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BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)
OF FALLS WATER COMPANY FOR) CASE NO. FLS-W-09-01
AUTHORITY TO INCREASE ITS RATES)
AND CHARGES.) COMMISSION STAFF MOTION
) TO SUSPEND DEADLINE FOR
) FILING COMMENTS**

On September 16, 2009, the Commission issued a Notice of Public Workshop and Notice of Modified Procedure setting a deadline for comments to be filed no later than October 7, 2009.

Due to the nature of this case (i.e., general rate case), the request by Falls Water for a 14.39% increase in revenue, and the demonstrated interest already exhibited by the public in the form of comments to the case, Staff will be unable to adequately audit and review the Company's Application prior to the October 7, 2009, comment deadline.

By this Motion, Staff requests that the Commission suspend the comment deadline until such time as Staff can informally meet with the Company, establish a feasible schedule for the processing of this case, and present the schedule for Commission approval.

Respectfully submitted this 30TH day of September 2009.



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I HAVE THIS ^{30th} DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2009, SERVED THE FOREGOING **COMMISSION STAFF MOTION TO SUSPEND DEADLINE FOR FILING COMMENTS**, IN CASE NO. FLS-W-09-01, BY MAILING A COPY THEREOF, POSTAGE PREPAID, TO THE FOLLOWING:

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