

August 18, 2009

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Oregon Public Utility Commission
Attention: Filing Center
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Re: Idaho Power Proceeding -- Docket No. UE 213

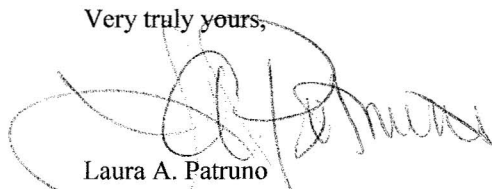
Attention Filing Center:

Enclosed for filing in the above referenced docket is an original and one copy of a Motion to Intervene. This is being filed by electronic mail with the Filing Center.

An extra copy of the cover letter is enclosed. Please date stamp the extra copy and return to me in the envelope provided.

Thank you in advance for your assistance with this request.

Very truly yours,



Laura A. Patruno
General Counsel
EP Minerals, LLC

Encls.

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

Docket No. UE 213

In the Matter of the)	
IDAHO POWER COMPANY)	PETITION TO INTERVENE
Request for a general rate revision)	

EP Minerals, LLC (“EP”) moves to intervene in this proceeding pursuant to Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) 860-012-0001. In support of this motion, EP provides the following.

- a) The name and address of EP is as follows.

EP Minerals, LLC
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- b) The names and contact information of the persons to be included on the official service lists in this proceeding are as follows.

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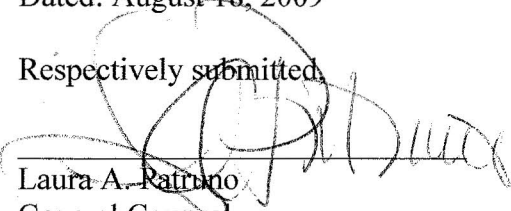
- c) EP is an industrial consumer of commercial power necessary for the operation of its processing facility in Vale, Oregon and, as such, the decisions made in this proceeding will directly affect EP.
- d) EP intends to monitor the proceeding and, if necessary, raise issues that are appropriate to the proceeding. EP plans to object to the proposed rate increase proposed by Idaho Power in this proceeding.

- e) EP will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record, or unreasonably delay the proceeding.
- f) EP waives paper service of documents in this proceeding.
- g) Based on the information provided above in accordance with the Commission's rules of procedure, EP requests to participate in this proceeding as an intervenor.

Accordingly, EP's motion to intervene should be granted.

Dated: August 18, 2009

Respectively submitted,

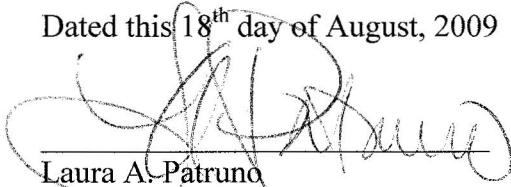


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the Motion to Intervene upon all parties of record in this proceeding by electronic mail pursuant to OAR 860-013-0070; said service to those parties whose email addresses appear on the attached service list and I have mailed by first class mail a copy of the Motion to Intervene to all parties of record who did not waive paper service of documents in this proceeding.

Dated this 18th day of August, 2009



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