BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

UM 2210

In the Matter of

IDAHO POWER COMPANY,

RULING

Application for Waiver of Competitive Bidding Rules.

DISPOSITION: PETITION TO INTERVENE GRANTED FOR LIMITED PURPOSES

On January 12, 2022, the Northwest & Intermountain Power Producers Coalition (NIPPC) filed a petition to intervene in this proceeding. Currently, this proceeding is not a contested case under ORS 183.310(2). Persons need not intervene as a party in order to participate in this proceeding, including attending workshops, submitting written comments, and providing oral comments to the Commission at public comment meetings. Persons may seek to intervene for the limited purpose of being added to the service list and obtaining access to confidential information under the terms of a protective order. For these reasons, I will grant the petition to intervene, even though party status does not confer the general rights and duties to individuals who participate in contested case proceedings.

The petition to intervene filed by NIPPC is granted for the limited purposes described above.

This proceeding is designated as a non-contested matter until such time as the Commission determines the appropriate process for addressing the issues in this docket. In the event that this proceeding is designated as a contested case, NIPPC will be considered a full party to the proceeding, subject to the resolution of any objections. Any objection to full party status for NIPPC will be due within 10 days of any change in the designation of this proceeding to a contested case.

Dated this 25th day of January, 2022, at Salem, Oregon.

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Sarah Spruce Administrative Law Judge