



October 21, 2005

VIA EMAIL AND US MAIL

Filing Center Oregon Public Utility Commission 550 Capitol Street NE #215 PO Box 2148 Salem, OR 97308-2148

Re: Idaho Power's Application for an Order Approving Sale of Property

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed for filing is the original and three copies of Idaho Power Company's Application for and Order Approving the Sale of the Boise Bench Transmission Substation and the State Street Office Property. Please contact me with any questions.

Very truly yours,

Jessica A. Gorham

Enclosure

## 1 BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION **OF OREGON** 2 UP 3 IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION 4 OF IDAHO POWER COMPANY FOR AN ORDER APPROVING THE SALE OF THE **APPLICATION** 5 **BOISE BENCH TRANSMISSION** SUBSTATION PROPERTY AND THE 6 STATE STREET OFFICE PROPERTY 7 Pursuant to ORS 757.480 and in accordance with OAR 860-27-025, Idaho Power 8 Company (the "Applicant"), hereby applies to the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (the 9 "Commission") for an Order authorizing the sale of certain properties as set forth in this 10 application. 11 The Application of Idaho Power Company respectfully alleges: 12 The exact name of Applicant and the address of its principal business office are: (a) 13 Idaho Power Company, 1221 W. Idaho Street, P.O. Box 70, Boise, Idaho 83707-0070. 14 (b) The Applicant was incorporated under the laws of the State of Maine on the 6th 15 day of May, 1915, and migrated its state of incorporation from the State of Maine to the State of 16 Idaho effective June 30, 1989. It is qualified as a foreign corporation to do business in the States 17 of Oregon, Nevada, Montana and Wyoming in connection with its utility business. 18 (c) The name and address of the person authorized on behalf of Applicant to receive 19 notices and communications in respect to this Application is: 20 21 Patrick A. Harrington Attorney 22 Idaho Power Company P.O. Box 70 23 Boise, ID 83707 (d) The names, titles and addresses of the principal officers of the Applicant are as 24 follows: 25

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1	Jan B. Packwood	Chief Executive Officer	
2	J. LaMont Keen	President & Chief Operating Officer	
3	Darrel T. Anderson	Senior Vice President - Administrative Services and Chief Financial Officer	
4	James C. Miller	Senior Vice President - Power Supply	
5	Dan B. Minor	Senior Vice President – Delivery	
6 7	Thomas R. Saldin	Sr. Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary	
8	John R. Gale	Vice President - Regulatory Affairs	
9	Dennis C. Gribble	Vice President and Treasurer	
10	A. Bryan Kearney	Vice President & Chief Information Officer	
11	Luci K. McDonald	Vice President - Human Resources	
12	Greg W. Panter	Vice President - Public Affairs	
13	Lori D. Smith	Vice President - Finance and Chief Risk Officer	
14 15	Lisa A. Grow	Vice President – Delivery Engineering and Operations	
16	Warren Kline	Vice President – Customer Service and Regional Operations	
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18	The address of all of the above officers is:		
19	1221 W. Idaho Street P. O. Box 70		
20	Boise, ID 83707-0070		
21	(e) The Applicant is an electric public utility engaged principally in the generation,		
22	purchase, transmission, distribution and sale of electric energy in an approximately 24,000		
23	square mile area over southern Idaho, and in the counties of Baker, Harney and Malheur in		
24	eastern Oregon. A map showing Applicant's service territory is on file with the Commission as		
25	Exhibit H to Applicant's application in Case No. UF 4063.		

1	(f) The following statement as to each class of the capital stock	of Applicant is as of
2	March 31, 2005, the date of the balance sheet submitted with this application	n:
3	Common Stock	
4	(1) Description Common Stock \$2.50 per value, 1 vote per share	
5	(1) Description - Common Stock, \$2.50 par value; 1 vote per share (2) Amount authorized - 50,000,000 shares (\$125,000,000 par value) (3) Amount outstanding - 39,150,812 shares	)
6	(4) Amount held as reacquired securities - None	
0	<ul><li>(5) Amount pledged by applicant - None</li><li>(6) Amount owned by affiliated corporations – All</li></ul>	
7	(7) Amount held in any fund - None	
8	Applicant's Common Stock is held by IDACORP, Inc., the holding	g company of Idaho
9	Power Company. IDACORP, Inc.'s Common Stock is registered (pursuan	t to Section 12(b) of
10	the Securities Exchange Act of 1934) and is listed on the New York and Pac	ific stock exchanges.
11	(g) The following statement as to funded debt of Applicant is as	s of March 31, 2005,
12	the date of the balance sheet submitted with this application.	
13	First Mortgage Bonds	
14	(1)	(3)
15	<u>Description</u>	<b>Amount</b>
16	FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS:	<b>Outstanding</b>
17	5.83 % Series due 2005, dated as of Sep 9, 1998, due Sep 9, 2005	60,000,000
l /	7.38 % Series due 2007, dated as of Dec 1, 2000, due Dec 1, 2007	80,000,000
18	7.20 % Series due 2009, dated as of Nov 23, 1999, due Dec 1, 2009	80,000,000
	6.60 % Series due 2011, dated as of Mar 2, 2001, due Mar 2, 2011	120,000,000
19	4.75 % Series due 2012, dated as of Nov 15, 2002, due Nov 15, 2012	100,000,000
20	4.25 % Series due 2013, dated as of May 13, 2003, due October 1, 2013	70,000,000
	6 % Series due 2032, dated as of Nov 15, 2002, due Nov 15, 2032	100,000,000
21	5.50 % Series due 2033, dated as of May 13, 2003, due April 1, 2033	70,000,000
, ,	5.50 % Series due 2034, dated as of April 26, 2004, due April 15, 2034	50,000,000
22	5.875% Series due 2034, dated as of August 16, 2004, due August 15, 2034	55,000,000
23		<u>785,000,000</u>
24	(2) Amount authorized - Limited within the maximum of \$1,100,	
25	maximum amount as may be fixed by supplemental indenture earnings, and other provisions of the Mortgage.	) and by property,

Amount held as reacquired securities - None

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1	(5) Amount pledged - None
2	(6) Amount owned by affiliated corporations - None
3	(7) Amount of sinking or other funds - None
4	For a full statement of the terms and provisions relating to the respective Series and
5	amounts of Applicant's outstanding First Mortgage Bonds above referred to, reference is made to
6	the Mortgage and Deed of Trust dated as of October 1, 1937, and the First through Thirty-Ninth
7	Supplemental Indentures thereto, by Idaho Power Company to Deutsche Bank Trust Company
8	Americas (formerly known as Bankers Trust Company) and R. G. Page (Stanley Burg, successor
9	individual trustee), Trustees, presently on file with the Commission, under which said bonds
10	were issued.
11	Pollution Control Revenue Bonds
12   13   14   15   16   17   18   19   20	<ul> <li>(A) Variable Rate Series 2000 due 2027: <ul> <li>(1) Description - Pollution Control Revenue Bonds, Variable Rate Series due 2027, Port of Morrow, Oregon, dated as of May 17, 2000, due February 1, 2027.</li> <li>(2) Amount authorized - \$4,360,000</li> <li>(3) Amount outstanding - \$4,360,000</li> <li>(4) Amount held as reacquired securities - None</li> <li>(5) Amount pledged - None</li> <li>(6) Amount owned by affiliated corporations - None</li> <li>(7) Amount in sinking or other funds - None</li> </ul> </li> <li>(B) Variable Auction Rate Series 2003 due 2024: <ul> <li>(1) Description - Pollution Control Revenue Refunding Bonds, Variable Auction Rate Series 2003 due 2024, County of Humboldt, Nevada, dated as of October 22, 2003 due December 1, 2024 (secured by First Mortgage Bonds)</li> <li>(2) Amount authorized - \$49,800,000</li> <li>(3) Amount outstanding - \$49,800,000</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
21   22	<ul> <li>(4) Amount held as reacquired securities - None</li> <li>(5) Amount pledged - None</li> <li>(6) Amount owned by affiliated corporations - None</li> <li>(7) Amount in sinking or other funds - None</li> </ul>
23 24 25	(C) 6.05% Series 1996A due 2026:  (1) Description - Pollution Control Revenue Bonds, 6.05% Series 1996A due 2026, County of Sweetwater, Wyoming, dated as of July 15, 1996, due July 15, 2026  (2) Amount authorized - \$68,100,000
26	(2) Amount authorized - \$68,100,000 (3) Amount outstanding - \$68,100,000 (4) Amount held as reacquired securities - None (5) Amount pledged - None

- (6) Amount owned by affiliated corporations None
- (7) Amount in sinking or other funds None
- (D) Variable Rate Series 1996B due 2026:
  - (1) Description Pollution Control Revenue Bonds, Variable Rate 1996B Series due 2026, County of Sweetwater, Wyoming, dated as of July 15, 1996, due July 15, 2026.
  - (2) Amount authorized \$24,200,000
  - (3) Amount outstanding \$24,200,000
  - (4) Amount held as reacquired securities None
  - (5) Amount pledged None
  - (6) Amount owned by affiliated corporations None
  - (7) Amount in sinking or other funds None
- (E) Variable Rate Series 1996C due 2026:
  - (1) Description Pollution Control Revenue Bonds, Variable Rate 1996C Series due 2026, County of Sweetwater, Wyoming, dated as of July 15, 1996, due July 15, 2026.
  - (2) Amount authorized \$24,000,000
  - (3) Amount outstanding \$24,000,000
  - (4) Amount held as reacquired securities None
  - (5) Amount pledged None
  - (6) Amount owned by affiliated corporations None
  - (7) Amount in sinking or other funds None

For a full statement of the terms and provisions relating to the outstanding Pollution Control Revenue Bonds referenced above, please see: (A) copies of Trust Indenture by Port of Morrow, Oregon, to the Bank One Trust Company, N. A., Trustee, and Loan Agreement between Port of Morrow, Oregon and Idaho Power Company, both dated May 17, 2000, under which the Variable Rate Series 2000 bonds were issued, (B) copies of Loan Agreement between Idaho Power Company and Humboldt County, Nevada dated October 1, 2003; Trust Indenture between Humboldt County, Nevada and Union Bank of California dated October 1, 2003; Escrow Agreement between Humboldt County, Nevada and Bank One Trust Company and Idaho Power Company dated October 1, 2003; Purchase Contract dated October 21, 2003 among Humboldt County, Nevada and Bankers Trust Company; Auction Agreement, dated as of October 22, 2003 among Idaho Power Company, Union Bank of California and Deutsche Bank Trust Company; Insurance Agreement, dated as of October 1, 2003 between AMBAC and Idaho Power Company; Broker-Dealer agreements dated October 22, 2003 among the Auction Agent, Banc One Capital Markets, Banc of America Securities and Idaho Power Company, under which

the Auction Rate Series 2003 bonds were issued; and (C) (D) (E) copies of Indentures of Trust by Sweetwater County, Wyoming, to the First National Bank of Chicago, Trustee, and Loan Agreements between Idaho Power Company and Sweetwater County, Wyoming, all dated July 15, 1996, under which the 6.05% Series 1996A bonds, Variable Rate Series 1996B bonds and Variable Rate Series 1996C bonds were issued.

- (h) Applicant is requesting approval from the Commission for the prior sale of two properties that were identified in the Commission staff's audit recommendations for the year 2003: the sale of Boise Bench Transmission Substation lands (the "Boise Bench Property") on January 3, 2001, and the sale of Applicant's State Street Office property (the "State Street Office") on December 19, 2001.
- (i) The Boise Bench Property sale involved the sale of 26.23 acres of unimproved land located at Applicant's Boise Bench Transmission Substation site in the Section 31 and 32, T3N, R3E, Ada County, Idaho. The Boise Bench Property did not include substation improvements and Applicant determined that the land could be disposed of without impacting operations at the substation site.

The State Street Office sale involved the sale of Applicant's former district office building located at 1520 W. State Street in Boise, Idaho. Applicant planned to discontinue use of the State Street Office space as part of its ongoing office space consolidation, and the State Street Office was accordingly deemed to be disposable.

- (j) Applicant's journal entries for the sale of the Boise Bench Property and State Street Office are attached hereto as Exhibit J.
- (k) Applicant has reported the sale of the Boise Bench Property and the State Street Office to the Idaho Public Utilities Commission. No other applications or reporting are required with other state or federal regulatory body.
- (l) Applicant believes that the sales of the Boise Bench Property and the State Street Office are consistent with the public interest since the properties were no longer necessary or

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useful in the performance of Applicant's service to its customers, and no longer REQUIRED in Applicant's rate base.

- (m) As indicated above, Applicant determined that the Boise Bench Property was not necessary for Applicant's ongoing operations at the Boise Bench Transmission Substation site, and therefore was available for disposal. Similarly, Applicant determined that the State Street Office was no longer to be utilized by Applicant, and accordingly was available for sale.
  - (n) Not applicable.
- (0)Applicant is incorporated under the laws of the State of Idaho and is qualified to do business as a foreign corporation in the States of Oregon, Nevada, Montana and Wyoming in connection with its utility operations. Applicant holds municipal franchises in approximately 80 incorporated cities in which it distributes electrical energy in the states of Idaho and Oregon, and such franchises or permits in or from the counties in which Applicant operates, and certificates of public convenience and necessity from state regulatory authorities as are required. This Application will not result in the capitalization of the right to be a corporation, or of any franchise, permit or contract for consolidation, merger or lease in excess of the amount (exclusive of any tax or annual charge) actually paid as the consideration for such right, franchise, permit or contract.

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1	<u>PRAYER</u>
2	WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests that the Public Utility Commission of
3	Oregon issue its Order herein approving Applicant's sale of the Boise Bench Property and the
4	State Street Office Property, as described in this application.
5	DATED this 21 <sup>st</sup> day of October, 2005.
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8	/s/ Lisa F. Rackner
	Lisa Rackner Ater Wynne, LLP
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10	Portland, OR 97201
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13	IDAHO POWER COMPANY
14	Patrick A. Harrington – Attorney
15	Betsy Galtney – Regulatory Affairs Representative
	Idaho Power Company P.O. Box 70
16	Boise, ID 83707-0070
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10	FAX: (208) 388-6936
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# **EXHIBITS**

Exhibit A. A copy of Applicant's Articles of Incorporation, as amended January 20, 2005, has heretofore been filed with the Commission in Case No. UF 4214, reference to which is hereby made.

A copy of Applicant's By-laws, as amended January 20, 2005, has Exhibit B. heretofore been filed with the Commission in Case No. UF 4214, reference to which is hereby made.

Exhibit C. A certified copy of resolutions of Applicant's Board of Directors dated July 13, 1995, authorizing the sale of real property by Applicant, and covering the sales of real property described in this Application, is attached hereto.

Exhibit D-1. Copies of Mortgage and Deed of Trust, including First Supplemental Indenture, are on file with the Commission in Case UF-795; Second Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-1102; Third Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-1247; Fourth Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-1351; Fifth Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-1467; Sixth Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-1608; Seventh Supplemental Indenture of Case UF-2000; Eighth and Ninth Supplemental Indentures in Case UF-2068; Tenth Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-2146; Eleventh Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-2159; Twelfth Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-2188; Thirteenth Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-2253; Fourteenth Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-2304; Fifteenth Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-2466; Sixteenth Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-2545; Seventeenth Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-2596; Eighteenth Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-2944; Nineteenth Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-3063; Twentieth Supplemental Indenture and Twenty-first Supplemental Indentures in Case UF-3110; Twenty-second Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-3274; Twenty-third Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-3457; and Twenty-fourth Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-3614; Twenty-fifth Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-3758; Twenty-sixth Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-3782; Twenty-seventh Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-3947; Twenty-

eighth Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-4022; Twenty-ninth Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-4014; Thirtieth Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-4033; Thirty-first Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-4033; Thirty-second Supplemental Indenture in Case UF-4053; Thirty-third Supplemental Indenture in Case No. UF-4088; and Thirty-fourth Supplemental Indenture in Case No. UF-4111, reference to which is hereby made.

**Exhibit D-2.** A copy of Guaranty Agreement between Idaho Power Company and U.S. Bank of Idaho, successor to The Idaho First National Bank, as Trustee, for \$21,055,000 of Bonds under and pursuant to Indenture relating to \$21,055,000 American Falls Replacement Dam Bonds of American Falls Reservoir district, Idaho, has heretofore been filed with the Commission in Case NO. UF-4028, reference to which is hereby made.

**Exhibit D-3.** A copy of the Equipment Lease and Sublease Agreement between Idaho Power Company and Sweetwater County, Wyoming, dated September 1, 1973, has heretofore been filed with the Commission in Case No. UF-3013, reference to which is hereby made.

**Exhibit D-4.** A copy of the Applicant's Guaranty Agreement representing a one-third contingent liability for lease charges for certain equipment leased to the Bridger Coal Company, in connection with the operation of the Company's Jim Bridger Plant, along with an Order dated July 30, 1974, from the Federal Power Commission waiving jurisdiction over this transaction, has heretofore been filed with the Commission in Case NO. UF-2977, reference to which is hereby made.

**Exhibit D-5.** A copy of Applicant's Guaranty Agreement, dated April 1, 1977, guaranteeing payment of the principal and interest on \$24,000,000 of Pollution Control Revenue Bonds issued by Sweetwater County, Wyoming, for certain pollution control facilities installed on the Jim Bridger coal-fired steam electric generating plant, has heretofore been filed with the Commission in Case No. UF-3321, reference to which is hereby made.

**Exhibit D-6.** A copy of Applicant's Guaranty Agreement, dated August 17, 1978, guaranteeing payment of the principal and interest on \$4,360,000 of Pollution Control Revenue

bonds issued by the Port of Morrow Oregon, for certain pollution control facilities installed on the Boardman coal-fired steam electric generating plant, has heretofore been filed with the Commission in Case No. UF-3450, reference to which is hereby made.

**Exhibit D-7.** A copy of the Participation Agreement which includes as exhibits the Facilities Agreement and the Assumption and Option Agreement along with copies of the Bargain and Sale Deed, Bill of Sale and Assignment, and the Amendment to the Agreement for Construction, Ownership and Operation of the Number One Boardman Station on Carty Reservoir, as supplemented, with respect to the sale and leaseback of the Coal Handling Facilities at the Number One Boardman Station has heretofore been filed with the Commission in Docket No, UF-3520, reference to which is hereby made.

Exhibit D-8. A copy of Applicant's Loan Agreement, dated December 1, 1984, providing for payment of the principal and interest on \$49,800,000 of Pollution Control Revenue Bonds issued by Humboldt County, Nevada, for certain pollution control facilities installed on the Valmy Coal-Fired Steam Electric Generating Plant, has heretofore been filed with the Commission in Case No. UF-3947, reference to which is hereby made. A copy of the Agreement dated May 20, 1986, among Applicant, Goldman, Sachs & Co., Kidder, Peabody & Co. and Banker's Trust Company, and the Pledge Agreement, dated May 1, 1986, between Applicant and Morgan Guaranty Trust Company of New York, providing for the offering of said Pollution Control Revenue Bonds, and the fixing of the interest rate thereon, have heretofore been filed with the Commission in Case No. UF-3947, reference to which is hereby made.

**Exhibit D-9.** A copy of Applicant's Guaranty Agreement, dated February 10, 1992, guaranteeing payment of the principal and interest on \$11, 700,000 of Notes issued by Milner Dam, Inc., for construction of the Milner Dam in Twin Falls County, Idaho, has heretofore been filed with the Commission in Case No. UF-4063, reference to which is hereby made.

**Exhibit D-10.** A copy of Applicant's Assumption Agreement, dated May 1, 1992, providing for Applicant's assumption of certain Rural Electrification Administration notes, in the

combined principal amount outstanding of approximately \$1.9 million, has heretofore been filed
with the Commission in Case No. 4072.

**Exhibit D-11.** A copy of Applicant's Loan Agreements regarding Applicant's payments to Sweetwater County, Wyoming, as Issuer of the Pollution Control Revenue Bonds, Series 1996A-C, dated as of July 15, 1996, with respect to the Jim Bridger Coal-Fired Steam Electric Generating Plant, have heretofore been filed with the Commission in Case No. UF-4144, reference to which is hereby made. A copy of the Contract of Purchase, dated July 25, 1996, among Applicant, Goldman, Sachs & Co., and Morgan Stanley & Co. Incorporated, providing for the offering of said Pollution Control Revenue Bonds, has also heretofore been filed with the Commission in Case No. UF 4144.

**Exhibit E:** Balance Sheet of Applicant with supporting fixed capital or plant schedules as of March 31, 2005 (attached hereto).

**Exhibit F:** Statement of Applicant's Commitments and Contingent Liabilities as March 31, 2005 (attached hereto).

**Exhibit G:** Income Statement of Applicant for the 12 months ended March 31, 2005 (attached hereto).

**Exhibit H:** Statement of Retained Earnings of Applicant for the 12 months ended March 31, 2005 (attached hereto).

Exhibit I. Not applicable.

Exhibit J. Applicant's journal entries for the sale of the Boise Bench Property and State Street Office are attached hereto.

Exhibit K. Not applicable.

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STATE OF IDAHO	)
COUNTY OF ADA	) ss.
CITY OF BOISE	)

I, THOMAS R. SALDIN, the undersigned, Secretary of Idaho Power Company, do hereby certify that the following constitutes a full, true and correct copy of the resolution adopted at the Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors held July 13, 1995, relating to purchases, disposals and exchanges of real and personal property, and that said resolutions have not been amended or rescinded and are in full force and effect on the date hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of October,

2005.

/s/ Thomas R. Saldin

Secretary

(CORPORATE SEAL)

RESOLVED, That the Chairman of the Board, or the Chief Executive Officer, or the President or any Vice President. and the Secretary or any Assistant Secretary of Idaho Power Company, or such other employees of the Company as may be so designated by them in writing, are authorized on behalf of the Company to purchase or otherwise acquire by bequest, gift, devise, or other means, and to sell, convey, exchange, option or otherwise dispose of real and personal property of every class and description and any estate or interest therein, as may be necessary or convenient for the proper conduct of the affairs of the Company without limitation as to amount or value, in any and all states. subject to the laws of any such state; provided, however, that the Chairman of the Board, or the Chief Executive Officer, or the President or any Vice President, and the Secretary or any Assistant Secretary of Idaho Power Company, or such other employees of the Company as may be so designated by them in writing, are authorized on behalf of the Company to acquire from others or to grant to others easements, permits and licenses as may be necessary or convenient for the proper conduct of the affairs of the Company without limitation as to the extent or cost, in any and all states, subject to the laws of any such state; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Chairman of the Board, or the Chief Executive Officer, or the President or any Vice President, and the Secretary or any Assistant Secretary of Idaho Power Company, or such other employees of the Company as may be so designated by them in writing, are authorized on behalf of the Company to lease real and personal property of the Company to or from others, as may be necessary or convenient for the proper conduct of the affairs of the Company without limitation as to the extent or cost, in any and all states, subject to the laws of any such state; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Chairman of the Board, or the Chief Executive Officer, or the President or any Vice President, and the Secretary or any Assistant Secretary of Idaho Power Company, or such other employees of the Company as may be so designated by them in writing, are hereby authorized on behalf of the Company to file for all permits, licenses or other authorizations with state, federal or other entities owning or controlling lands as may be necessary or convenient for the proper conduct of the affairs of the Company without limitation with respect to the construction of power lines, structures, buildings or other facilities.

# Exhibit E

## IDAHO POWER COMPANY BALANCE SHEET As of March 31,2005 ASSETS

Electric Plant :	<u>Actual</u>
In service (at original cost)	\$ 3,400,764,014 (1,334,095,557)
In service - Net	2,066,668,457
Construction work in progress	109,080,236
Held for future use	2,610,977
Electric plant - Net	2,178,359,670
Investments and Other Property:	
Nonutility property	828,002
Investment in subsidiary companies	38,562,580
Auction rate securities	
Other	27,800,003
Total investments and other property	67,190,585
Current Assets:	
Cash and cash equivalents	55,736,713
Receivables:	
Customer	47,094,353
Allowance for uncollectible accounts	(885,882)
Notes	3,151,060
Employee notes	3,252,632
Related party	405,141
Other	1,798,778
Accrued unbilled revenues	24,907,720
Materials and supplies (at average cost)	28,467,690
Fuel stock (at average cost)	12,919,366
Prepayments	19,587,628
Regulatory assets	3,395,851
Total current assets	199,831,050
Deferred Debits:	
American Falls and Milner water rights	31,585,000
Company owned life insurance	35,738,411
Regulatory assets associated with income taxes	339,042,220
Regulatory assets - PCA	61,219,892
Regulatory assets - other	37,620,206
Employee notes	3,490,369
Other	40,295,710
Total deferred debits	548,991,808
Total	\$ 2,994,373,113

## IDAHO POWER COMPANY BALANCE SHEET As of March 31,2005

# CAPITALIZATION AND LIABILITIES

	Common Shares Authorized	Common Shares Outstanding	Actual
Faulty Capitals	<del></del>		ACIDAI
Equity Capital:	50,000,000	39,150,812	f 07 077 000
	\$ 97,877,030		
Preferred stock	400 707 CEO		
Premium on capita	483,707,552		
			(2,096,925)
			347,628,616
Accummulated of	ner comprenensive inc	ome	(1,775,516)
Total equity ca	pital		925,340,758
Long-Term Debt:			
			725,000,000
			170,460,000
American Falls bo	and Milner note gua	arantees	31,585,000
Unamortized disco	ount on long-term debt	(Dr)	(3,081,895)
Total long-term	ı debt		923,963,105
Current Liabilities:			
Long-term debt di	ue within one vear		60,000,000
			-
			48,153,462
		arties	20,970,937
		***************************************	61,728,133
			21,453,649
			3,395,851
			23,652,886
Total current li	abilities		239,354,918
Deferred Credits:			
Regulatory liabiliti	es associated with acc	umulated deferred	
= =			67,205,800
Deferred income t	axes		537,272,009
		ome taxes	40,670,990
			169,291,329
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Total deferred	905,714,332		
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Total	\$ 2,994,373,113		

# COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES:

# **Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements**

The federal Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 and similar state statutes establish operational, reclamation and closure standards that must be met during and upon completion of mining activities. These obligations mandate that mine property be restored consistent with specific standards and the approved reclamation plan. The mining operations at the Bridger Coal Company are subject to these reclamation and closure requirements.

IPC has agreed to guarantee the performance of reclamation activities at Bridger Coal Company, of which Idaho Energy Resources Co., a subsidiary of IPC, owns a one-third interest. This guarantee, which is renewed each December, was \$60 million at March 31, 2005. Bridger Coal has a reclamation trust fund set aside specifically for the purpose of paying these reclamation costs and expects that the fund will be sufficient to cover all such costs. Because of the existence of the fund, the estimated fair value of this guarantee is minimal.

In August 2003, IE sold its forward book of electricity trading contracts to Sempra Energy Trading. As part of the sale of the forward book of electricity trading contracts IE entered into an Indemnity Agreement with Sempra Energy Trading, guaranteeing the performance of one of the counterparties through 2009. The maximum amount payable by IE under the Indemnity Agreement is \$20 million. The indemnity agreement has been accounted for in accordance with FIN 45, "Guarantor's Accounting and Disclosure Requirements for Guarantees, Including Indirect Guarantees of Indebtedness of Others," and did not have a significant effect on IDACORP's financial statements.

### Legal Proceedings

From time to time IDACORP and IPC are a party to various legal claims, actions and complaints in addition to those discussed below. IDACORP and IPC believe that they have meritorious defenses to all lawsuits and legal proceedings. Although they will vigorously defend against them, they are unable to predict with certainty whether or not they will ultimately be successful. However, based on the companies' evaluation, they believe that the resolution of these matters will not have a material adverse effect on IDACORP's or IPC's consolidated financial positions, results of operations or cash flows.

Alves Dairy: On May 18, 2004, Herculano and Frances Alves, dairy operators from Twin Falls, Idaho, brought suit against IPC in Idaho State District Court, Fifth Judicial District, Twin Falls County. The plaintiffs seek unspecified monetary damages for negligence and nuisance (allegedly allowing electrical current to flow in the earth, injuring the plaintiffs' right to use and enjoy their property and adversely affecting their dairy herd). On July 16, 2004, IPC filed an answer to Mr. and Mrs. Alves' complaint, denying all liability to the plaintiffs, and asserting certain affirmative defenses. The parties have begun discovery in the case. No trial date has been scheduled. On December 14, 2004, IPC filed a motion with the District Court for permission to appeal the court's denial of IPC's Motion to Disqualify the trial judge, for cause. The District Court granted the motion for permissive appeal. On February 16, 2005, IPC filed a motion for permissive appeal with the Idaho Supreme Court. On March 7, 2005, the Idaho Supreme Court denied IPC's Application to Appeal the District Court's refusal to disqualify the trial judge for cause.

IPC intends to vigorously defend its position in this proceeding and believes this matter, with insurance coverage, will not have a material adverse effect on its consolidated financial position, results of operations or cash flows.

On March 28, 2005, the Stray Current and Voltage Remediation Act was signed into law by the Governor of Idaho. IPC believes the new legislation to be a positive development in a number of respects. Among other things, the act specifies levels of "stray voltage" below which no remedial action must be taken by a utility, and confers exclusive initial jurisdiction upon the Idaho Public Utilities Commission (IPUC) to determine whether a utility has properly investigated and, if necessary, remedied, a dairy producer's complaint of stray voltage. The act provides that any party to such an administrative proceeding at the IPUC may, after exhausting its administrative remedies at the IPUC, file a civil action in any appropriate Idaho court, with the express statutory proviso that the IPUC's determination shall be admissible as evidence in the civil action. The act will not preclude the Alves case from proceeding in the District Court as set forth above, but will require that any future Idaho stray voltage claimants first exhaust their administrative remedies at the IPUC.

Public Utility District No. 1 of Grays Harbor County, Washington: On October 15, 2002, Public Utility District No. 1 of Grays Harbor County, Washington (Grays Harbor) filed a lawsuit in the Superior Court of the State of Washington, for the County of Grays Harbor, against IDACORP, IPC and IE. On March 9, 2001, Grays Harbor entered into a 20 megawatt

(MW) purchase transaction with IPC for the purchase of electric power from October 1, 2001 through March 31, 2002, at a rate of \$249 per megawatt-hour (MWh). In June 2001, with the consent of Grays Harbor, IPC assigned all of its rights and obligations under the contract to IE. In its lawsuit, Grays Harbor alleged that the assignment was void and unenforceable, and sought restitution from IE and IDACORP, or in the alternative, Grays Harbor alleged that the contract should be rescinded or reformed. Grays Harbor sought as damages an amount equal to the difference between \$249 per MWh and the "fair value" of electric power delivered by IE during the period October 1, 2001 through March 31, 2002.

IDACORP, IPC and IE removed this action from the state court to the U.S. District Court for the Western District of Washington at Tacoma. On November 12, 2002, the companies filed a motion to dismiss Grays Harbor's complaint, asserting that the U.S. District Court lacked jurisdiction because the FERC has exclusive jurisdiction over wholesale power transactions and thus the matter is preempted under the Federal Power Act and barred by the filed-rate doctrine. The court ruled in favor of the companies' motion to dismiss and dismissed the case with prejudice on January 28, 2003. On February 25, 2003, Grays Harbor filed a Notice of Appeal, appealing the final judgment of dismissal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit. On August 10, 2004, the Ninth Circuit affirmed the dismissal of Grays Harbor's complaint, finding that Grays Harbor's claims were preempted by federal law and were barred by the filed-rate doctrine. The court also remanded the case to allow Grays Harbor leave to amend its complaint to seek declaratory relief only as to contract formation, and held that Grays Harbor could seek monetary relief, if at all, only from the FERC, and not from the courts. IDACORP, IPC and IE sought rehearing from the Ninth Circuit arguing that the court erred in granting leave to amend the complaint as such a declaratory relief claim would be preempted and would be barred by the filed-rate doctrine. The Ninth Circuit denied the rehearing request on October 25, 2004, and the decision became final on November 12, 2004. On that same date, the companies took steps to have the case transferred and consolidated with other similar cases arising out the California energy crisis currently pending before the Honorable Robert H. Whaley, sitting by designation in the Southern District of California and presiding over Multidistrict Litigation Docket No. 1405, regarding California Wholesale Electricity Antitrust Litigation. On November 18, 2004, Grays Harbor filed an amended complaint alleging that the contract was formed under circumstances of "mistake" as to an "artificial . . . power shortage." Grays Harbor asks that the contract therefore be declared "unenforceable" and found "unconscionable." On December 23, 2004, the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation conditionally transferred the case to Judge Whaley. Grays Harbor sought to vacate the transfer; however, on April 18, 2005, the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation ordered the case transferred. IDACORP, IPC and IE have not responded to the amended complaint as a response is not yet required. The companies plan to file a motion to dismiss the amended complaint. The companies intend to vigorously defend their position on remand and believe this matter will not have a material adverse effect on their consolidated financial positions, results of operations or cash flows.

Port of Seattle: On May 21, 2003, the Port of Seattle, a Washington municipal corporation, filed a lawsuit against 20 energy firms, including IPC and IDACORP, in the U.S. District Court for the Western District of Washington at Seattle. The Port of Seattle's complaint alleges fraud and violations of state and federal antitrust laws and the Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations Act. On December 4, 2003, the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation transferred the case to the Southern District of California for inclusion with several similar multidistrict actions currently pending before the Honorable Robert H. Whaley.

All defendants, including IPC and IDACORP, moved to dismiss the complaint in lieu of answering it. The motions were based on the ground that the complaint seeks to set alternative electrical rates, which are exclusively within the jurisdiction of the FERC and are barred by the filed-rate doctrine. A hearing on the motion to dismiss was heard on March 26, 2004. On May 28, 2004, the court granted IPC's and IDACORP's motion to dismiss. In June 2004, the Port of Seattle appealed the court's decision to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit. The appeal has been fully briefed, however no date has yet been set for oral argument. The companies intend to vigorously defend their position in this proceeding and believe these matters will not have a material adverse effect on their consolidated financial positions, results of operations or cash flows.

Wah Chang: On May 5, 2004, Wah Chang, a division of TDY Industries, Inc., filed two lawsuits in the U.S. District Court for the District of Oregon against numerous defendants. IDACORP, IE and IPC are named as defendants in one of the lawsuits. The complaints allege violations of federal antitrust laws, violations of the Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations Act, violations of Oregon antitrust laws and wrongful interference with contracts. Wah Chang's complaint is based on allegations relating to the western energy situation. These allegations include bid rigging, falsely creating congestion and misrepresenting the source and destination of energy. The plaintiff seeks compensatory damages of \$30 million and treble damages.

On September 8, 2004, this case was transferred and consolidated with other similar cases currently pending before the Honorable Robert H. Whaley, sitting by designation in the Southern District of California and presiding over Multidistrict

Litigation Docket No. 1405, regarding California Wholesale Electricity Antitrust Litigation.

The companies' motion to dismiss the complaint was granted on February 11, 2005. Wah Chang appealed to the Ninth Circuit on March 10, 2005. The Ninth Circuit recently set a briefing schedule on the appeal, requiring Wah Chang's opening brief to be filed by July 6, 2005, with the companies' and other defendants' opposition brief to be filed by August 5, 2005. Wah Chang will have 14 days from the date of service of the companies' opposition brief to file an optional reply brief. The companies intend to vigorously defend their position in this proceeding and believe these matters will not have a material adverse effect on their consolidated financial positions, results of operations or cash flows.

City of Tacoma: On June 7, 2004, the City of Tacoma, Washington filed a lawsuit in the U.S. District Court for the Western District of Washington at Tacoma against numerous defendants including IDACORP, IE and IPC. The City of Tacoma's complaint alleges violations of the Sherman Antitrust Act. The claimed antitrust violations are based on allegations of energy market manipulation, false load scheduling and bid rigging and misrepresentation or withholding of energy supply. The plaintiff seeks compensatory damages of not less than \$175 million.

On September 8, 2004, this case was transferred and consolidated with other similar cases currently pending before the Honorable Robert H. Whaley, sitting by designation in the Southern District of California and presiding over Multidistrict Litigation Docket No. 1405, regarding California Wholesale Electricity Antitrust Litigation. The companies' motion to dismiss the complaint was granted on February 11, 2005. The City of Tacoma appealed to the Ninth Circuit on March 10, 2005. The Ninth Circuit recently set a briefing schedule on the appeal, requiring the City of Tacoma's opening brief to be filed by June 27, 2005, with the companies' and other defendants' opposition brief to be filed by July 26, 2005. The City of Tacoma will have 14 days from the date of service of the companies' opposition brief to file an optional reply brief. The companies intend to vigorously defend their position in this proceeding and believe these matters will not have a material adverse effect on their consolidated financial positions, results of operations or cash flows.

Wholesale Electricity Antitrust Cases I & II: These cross-actions against IE and IPC emerged from multiple California state court proceedings first initiated in late 2000 against various power generators/marketers by various California municipalities and citizens. Suit was filed against entities including Reliant Energy Services, Inc., Reliant Ormond Beach, L.L.C., Reliant Energy Etiwanda, L.L.C., Reliant Energy Ellwood, L.L.C., Reliant Energy Mandalay, L.L.C. and Reliant Energy Coolwater, L.L.C. (collectively, Reliant); and Duke Energy Trading and Marketing, L.L.C., Duke Energy Morro Bay, L.L.C., Duke Energy Moss Landing, L.L.C., Duke Energy South Bay, L.L.C. and Duke Energy Oakland, L.L.C. (collectively, Duke). While varying in some particulars, these cases made a common claim that Reliant, Duke and certain others (not including IE or IPC) colluded to influence the price of electricity in the California wholesale electricity market. The plaintiffs asserted various claims that the defendants violated the California Antitrust Law (the Cartwright Act), Business and Professions Code Section 16720 and California's Unfair Competition Law, Business and Professions Code Section 17200. Among the acts complained of are bid rigging, information exchanges, withholding of power and other wrongful acts. These actions were subsequently consolidated, resulting in the filing of Plaintiffs' Master Complaint in San Diego Superior Court on March 8, 2002.

On April 22, 2002, more than a year after the initial complaints were filed, two of the original defendants, Duke and Reliant, filed separate cross-complaints against IPC and IE, and approximately 30 other cross-defendants. Duke and Reliant's cross-complaints seek indemnity from IPC, IE and the other cross-defendants for an unspecified share of any amounts they must pay in the underlying suits because, they allege, other market participants like IPC and IE engaged in the same conduct at issue in the Plaintiffs' Master Complaint. Duke and Reliant also seek declaratory relief as to the respective liability and conduct of each of the cross-defendants in the actions alleged in the Plaintiffs' Master Complaint. Reliant also asserted a claim against IPC for alleged violations of the California Unfair Competition Law, Business and Professions Code Section 17200. As a buyer of electricity in California, Reliant seeks the same relief from the cross-defendants, including IPC, as that sought by plaintiffs in the Plaintiffs' Master Complaint as to any power Reliant purchased through the California markets.

Some of the newly added defendants (foreign citizens and federal agencies) removed that litigation to federal court. IPC and IE, together with numerous other defendants added by the cross-complaints, have moved to dismiss these claims, and those motions were heard in September 2002, together with motions to remand the case back to state court filed by the original plaintiffs. On December 13, 2002, the U.S. District Court granted Plaintiffs' Motion to Remand to state court, but did not issue a ruling on IPC and IE's motion to dismiss. The U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit granted certain Defendants and Cross-Defendants' Motions to Stay the Remand Order while they appeal the order. The briefing on the appeal was completed in December 2003. On December 8, 2004, the Ninth Circuit issued its opinion in People of California v. NRG Energy, Inc., et al., which affirmed the district court's remand of these cases to state court and dismissed certain federal government defendants

due to their sovereign immunity from suit.

On March 10, 2005, the Ninth Circuit's mandate, remanding People of California v. NRG Energy, Inc. to state court was issued. On March 15, 2005, however, cross-defendant, Powerex Corp., filed a motion to recall mandate until a petition for certiorari seeking review of this case by the U.S. Supreme Court is filed and ruled upon by the Supreme Court. Powerex Corp. has not yet filed a petition for certiorari. On April 6, 2005, the Ninth Circuit denied Powerex Corp.'s motion to recall mandate.

Upon remand, IPC and IE intend to refile their motion to dismiss, which had been filed previously in federal court, as a demurrer in state court. The companies believe these matters will not have a material adverse effect on their consolidated financial positions, results of operations or cash flows.

# Western Energy Proceedings at the FERC:

## California Power Exchange Chargeback:

As a component of IPC's non-utility energy trading in the State of California, IPC, in January 1999, entered into a participation agreement with the California Power Exchange (CalPX), a California non-profit public benefit corporation. The CalPX, at that time, operated a wholesale electricity market in California by acting as a clearinghouse through which electricity was bought and sold. Pursuant to the participation agreement, IPC could sell power to the CalPX under the terms and conditions of the CalPX Tariff. Under the participation agreement, if a participant in the CalPX defaulted on a payment, the other participants were required to pay their allocated share of the default amount to the CalPX. The allocated shares were based upon the level of trading activity, which included both power sales and purchases, of each participant during the preceding three-month period.

On January 18, 2001, the CalPX sent IPC an invoice for \$2 million - a "default share invoice" - as a result of an alleged Southern California Edison payment default of \$215 million for power purchases. IPC made this payment. On January 24, 2001, IPC terminated its participation agreement with the CalPX. On February 8, 2001, the CalPX sent a further invoice for \$5 million, due on February 20, 2001, as a result of alleged payment defaults by Southern California Edison, Pacific Gas and Electric Company and others. However, because the CalPX owed IPC \$11 million for power sold to the CalPX in November and December 2000, IPC did not pay the February 8 invoice. The CalPX later reversed IPC's payment of the January 18, 2001 invoice, but on June 20, 2001 invoiced IPC for an additional \$2 million which the CalPX has not reversed. The CalPX owes IPC \$14 million for power sold in November and December including \$2 million associated with the default share invoice dated June 20, 2001. IPC essentially discontinued energy trading with the CalPX and the California Independent System Operator (Cal ISO) in December 2000.

IPC believes that the default invoices were not proper and that IPC owes no further amounts to the CalPX. IPC has pursued all available remedies in its efforts to collect amounts owed to it by the CalPX. On February 20, 2001, IPC filed a petition with the FERC to intervene in a proceeding that requested the FERC to suspend the use of the CalPX chargeback methodology and provide for further oversight in the CalPX's implementation of its default mitigation procedures.

A preliminary injunction was granted by a federal judge in the U.S. District Court for the Central District of California enjoining the CalPX from declaring any CalPX participant in default under the terms of the CalPX Tariff. On March 9, 2001, the CalPX filed for Chapter 11 protection with the U.S. Bankruptcy Court, Central District of California.

In April 2001, Pacific Gas and Electric Company filed for bankruptcy. The CalPX and the Cal ISO were among the creditors of Pacific Gas and Electric Company. To the extent that Pacific Gas and Electric Company's bankruptcy filing affects the collectibility of the receivables from the CalPX and the Cal ISO, the receivables from these entities are at greater risk.

The FERC issued an order on April 6, 2001 requiring the CalPX to rescind all chargeback actions related to Pacific Gas and Electric Company's and Southern California Edison's liabilities. Shortly after the issuance of that order, the CalPX segregated the CalPX chargeback amounts it had collected in a separate account. The CalPX claimed it was awaiting further orders from the FERC and the bankruptcy court before distributing the funds that it collected under its chargeback tariff mechanism. On October 7, 2004, the FERC issued an order determining that it would not require the disbursement of chargeback funds until the completion of the California refund proceedings. On November 8, 2004, IE, along with a number of other parties, sought rehearing of that order. On March 15, 2005, the FERC issued an order on rehearing confirming that the CalPX is to continue to hold the chargeback funds, but solely to offset seller-specific shortfalls in the seller's CalPX account at the conclusion of the California refund proceeding. Balances are to be returned to the respective sellers at the conclusion of a seller's participation in

the refund proceeding.

#### California Refund:

In April 2001, the FERC issued an order stating that it was establishing price mitigation for sales in the California wholesale electricity market. Subsequently, in a June 19, 2001 order, the FERC expanded that price mitigation plan to the entire western United States electrically interconnected system. That plan included the potential for orders directing electricity sellers into California since October 2, 2000 to refund portions of their spot market sales prices if the FERC determined that those prices were not just and reasonable, and therefore not in compliance with the Federal Power Act. The June 19 order also required all buyers and sellers in the Cal ISO market during the subject time frame to participate in settlement discussions to explore the potential for resolution of these issues without further FERC action. The settlement discussions failed to bring resolution of the refund issue and as a result, the FERC's Chief Administrative Law Judge submitted a Report and Recommendation to the FERC recommending that the FERC adopt the methodology set forth in the report and set for evidentiary hearing an analysis of the Cal ISO's and the CalPX's spot markets to determine what refunds may be due upon application of that methodology.

On July 25, 2001, the FERC issued an order establishing evidentiary hearing procedures related to the scope and methodology for calculating refunds related to transactions in the spot markets operated by the Cal ISO and the CalPX during the period October 2, 2000 through June 20, 2001 (Refund Period).

The Administrative Law Judge issued a Certification of Proposed Findings on California Refund Liability on December 12, 2002.

The FERC issued its Order on Proposed Findings on Refund Liability on March 26, 2003. In large part, the FERC affirmed the recommendations of its Administrative Law Judge. However, the FERC changed a component of the formula the Administrative Law Judge was to apply when it adopted findings of its staff that published California spot market prices for gas did not reliably reflect the prices a gas market, that had not been manipulated, would have produced, despite the fact that many gas buyers paid those amounts. The findings of the Administrative Law Judge, as adjusted by the FERC's March 26, 2003 order, are expected to increase the offsets to amounts still owed by the Cal ISO and the CalPX to the companies. Calculations remain uncertain because the FERC has required the Cal ISO to correct a number of defects in its calculations and because the FERC has stated that if refunds will prevent a seller from recovering its California portfolio costs during the Refund Period, it will provide an opportunity for a cost showing by such a respondent. As a result, IE is unsure of the impact this ruling will have on the refunds due from California. However, as to potential refunds, if any, IE believes its exposure is likely to be offset by amounts due from California entities.

IE, along with a number of other parties, filed an application with the FERC on April 25, 2003 seeking rehearing of the March 26, 2003 order. On October 16, 2003, the FERC issued two orders denying rehearing of most contentions that had been advanced and directing the Cal ISO to prepare its compliance filing calculating revised Mitigated Market Clearing Prices and refund amounts within five months. The Cal ISO has since, on a number of occasions, requested additional time to complete its compliance filings. This Cal ISO compliance filing has been delayed until at least August 2005. The Cal ISO is required to update the FERC on its progress monthly. After receipt of the compliance filing, the FERC will consider cost-based filings from sellers to reduce their refund exposure.

On December 2, 2003, IE petitioned the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit for review of the FERC's orders, and since that time, dozens of other petitions for review have been filed. The Ninth Circuit consolidated IE's and the other parties' petitions with the petitions for review arising from earlier FERC orders in this proceeding, bringing the total number of consolidated petitions to more than 100. The Ninth Circuit held the appeals in abeyance pending the disposition of the market manipulation claims discussed below and the development of a comprehensive plan to brief this complicated case. Certain parties also sought further rehearing and clarification before the FERC. On September 21, 2004, the Ninth Circuit convened case management proceedings, a procedure reserved to help organize complex cases. On October 22, 2004, the Ninth Circuit severed a subset of the stayed appeals in order that briefing could commence regarding limited issues of: (1) which parties are subject to the FERC's refund jurisdiction under section 201(f) of the Federal Power Act; (2) the temporal scope of refunds under section 206 of the Federal Power Act; and (3) which categories of transactions are subject to refunds. Oral argument was held on April 12-13, 2005.

On May 12, 2004, the FERC issued an order clarifying portions of its earlier refund orders and, among other things, denying a proposal made by Duke Energy North America and Duke Energy Trading and Marketing (and supported by IE) to lodge as

evidence a contested settlement in a separate complaint proceeding, California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) v. El Paso, et al. The CPUC's complaint alleged that the El Paso companies manipulated California energy markets by withholding pipeline transportation capacity into California in order to drive up natural gas prices immediately before and during the California energy crisis in 2000-2001. The settlement will result in the payment by El Paso of some \$1.69 billion. Duke claimed that the relief afforded by the settlement was duplicative of the remedies imposed by the FERC in its March 26, 2003 order changing the gas cost component of its refund calculation methodology. IE, along with other parties, has sought rehearing of the May 12, 2004 order. On November 23, 2004, the FERC denied rehearing and within the statutory time allowed for petitions, a number of parties, including IE, filed petitions for review of the FERC's order with the Ninth Circuit. These petitions have since been consolidated with the larger number of review petitions in connection with the California refund proceeding.

In June 2001, IPC transferred its non-utility wholesale electricity marketing operations to IE. Effective with this transfer, the outstanding receivables and payables with the CalPX and the Cal ISO were assigned from IPC to IE. At March 31, 2005, with respect to the CalPX chargeback and the California refund proceedings discussed above, the CalPX and the Cal ISO owed \$14 million and \$30 million, respectively, for energy sales made to them by IPC in November and December 2000. IE has accrued a reserve of \$42 million against these receivables. This reserve was calculated taking into account the uncertainty of collection given the California energy situation. Based on the reserve recorded as of March 31, 2005, IDACORP believes that the future collectibility of these receivables or any potential refunds ordered by the FERC would not have a material adverse effect on its consolidated financial position, results of operations or cash flows.

On March 20, 2002, the California Attorney General filed a complaint with the FERC against various sellers in the wholesale power market, including IE and IPC, alleging that the FERC's market-based rate requirements violate the Federal Power Act, and, even if the market-based rate requirements are valid, that the quarterly transaction reports filed by sellers do not contain the transaction-specific information mandated by the Federal Power Act and the FERC. The complaint stated that refunds for amounts charged between market-based rates and cost-based rates should be ordered. The FERC denied the challenge to market-based rates and refused to order refunds, but did require sellers, including IE and IPC, to refile their quarterly reports to include transaction-specific data. The Attorney General appealed the FERC's decision to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit. The Attorney General contends that the failure of all market-based rate authority sellers of power to have rates on file with the FERC in advance of sales is impermissible. The Ninth Circuit issued its decision on September 9, 2004, concluding that market-based tariffs are permissible under the Federal Power Act, but remanded the matter to the FERC to consider whether the FERC should exercise remedial power (including some form of refunds) when a market participant failed to submit reports that the FERC relies on to confirm the justness and reasonableness of rates charged. Certain parties to the litigation have sought rehearing. The companies cannot predict whether rehearing will be granted or what action the FERC might take if the matter is remanded.

## Market Manipulation:

In a November 20, 2002 order, the FERC permitted discovery and the submission of evidence respecting market manipulation by various sellers during the western power crises of 2000 and 2001.

On March 3, 2003, the California Parties (certain investor owned utilities, the California Attorney General, the California Electricity Oversight Board and the CPUC) filed voluminous documentation asserting that a number of wholesale power suppliers, including IE and IPC, had engaged in a variety of forms of conduct that the California Parties contended were impermissible. Although the contentions of the California Parties were contained in more than 11 compact discs of data and testimony, approximately 12,000 pages, IE and IPC were mentioned in limited contexts with the overwhelming majority of the claims of the California Parties relating to the conduct of other parties.

The California Parties urged the FERC to apply the precepts of its earlier decision, to replace actual prices charged in every hour starting May 1, 2000 through the beginning of the existing Refund Period with a Mitigated Market Clearing Price, seeking approximately \$8 billion in refunds to the Cal ISO and the CalPX. On March 20, 2003, numerous parties, including IE and IPC, submitted briefs and responsive testimony.

In its March 26, 2003 order, discussed above in "California Refund," the FERC declined to generically apply its refund determinations to sales by all market participants, although it stated that it reserved the right to provide remedies for the market against parties shown to have engaged in proscribed conduct.

On June 25, 2003, the FERC ordered over 50 entities that participated in the western wholesale power markets between

January 1, 2000 and June 20, 2001, including IPC, to show cause why certain trading practices did not constitute gaming or anomalous market behavior in violation of the Cal ISO and the CalPX Tariffs. The Cal ISO was ordered to provide data on each entity's trading practices within 21 days of the order, and each entity was to respond explaining their trading practices within 45 days of receipt of the Cal ISO data. IPC submitted its responses to the show cause orders on September 2 and 4. 2003. On October 16, 2003, IPC reached agreement with the FERC Staff on the two orders commonly referred to as the "gaming" and "partnership" show cause orders. Regarding the gaming order, the FERC Staff determined it had no basis to proceed with allegations of false imports and paper trading and IPC agreed to pay \$83,373 to settle allegations of circular scheduling. IPC believed that it had defenses to the circular scheduling allegation but determined that the cost of settlement was less than the cost of litigation. In the settlement, IPC did not admit any wrongdoing or violation of any law. With respect to the "partnership" order, the FERC Staff submitted a motion to the FERC to dismiss the proceeding because materials submitted by IPC demonstrated that IPC did not use its "parking" and "lending" arrangement with Public Service Company of New Mexico to engage in "garning" or anomalous market behavior ("partnership"). The "garning" settlement was approved by the FERC on March 3, 2004. Eight parties have requested reheating of the FERC's March 3, 2004 order, but the FERC has not yet acted on those requests. The motion to dismiss the "partnership" proceeding was approved by the FERC in an order issued on January 23, 2004 and rehearing of that order was not sought within the time allowed by statute. Some of the California Parties and other parties have petitioned the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit and the District of Columbia Circuit for review of the FERC's orders initiating the show cause proceedings. Some of the parties contend that the scope of the proceedings initiated by the FERC was too narrow. Other parties contend that the orders initiating the show cause proceedings were impermissible. Under the rules for multidistrict litigation, a lottery was held and although these cases were to be considered in the District of Columbia Circuit by order of February 10, 2005, the District of Columbia Circuit transferred the proceedings to the Ninth Circuit. The FERC had moved the District of Columbia Circuit to dismiss these petitions on the grounds of prematurity and lack of ripeness and finality. The transfer order was issued before a ruling from the District of Columbia Circuit and the motions, if renewed, will be considered by the Ninth Circuit. IPC is not able to predict the outcome of the judicial determination of these issues.

On June 25, 2003, the FERC also issued an order instituting an investigation of anomalous bidding behavior and practices in the western wholesale power markets. In this investigation, the FERC was to review evidence of alleged economic withholding of generation. The FERC determined that all bids into the CalPX and the Cal ISO markets for more than \$250 per MWh for the time period May 1, 2000 through October 1, 2000 would be considered prima facie evidence of economic withholding. The FERC Staff issued data requests in this investigation to over 60 market participants including IPC. IPC responded to the FERC's data requests. In a letter dated May 12, 2004, the FERC's Office of Market Oversight and Investigations advised that it was terminating the investigation as to IPC. In March 2005, the California Attorney General, the CPUC, California Electricity Oversight Board and Pacific Gas and Electric Company sought judicial review in the Ninth Circuit of the FERC's termination of this investigation as to IPC and approximately 30 other market participants. IPC has moved to intervene in these proceedings. On April 25, 2005, Pacific Gas and Electric Company sought review in the Ninth Circuit of another FERC order in the same docketed proceeding confirming the agency's earlier decision not to allow the participation of the California Parties in what the FERC characterized as its non-public investigative proceeding.

## Pacific Northwest Refund:

On July 25, 2001, the FERC issued an order establishing another proceeding to explore whether there may have been unjust and unreasonable charges for spot market sales in the Pacific Northwest during the period December 25, 2000 through June 20, 2001. The FERC Administrative Law Judge submitted recommendations and findings to the FERC on September 24, 2001. The Administrative Law Judge found that prices should be governed by the Mobile-Sierra standard of the public interest rather than the just and reasonable standard, that the Pacific Northwest spot markets were competitive and that no refunds should be allowed. Procedurally, the Administrative Law Judge's decision is a recommendation to the commissioners of the FERC. Multiple parties submitted comments to the FERC with respect to the Administrative Law Judge's recommendations. The Administrative Law Judge's recommended findings had been pending before the FERC, when at the request of the City of Tacoma and the Port of Seattle on December 19, 2002, the FERC reopened the proceedings to allow the submission of additional evidence related to alleged manipulation of the power market by Enron and others. As was the case in the California refund proceeding, at the conclusion of the discovery period, parties alleging market manipulation were to submit their claims to the FERC and responses were due on March 20, 2003. Grays Harbor, whose civil litigation claims were dismissed, as noted above, intervened in this FERC proceeding, asserting on March 3, 2003 that its six-month forward contract, for which performance had been completed, should be treated as a spot market contract for purposes of the FERC's consideration of refunds and is requesting refunds from IPC of \$5 million. Grays Harbor did not suggest that there was any misconduct by IPC or IE. The companies submitted responsive testimony defending vigorously against Grays Harbor's refund claims.

In addition, the Port of Seattle, the City of Tacoma and the City of Seattle made filings with the FERC on March 3, 2003 claiming that because some market participants drove prices up throughout the west through acts of manipulation, prices for contracts throughout the Pacific Northwest market should be re-set starting in May 2000 using the same factors the FERC would use for California markets. Although the majority of these claims are generic, they named a number of power market suppliers, including IPC and IE, as having used parking services provided by other parties under FERC-approved tariffs and thus as being candidates for claims of improperly having received congestion revenues from the Cal ISO. On June 25, 2003, after having considered oral argument held earlier in the month, the FERC issued its Order Granting Rehearing, Denying Request to Withdraw Complaint and Terminating Proceeding, in which it terminated the proceeding and denied claims that refunds should be paid. The FERC denied rehearing on November 10, 2003, triggering the right to file for review. The Port of Seattle, the City of Tacoma, the City of Seattle, the California Attorney General, the CPUC and Puget Sound Energy, Inc. filed petitions for review in the Ninth Circuit. These petitions have been consolidated. Grays Harbor did not file a petition for review, although it has sought to intervene in the proceedings initiated by the petitions of others. On July 21, 2004, the City of Seattle submitted to the Ninth Circuit in the Pacific Northwest refund petition for review a motion requesting leave to offer additional evidence before the FERC in order to try to secure another opportunity for reconsideration by the FERC of its earlier rulings. The evidence that the City of Seattle seeks to introduce before the FERC consisted of audio tapes of what purports to be Enron trader conversations containing inflammatory language that have been the subject of coverage in the press. Under Section 313(b) of the Federal Power Act, a court is empowered to direct the introduction of additional evidence if it is material and could not have been introduced during the underlying proceeding. The City of Seattle also requested that the current briefing schedule, which required briefs to be filed by August 5, 2004, be delayed. On September 29, 2004, the Ninth Circuit denied the City of Seattle's motion for leave to adduce evidence, without prejudice to renewing the request for remand in the briefing in the Pacific Northwest refund case. Briefing is currently scheduled to be completed on May 25, 2005. A date for oral argument has not yet been set.

The companies are unable to predict the outcome of these matters.

Shareholder Lawsuits: On May 26, 2004 and June 22, 2004, respectively, two shareholder lawsuits were filed against IDACORP and certain of its directors and officers. The lawsuits, captioned Powell, et al. v. IDACORP, Inc., et al. and Shorthouse, et al. v. IDACORP, Inc., et al., raise largely similar allegations. The lawsuits are putative class actions brought on behalf of purchasers of IDACORP stock between February 1, 2002 and June 4, 2002, and were filed in the U.S. District Court for the District of Idaho. The named defendants in each suit, in addition to IDACORP, are Jon H. Miller, Jan B. Packwood, J. LaMont Keen and Darrel T. Anderson.

The complaints alleged that, during the purported class period, IDACORP and/or certain of its officers and/or directors made materially false and misleading statements or omissions about the company's financial outlook in violation of Sections 10(b) and 20(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and Rule 10b-5, thereby causing investors to purchase IDACORP's common stock at artificially inflated prices. More specifically, the complaints alleged that IDACORP failed to disclose and misrepresented the following material adverse facts which were known to defendants or recklessly disregarded by them: (1) IDACORP failed to appreciate the negative impact that lower volatility and reduced pricing spreads in the western wholesale energy market would have on its marketing subsidiary, IE; (2) IDACORP would be forced to limit its origination activities to shorter-term transactions due to increasing regulatory uncertainty and continued deterioration of creditworthy counterparties; (3) IDACORP failed to discount for the fact that IPC may not recover from the lingering effects of the prior year's regional drought and (4) as a result of the foregoing, defendants lacked a reasonable basis for their positive statements about IDACORP and their earnings projections. The Powell complaint also alleged that the defendants' conduct artificially inflated the price of IDACORP's common stock. The actions seek an unspecified amount of damages, as well as other forms of relief. By order dated August 31, 2004, the court consolidated the Powell and Shorthouse cases for pretrial purposes, and ordered the plaintiffs to file a consolidated complaint within 60 days. On November 1, 2004, IDACORP and the directors and officers named above were served with a purported consolidated complaint captioned Powell, et al., v. IDACORP, Inc., et al., which was filed in the U.S. District Court for the District of Idaho.

The new complaint alleges that during the class period IDACORP and/or certain of its officers and/or directors made materially false and misleading statements or omissions about its business operations, and specifically the IE financial outlook, in violation of Rule 10b-5, thereby causing investors to purchase IDACORP's common stock at artificially inflated prices. The new complaint alleges that IDACORP failed to disclose and misrepresented the following material adverse facts which were known to it or recklessly disregarded by it: (1) IDACORP falsely inflated the value of energy contracts held by IE in order to report higher revenues and profits; (2) IDACORP permitted IPC to inappropriately grant native load priority

for certain energy transactions to IE; (3) IDACORP failed to file 13 ancillary service agreements involving the sale of power for resale in interstate commerce that it was required to file under Section 205 of the Federal Power Act; (4) IDACORP failed to file 1,182 contracts that IPC assigned to IE for the sale of power for resale in interstate commerce that IPC was required to file under Section 203 of the Federal Power Act; (5) IDACORP failed to ensure that IE provided appropriate compensation from IE to IPC for certain affiliated energy transactions; and (6) IDACORP permitted inappropriate sharing of certain energy pricing and transmission information between IPC and IE. These activities allegedly allowed IE to maintain a false perception of continued growth that inflated its earnings. In addition, the new complaint alleges that those earnings press releases, earnings release conference calls, analyst reports and revised earnings guidance releases issued during the class period were false and misleading. The action seeks an unspecified amount of damages, as well as other forms of relief. IDACORP and the other defendants filed a consolidated motion to dismiss on February 9, 2005, and the plaintiffs filed their opposition to the consolidated motion to dismiss on March 28, 2005. IDACORP and the other defendants filed their response to the plaintiffs opposition on April 29, 2005 and oral argument on the motion is scheduled for May 19, 2005.

IDACORP and the other defendants intend to defend themselves vigorously against the allegations. IDACORP cannot, however, predict the outcome of these matters.

Powerex: On August 31, 2004, Powerex Corp., the wholly owned power marketing subsidiary of BC Hydro, a Crown Corporation of the province of British Columbia, Canada, filed a lawsuit against IE and IDACORP in the U.S. District Court for the District of Idaho. Powerex Corp. alleges that IE breached an oral and written contract regarding the assignment of transmission capacity for electric power by IE to Powerex Corp. for a 14 month period and for intentional interference with Powerex Corp.'s alleged contract with IE. Powerex Corp. seeks unspecified general and special damages. On November 29, 2004, the companies filed an answer to Powerex Corp.'s complaint, denying all liability to the plaintiffs, and asserting certain affirmative defenses. The companies intend to vigorously defend their position in this proceeding but cannot predict the outcome of this matter.

## Other Legal Issues

Idaho Power Company Transmission Line Rights-of-Way Across Fort Hall Indian Reservation: IPC has multiple transmission lines that cross the Shoshone-Bannock Tribes' Fort Hall Indian Reservation near the city of Pocatello in southeastern Idaho. IPC has been working since 1996 to renew four of the right-of-way permits (for five of the transmission lines), which have stated permit expiration dates between 1996 and 2003. IPC filed applications with the U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs, to renew the four rights-of-way for 25 years, including payment of the independently appraised value of the rights-of-way to the tribes (and the tribal allottees who own portions of the rights-of-way). Due to the lack of definitive legal guidelines for valuation of the permit renewals, IPC is in the process of negotiating mutually acceptable renewal terms with the tribes and allottees. The parties are pursuing a possible 23-year renewal of the permits (including all pre-renewal periods) for a total payment of approximately \$7 million to the tribes and allottees. IPC, the tribes and the Bureau of Indian Affairs are currently working through the process of finalizing the agreement, including obtaining the requisite consents from the allottees. The parties believe it is likely that the required consents will be obtained during the second quarter of 2005. On December 27, 2004, IPC filed an application with the IPUC seeking an accounting order regarding the capitalization and amortization of the easement grant costs. On February 28, 2005, the IPUC issued an order approving IPC's application.

# Exhibit G

## IDAHO POWER COMPANY STATEMENT OF INCOME For the Twelve Months Ended March 31, 2005

	Actual
Operating Revenues	826,643,356
Operating Expenses:	020,040,000
Purchased power	221,215,782
Fuel.	100,853,655
Power cost adjustment	22,203,129
Other operation and maintenance expense	244,618,928
Depreciation expense	91,550,411
Amortization of limited-term electric plant	9,333,542
Taxes other than income taxes	18,751,890
Income taxes - Federal	11,235,156
Income taxes - Other	5,438,833
Provision for deferred income taxes	32,423,558
Provision for deferred income taxes - Credit	•
Investment tax credit adjustment	(42,741,018) (483,829)
Total operating expenses	714,400,037
Operating Income	112,243,319
Other Income and Deductions:	
Allowance for equity funds used during construction	4,356,816
Income taxes	3,438,692
Other - Net	2,885,892
Net other income and deductions	10,681,400
Income Before Interest Charges	122,924,719
Interest Charges:	
Interest on first mortgage bonds	45,437,642
Interest on other long-term debt	5,719,897
Interest on short-term debt	902,295
Amortization of debt premium, discount and	<b>,</b>
expense - Net	2,373,018
Other interest expense	893,631
Total interest charges	55,326,483
Allowance for borrowed funds used during construction - Credit	2,933,574
Net interest charges	52,392,909
Net Income	\$ 70,531,810

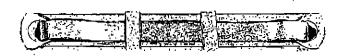
The accompanying Notes to Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement

# Exhibit H

# IDAHO POWER COMPANY STATEMENT OF RETAINED EARNINGS AND UNDISTRIBUTED SUBSIDIARY EARNINGS For the Twelve Months Ended March 31, 2005

# Retained Earnings

Retained earnings (at the beginning of period)		328,678,701
Balance transferred from income		70,531,810
Dividends received from subsidiary		
Total		399,210,511
Dividends:		
Preferred Stock		3,969,716 47,612,179
Total	<del></del>	51,581,895
Retained earnings (at end of period)	\$	347,628,616
Undistributed Subsidiary Earnings		
Balance (at beginning of period)		25,126,289
Equity in earnings for the period		8,419,504
Dividends paid (Debit)		
Balance (at end of period)	\$	33,545,793



# SUMMARY APPRAISAL REPORT Oregon State Highway Division

File No. 7164020

#### 1. LOCATION OF PROPERTY

Northwest quadrant at intersection of

Interstate Highway 84 (Old Oregon Trail Hwy.) & State Hwy. 201 (N. Oregon St.,

Olds Ferry - Ontario Hwy.)

Ontario (Unincorporated), Oregon 97914

Section: OR-201: North Ontario Interchange Bridge #08635

Highway: Olds Ferry - Ontario Highway County: Malheur

Eng. Sta: 1+00 to 22+50 (Hwy. 201)

1159+60 to 1174+50 (Hwy. I-84)

Descrip.: 3/22/2005

Appraiser: Jay J. DeVoe, MAI, SR/WA

#### 2. OWNERSHIP INFORMATION

Legal Owner

Idaho Power Company, an Idaho Corporation

**Contract Purchaser** 

Address Phone

Attn. Facilities or Real Estate Dept., P.O. Box 70, Boise, ID 83707

Gil Green, Real Estate Specialist (208) 388-2795

Tenants None

#### 3. TYPE OF TAKING:

Partial Taking: Yes

Entire Taking:

Area in Fee Taking:

4.78 Acres

Easement Takings: None

Area of Entire Property:

31.20 Acres

Area of Remainder: 26.42 Acres (See Report Sections 10a & 17 for assumptions regarding sizes)

## **ACCESS**

Before-Condition

There are two deeded access reservations to Hwy. 201, a permitted driveway along Hwy. 201,

and frontage along two 25-ft.-wide public rights-of-way that intersect with Hwy. 201.

After-Condition

The north access reservation on the west side of Hwy. 201 remains. The two public rights-ofway are being replaced with a permitted driveway to 471733B-600. The south access reservation to 471733B-500 is changed to a local street access in close highway proximity.

#### 5. LAND USE REGULATIONS

Zoning

C-1 Commercial Zone

Comp Plan Designation

Commercial

Uses Permitted

A wide range of commercial uses and residential uses are conditionally

allowed without commercial association.

Present Use Electrical sub-station.

#### 6. HIGHEST AND BEST USE - Land Only

Before-Condition

471733B-500 & 600: Commercial and/or residential development as individual

lots/properties. Other 26.68 Acres: Limited agricultural use until commercial

development, either large-scale or with subdivision, is warranted.

After-Condition

Unchanged.

#### 7. UTILITIES

Current Facilities

Electricity and telephone are available at the site from public sources. Development of

the property would rely on private water well and septic sewer systems.

Possible Facilities

No other facilities are immediately available (city water and sewer are over ±one-

half mile south on opposite side of I-84),

#### 8. SUMMARY OF VALUATION Date of Valuation – June 21, 2005 Date of Report – July 12, 2005

Acquisition		included Reports by Others	None
Land	\$124,840		
Improvements	\$16,565	7	
Damages	\$21,040		
Special Benefits	None		
TOTAL	\$162,445		
TOTAL ROUNDED:	\$162,500		

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## PARCEL 1 - Fee

A parcel of land lying within the NW¼NW¼ of Section 33, T 17 S, R 47 E, WM and in Lots 3, 5, and 6, Block 4, CORRECTED PLAT OF OREGON AND WESTERN COLONIZATION CO SUBDIVISION SECOND ADDITION, Malheur County, Oregon, being those parcels of land designated as Parcel 1 in Bargain and Sale Deed to Idaho Power Company recorded February 17, 1955 in Volume 99, Page 124, described in that Deed to Idaho Power Company, recorded in Book 71, Page 472, and in that Deed to Idaho Power Company recorded in Book 78, Page 405 of Malheur County Deed Records; the said parcel being that portion of said property included in a strip of land variable in width, lying on the Northeasterly side of the center line of the relocated Old Oregon Trail Highway, which center line is described as follows:

Beginning at Engineer's center line Station 1134+00.15, said station being North 68°00'32" West 3758.34 feet from the north quarter corner of Section 33, Township 17 South, Range 47 East, W.M., Malheur County, Oregon; thence South 45°00'01" East 8941.31 feet to Engineer's center line Station 1223+41.46.

The width in feet of said strip of land is as follows:

Station	to	Station	Width on Northeasterly Side of Center Line
1161+53.00	_	1161+58.00	125.00 in a straight line to 130.00
1161+58.00		1163+70.00	130.00
1163+70.00		1166+42.00	130.00 in a straight line to 162.00
1166+42.00		1167+40.00	162.00 in a straight line to 188.00
1167+40.00		1168+80.00	188.00 in a straight line to 251.00
1168+80.00		1170+11.00	251.00 in a straight line to 328.00
1170+11.00		1172+68.00	328.00 in a straight line to 585.00
1172+68.00		1175+00.00	585,00

This parcel of land contains 3.68 acres (160,440 square feet), more or less.

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### PARCEL 2 - Fee

A parcel of land lying in Government Lot 4, in the SE½SW½ of Section 28, T 17 S, R 47 E, WM., and lying in Lot 1, Block 1, CORRECTED PLAT OF OREGON AND WESTERN COLONIZATION CO SUBDIVISION SECOND ADDITION, Malheur County, Oregon, being those parcels of land designated as Parcel 2 in that Bargain and Sale Deed to Idaho Power Company, recorded February 17, 1955, Volume 99, Page 124, described in that Warranty Deed to Idaho Power Company recorded May 18, 1948, Volume 74, Page 371, and described in that Deed to Idaho Power company recorded in Book 71, Page 474 of Malheur County Deed Records, the said parcel being that portion of said property included in a strip of land variable in width, lying on the Southwesterly side of the center line of the relocated Olds Ferry - Ontario Highway, which center line is described as follows:

Beginning at Engineer's center line Station 1508+75.82 Back equals "H" 1+00.00 Ahead, said station being North 48°27'15" West 1363.49 feet from the North quarter corner of Section 33, Township 17 South, Range 47 East, W.M., Maiheur County, Oregon; thence South 37°23'01" East 494.45 feet; thence on a spiral curve to the right (the chord of which bears South 35° 58'01" East 339.92 feet) 340.00 feet; thence on a 2291.83 foot radius curve right (the long chord of which bears South 12°57'16" East 1581.17 feet) 1614.34 feet; thence on a spiral curve to the right (the chord of which bears South 10°03'30" West 339.92 feet) 340.00 feet; thence South 11°28'29" West 590.19 feet; thence on a spiral curve to the right (the chord of which bears South 13°58'28" West 374.71 feet) 375.00 feet; thence on a 1432.39 foot radius curve right (the long chord of which bears South 21°04'19" West 104.83 feet) 104.85 feet; thence on a spiral curve to the right (the chord of which bears South 28°10'09" West 374.71 feet) 375.00 feet; thence South 30°40'08" West 584.54 feet to Engineer's center line Station "H" 49+18.37.

The width in feet of said strip of land is as follows:

Station	to	Station	Width on Southwesterly Side of Center Line.		
"H" 2+20.00		"H" 8+51.00	80.00 in a straight line to 81.00		
"H" 8+51.00		"H" 12+01.00	81,00 in a straight line to 94.00		
"H" 12+01.00		"H" 14+49.00	94.00 in a straight line to 96.00		

ALSO that portion of said property lying on the Northeasterly side of said center line.

This parcel of land contains 1.07 acres (46,575 square feet), more or less.

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## PARCEL 3 - Fee

A parcel of land lying in Lots 17 and 18, Block 3, CORRECTED PLAT OF OREGON AND WESTERN COLONIZATION CO SUBDIVISION SECOND ADDITION, Malheur County, Oregon, being that parcel of land described in that Deed to Idaho Power Company, recorded in Book 71, Page 191 of Malheur County Deed Records; the said parcel being that portion of said property included in a strip of land variable in width, lying on the Northeasterly side of the center line of the relocated Olds Ferry - Ontario Highway, which center line is described in Parcel 2.

The width in feet of said strip of land is as follows:

Station	to	Station	Width on Northeasterly Side of Center Line	
"H" 11+98.00		"H" 13+46.00	197.00 in a straight line to 134.59	

This parcel of land contains 0.03 acre (1,150 square feet), more or less.

641.25

4,195.71

4,180.11

15.60

# Boise Bench Transmission Station land sale 27069407 This property was purchased in 1966 for \$169.24 Sales price \$196,471.53 Sale closed 12/22/2000

	Gains from disposition of utility plant – retire land Electric plant held for future use– retire land	169.24	169.24				
	Cash – net sale proceeds Gains from disposition of utility plant	195,585.36	195,585.36				
	Gains from disposition of utility plant – selling costs  Cash – Selling costs	1,623.45	1,623.45				
	Boise Bench Transmission Station land sale 27 This property was purchased in 1957 for \$10 Sales price \$136,531.06 Sale closed 12/22/2000						
	Gain on disposition of property – retire land Non-utility property – retire land	160.80	160.80				
	Cash - net sale proceeds Gain on disposition of property – net sale proceeds	135,915.24	135,915.24				
	Gain on disposition of property – selling costs  Cash – selling costs	3,472.05	3,472.05				
Boise Bench Transmission Station land sale 27062670 This property was purchased in 1957 for \$3,609.00 And 1958 for \$4,296.21 Sales price \$248,080.00 Sale closed 01/05/2001							
	Gain on disposition of property – retire land Non-utility property – retire land	7,905.21	7,905.21				
	Cash - net sale proceeds Gain on disposition of property – net sale proceeds	245,389.20	245,389.20				
	Construction work in progress – easement retained Gain on disposition of property – easement retained	641.25	641.25				
101000	Electric plant in service – close easement to plant	641.25	641.05				

107000 Construction work in progress – close easement to plant

421190 Gain on disposition of property - selling costs

921000 Office supplies and expenses – selling costs

131201 Cash - selling costs