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Re: Docket No. UM 1452

Pursuant to the schedule adopted by Chief Administrative Law Judge Michael Grant in his Errata Prehearing Conference Memorandum of July 5, 2011, Closing Comments on the Volumetric Incentive Rate – Implementation and Policy Order are to be filed on August 22, 2011. Idaho Power Company (“Idaho Power” or “Company”) reviewed the opening comments filed by Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (“Commission”) and PacifiCorp and Portland General Electric Company. The majority of the comments addressed the implementation of a lottery system for small- and medium-sized systems and the allocation of medium-size capacity between the net metering and bidding options. Because the resolution of these issues does not affect Idaho Power, the Company is not filing closing comments.

Although the Company is not filing closing comments in this docket, it does intend to file comments in the accompanying rulemaking docket, AR 558.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Adam Lowney', written over the typed name below.

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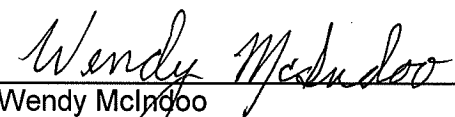
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