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REPORT NAME: Major Event Days Report - May 8, 2013

COMPANY NAME: Idaho Power Company

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May 8, 2013

Attention: Filing Center
Public Utility Commission of Oregon
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P.O. Box 2148
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Re: Major Event Days: April 28, 2013

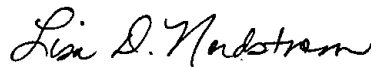
Dear Filing Center:

An outage event on April 28, 2013, affected our Oregon operating reliability reporting area and met the criteria as a Major Event Day (MED) with a DaySAIDI (System Average Interruption Index) = 27.99 (Tmed = 11.25) and a CAIDI (Customer Average Interruption Index) of 367.15 (Base = 300).

The initial cause of this event was attributed to a broken conductor on the B phase of the OBPR-HFWY 69KV Transmission Line. The five feeders affected by this event impacted 1,399 distribution customers.

This filing should be forwarded to Lori Koho in the Safety, Reliability and Security Division. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Perry Van Patten, Manager, Delivery Reliability and Maintenance, at 208-388-5944.

Very truly yours,



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**OR Rule: 860-023-0160
Major Event Filing
April 28, 2013**

Description: On April 28, 2013, a Major Event Day in our Oregon reliability reporting area occurred. The cause of the event was a broken conductor on the B-phase of the OBPR-HFWY 69kV transmission line. Customers in the vicinity of Oxbow and Halfway, Oregon were affected including some Idaho Customers. Significant winds were a contributing factor to the broken conductor.

The breakers at HFWY 11 & HFWY 12 were opened when the (OBPR-PNCK-HFWY) transmission fault occurred. Restoration of service required repairs to be made on the transmission line and the subsequent closing of the DUKE-HFWY Pole Top Switch. The remote location of the Pole Top Switch contributed to the extended length of this outage.

Transmission Events:

Line	Begin Time	Cause Description	Event Type	Duration	Comments
OBPR-PNCK-HFWY 69kV	14:10:00	Broken Conductor	Loss of Supply - Transmission	34 min	OBPR 102A Opened by Dispatch to isolate fault

Customers Affected: The event had the following affect on the customer-serving distribution circuits. The total number of OR customers affected was 1,399.

Circuit	Duration (Minutes)	Customer Outages	Customer Minutes Out
DUKE11			
626804	35.67	28	998.67
HFWY11			
626787	401.00	737	295,537.00
HFWY12			
626784	401.00	532	213,332.00
PNCK11			
626798	37.00	100	3,700.00
PNCK12			
626801	37.00	2	74.00
Total	911.67	1,399	513,641.67

All of the OR customers on these circuits were impacted. The resulting indices are shown below.

Circuit	Day SAIDI (Minutes)	Day SAIFI	Day CAIDI (Minutes)
DUKE11	35.67	1.00	35.67
HFWY11	401.00	1.00	401.00
HFWY12	401.00	1.00	401.00
PNCK11	37.00	1.00	37.00
PNCK12	37.00	1.00	37.00
System	27.99	0.08	367.15

Outage Timeline:

