, 2014
Rebuttal testimony deadline	April 24, 2014
Technical hearing	May 1 or 2, 2014

The parties agree that best efforts will be made to answer discovery within 14 days, but no later than 21 days from the date of the discovery request.

COMMISSION DECISION

Does the Commission wish to adopt the schedule proposed by the parties and issue a Notice of Schedule and Notice of Technical Hearing?



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