

ISSUED: April 2, 2009

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
OF OREGON**

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| In the Matter of                     | ) |                        |
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| IDAHO POWER COMPANY                  | ) | RULING AND             |
|                                      | ) | NOTICE OF CANCELLATION |
| Application for an Accounting Order  | ) | OF HEARING             |
| Regarding Excess Net Power Expenses. | ) |                        |

**DISPOSITION: MOTION TO CONTINUE SUSPENSION OF  
PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE GRANTED;  
HEARING CANCELLED**

On March 5, 2009, the procedural schedule in this proceeding was suspended until March 19, 2009, pending submission to the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (Commission) of a Stipulation with supporting documentation, or a status report and a motion requesting that the suspension be continued. The due date passed without submission of either filing.

On April 1, 2009, however, Commission Staff (Staff) filed a motion to continue the suspension of the procedural schedule. Staff reported that the parties are continuing to draft a stipulation. Following comments by Staff and the Citizens' Utility Board of Oregon (CUB) on a first draft of a stipulation by Idaho Power Company (Idaho Power), Idaho Power has developed a second draft of a stipulation, as well as a draft supporting brief, that are presently being circulated for comment. Anticipating the filing of a final stipulation and supporting brief to be filed by April 8, 2009, Staff's motion requests suspension of the procedural schedule.

Based on the representation that Staff and all parties are continuing to make progress towards a final stipulation in this docket, I grant Staff's motion. I also cancel the hearing scheduled in this proceeding. Notice is provided below.

NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Commission cancels the hearing scheduled for April 16, 2009, in this proceeding. The hearing may be rescheduled at a later date, if necessary.

Dated this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of April, 2009, at Salem, Oregon

  
 Traci A. G. Kirkpatrick  
 Administrative Law Judge