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ALJ Lisa Hardie
Public Utility Commission of Oregon
PO Box 2148
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Re: UM 1395 - In the Matter of Idaho Power Company Application for Authorization to Implement Revised Depreciation Rates

Dear Judge Hardie:

The current schedule calls for Idaho Power to file its reply testimony tomorrow. However, the parties are optimistic that they may be able to settle the case in the coming weeks. For this reason the parties request that the schedule in the case be suspended for 30 days to allow the parties to continue settlement discussions. In the event the parties are unable to come to an agreement within 30 days, the parties request that the Commission schedule a prehearing conference so that a new schedule can be adopted.

Very truly yours,

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Lisa Rackner
cc: Service List

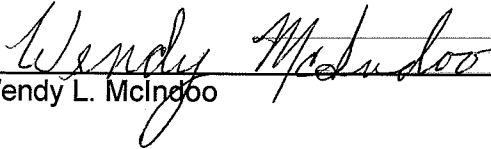
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I served a true and correct copy of the foregoing document in Docket UM 1395 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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DATED: March 23, 2009.


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