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BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF INTERMOUNTAIN GAS COMPANY
FOR AUTHORITY TO INCREASE ITS
RATES FOR SERVICE

CASE NO: INT-G-03-01

JEFFREY C. BROOKS dba ADVANCED
ENERGY STRATEGIES, INC.
PETITION TO INTERVENE

Advanced Energy Strategies Inc. (AES) petitions this Commission for leave to intervene in the above entitled proceeding pursuant to Rules 72 and 73 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.072 and -.073. In support of this Petition, AES states as follows:

1. Jeffrey C. Brooks is private citizen and principal of Advanced Energy Strategies Inc. (AES). AES is an independent business that specializes in energy efficiency, and energy related issues. AES has provided comments to this Commission in previous cases on behalf of public interest groups and as a concerned citizen, and in this matter represents the interests of residential and small commercial customers of Intermountain Gas Company (IGC).

2. AES has a direct and substantial interest in these proceedings because the Commission's decision may, directly or indirectly, affect the cost of natural gas supplied to residential and small commercial retail customers of Intermountain Gas Company, and it is unknown, at this time, whether any other third party entity has entered into these proceedings to participate on behalf of residential and small commercial retail customers of IGC, who typically have no representation and are not organized or funded to provide alternative representation.

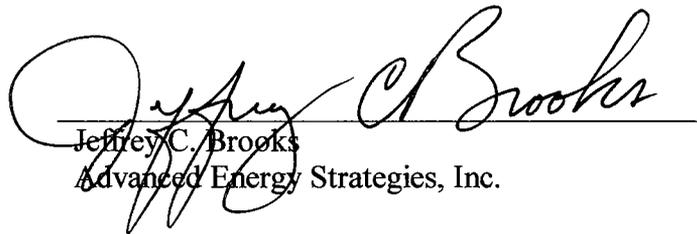
3. AES is unable to state its position at this stage of the proceedings, and therefore seeks to intervene for the purpose of receiving documents, examining witnesses, and otherwise participating as its interest may appear.

4. AES's representative for the purpose of service of pleadings and other written materials is:

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WHEREFORE, AES respectfully requests that the Commission grant this Petition to Intervene and authorize AES to participate in the above entitled proceedings with full rights as a formal party.

Dated this 15th day of May, 2003.



Jeffrey C. Brooks
Advanced Energy Strategies, Inc.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on the 15th day of May 2003, I caused to be served a true and correct copy of the forgoing by the method indicated below, and addressed to the following:

Jean Jewell ✓

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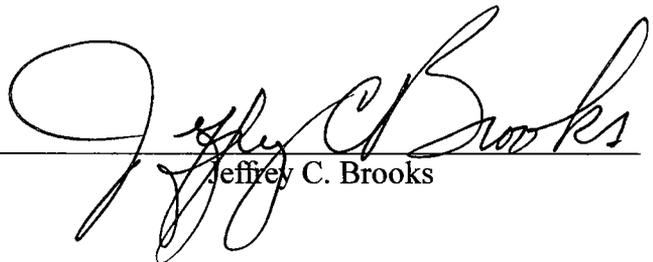
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