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Re: Docket No. UE 195

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket are an original and one copy of Idaho Power Company's Affidavits of Publication for the Baker City Herald and the Argus Observer.

A copy of this filing has been served on all parties to this proceeding as indicated on the attached certificate of service.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Wendy L. McIndoo".

Wendy L. McIndoo

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I served a true and correct copy of the foregoing document in UE 195 on the following named person(s) on the date indicated below by email and first-class mail addressed to said person(s) at his or her last-known address(es) indicated below.

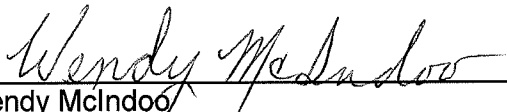
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Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF OREGON, COUNTY OF BAKER

I, **Rachel Looney**, a citizen of the United States and a resident of the county aforesaid; I am over the age of eighteen years, and not party to or interested in the below-entitled matter. I am the principal clerk of the printer of the Baker City Herald a daily newspaper of general circulation, published in the aforesaid county and state as defined by ORS 193.010 and ORS 193.020, that

Acct. Name: Idaho Power

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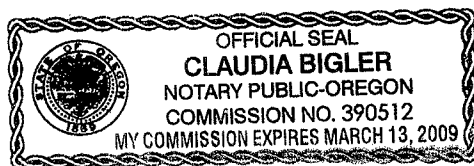
Legal Description: Notice of Proposed Rate Change

a printed copy of which is hereto affixed was published in each regular and entire issue of the said newspaper and not in any supplement thereof on the following dates, to wit:

April 8, 2008

I certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated at Baker City, Oregon, this 11 day of April, 2008.



Rachel Looney

Claudia Bigler

Notary Public of Oregon

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On March 24, 2008, Idaho Power filed with the Public Utility Commission of Oregon the second part of its three-part Power Cost Adjustment mechanism for its customers in Oregon.

The Power Cost Adjustment mechanism would affect the electricity rates paid by Oregon customers in the following ways:

1. Provides for an annual adjustment associated with normal power supply costs;
2. Provides for an annual adjustment associated with anticipated actual power supply costs;
3. Provides for an annual true-up adjustment reflecting the difference between actual and projected power supply costs.

The company has now filed the second element of this Power Cost Adjustment mechanism reflecting the company's forecast of actual power costs for the coming year. If approved this change would result in an overall 15.69 percent increase (\$4.8 million) in rates. The proposed rate change is expected to take effect on June 1, 2008. If approved it would result in a monthly change for the average residential customer using 1,200 kilowatt-hours of electricity, from \$63.84 to \$71.94 or a difference of \$8.10. This represents a 12.69 percent increase for the average residential customer.

Idaho Power's request is a continuation of the proposal filed on August 17, 2007 and updated on October 29, 2007. It is only a proposal and has not been approved by the Public Utility Commission of Oregon. This notice is intended to provide the company's Oregon customers knowledge of the proposed change and its impacts. The calculations and statements contained within this notice are not binding on the Public Utility Commission of Oregon.

Copies of testimony and exhibits are located on the company's Web site www.idahopower.com/about-us/regulatoryinfo/filings.asp, at the company's Payette Operations Center and at the Idaho Power Corporate Headquarters.

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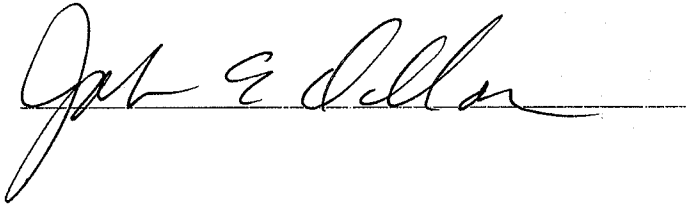
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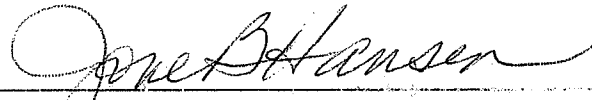
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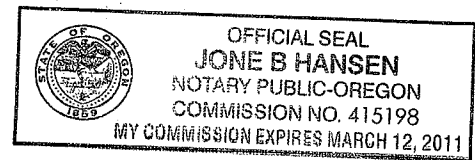
I, John E. Dillon, being first duly sworn, depose and say that I am the Advertising Director of the Argus Observer, a newspaper of general circulation as defined by Sections 1-509, 1-510, Oregon Code, printed and published at the City of Ontario in the County of Malheur, the state of Oregon; that 1 insertion of the above named ad did run in said newspaper on date of April 8, A.D. 2008.



Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of April, A.D. 2008.



Notary Public for the State of Oregon



My commission expires March 12, 2011.
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