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Re: Docket No. UM 1302

Enclose for filing in the above-referenced docket is Idaho Power Company's Petition to Intervene.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON

UM 1302

In the Matter of PUBLIC UTILITY
COMMISSION OF OREGON Staff
Investigation into the Treatment of CO₂ Risk
in the Integrated Resource Planning
Process.

IDAHO POWER COMPANY'S PETITION
TO INTERVENE

Pursuant to ORS 756.525 and OAR 860-0012-0001, Idaho Power Company ("Idaho Power") petitions the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (the "Commission") to intervene in this proceeding with full party status as described in OAR 860-011-0035. In support of this petition, Idaho Power states:

1.

Idaho Power is an electric public utility operating in the state of Oregon and is subject to the supervision and regulation of the Commission.

2.

Idaho Power wishes to waive paper service in this docket. Communications to Idaho Power concerning this proceeding should be addressed to:

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3.

Idaho Power has a direct and substantial interest in this proceeding. OAR 860-038-0080 requires Idaho Power to file Integrated Resource Plans ("IRP") every two years. This investigation could affect the analysis of Idaho Power's resources and shape the outcome of an IRP and Idaho Power's responsibilities regarding the IRP.

4.

Idaho Power has experience with IRP's and Commission investigations. Idaho Power's participation in this docket could assist the Commission in resolving the issues. Idaho Power will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record, or unreasonably delay the proceedings.

5.

Because no other party can adequately represent Idaho Power's interests in this proceeding, Idaho Power respectfully requests that the Commission grant this Petition to Intervene.

DATED: March 16, 2007.

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1 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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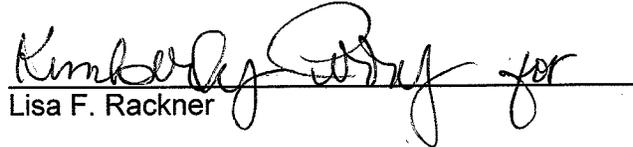
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