# BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION	)	CASE NO. PAC-E-09-01
OF PACIFICORP DBA ROCKY	)	
MOUNTAIN POWER FOR AUTHORITY	)	NOTICE OF APPLICATION
TO REVISE ITS EXISTING SCHEDULE	Ó	<i>A</i>
NO. 72A IRRIGATION LOAD CONTROL	Ś	NOTICE OF
CREDIT RIDER DISPATCH PROGRAM.	)	MODIFIED PROCEDURE
	)	
	)	<b>ORDER NO. 30747</b>
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On February 11, 2009, PacifiCorp dba Rocky Mountain Power filed an Application with the Commission seeking authority to revise its Schedule 72A Irrigation Load Control Credit Rider Dispatch Program. More specifically, the Company requests changes to tariff Sheet Nos. 72A.1, 72A.2, 72A.3 and 72A.4. The Company requests that the Application be processed by Modified Procedure with a proposed effective date of March 13, 2009.

## THE APPLICATION

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that Rocky Mountain Power seeks to revise its Schedule 72A, Irrigation Load Control Credit Rider Dispatch Program.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that tariff Sheet No. 72A.1 addresses the purpose of Schedule 72A. The proposed change provides the Company's rationale for preseason Internet access.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that tariff Sheet No. 72A.2 addresses load control service credit. The Company's proposed modifications would allow the Company to issue a credit in lieu of a check for the Load Control Service Credit ("Credit"), at its discretion, at the end of the season. Additional language was added to clarify how average demand is calculated when two years of usage history is unavailable. Language was also added to indicate that the tiered credit was designed to promote program participation. A revision was included to correct the notification date for participation from February 15 to April 15.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the proposed changes to tariff Sheet Nos. 72A.3 and 72A.4 add language to clarify the Company's notification procedures for a dispatch event and revise language to the liquidated damages section from actual prices paid by the

Company for replacement power to the day ahead on-peak price at Four Corners as quoted at the Intercontinental Exchange (ICE).

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company requests a March 13, 2009, effective date.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Application, supporting workpapers 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 other workpapers 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."

## NOTICE OF MODIFIED PROCEDURE

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

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that any person desiring to state a position on this Application may file a written comment in support or opposition with the Commission no later than 30 days from the date of this Order. 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 shall be mailed to the Commission and the Applicant at the addresses reflected below:

Commission Secretary Idaho Public Utilities Commission PO Box 83720 Boise, ID 83720-0074

Street Address for Express Mail: 472 W. Washington Street Boise, ID 83702-5918

Ted Weston Rocky Mountain Power 201 South Main Street, Suite 2300 Salt Lake City, UT 84111 E-mail: ted.weston@pacificorp.com

Data Request Response Center PacifiCorp 825 NE Multnomah, Suite 2000 Portland, OR 97232 E-mail: datarequest@pacificorp.com

NOTICE OF APPLICATION NOTICE OF MODIFIED PROCEDURE ORDER NO. 30747 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 <a href="https://www.puc.idaho.gov">www.puc.idaho.gov</a>. Click the "Comments and Questions" icon, and complete the form, using the case number as it appears on the front of this document. E-mail comments should also be sent to the Company 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 all proceedings in this matter will be held pursuant to the Commission's jurisdiction under Title 61 of the Idaho Code and specifically *Idaho Code* §§ 61-307, 61-502, 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.

#### SUSPENSION OF PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE

Due to the limited time between when the Company filed its Application and when it requests that the changes become effective, the Commission finds that it cannot adequately review Rocky Mountain Power's requested Schedule 72A changes before the proposed effective date of March 13, 2009. Pursuant to *Idaho Code* §§ 61-622 and 61-623, the Commission hereby suspends the proposed changes for a period of thirty (30) days plus five (5) months from March 13, 2009, or until such time as the Commission enters an Order accepting, rejecting or modifying the request in this matter.

### ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that this case be processed under Modified Procedure. Interested persons and the parties may file written comments no later than 30 days from the service date of this Order.

DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this /3<sup>th</sup> day of March 2009.

MACK A. REDFORD, PRESIDENT

MARSHA H. SMITH. COMMISSIONER

JIM D. KEMPTON, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:

Jean D. Jewell () Commission Secretary

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