

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
OF OREGON**

UE 248

In the Matter of

IDAHO POWER COMPANY

General Rate Revision Application for  
Authority to include the Langley Power  
Plant Investment in Rate Base.

PREHEARING CONFERENCE  
MEMORANDUM

On April 3, 2012 the Commission held a prehearing conference in this docket. Representatives appeared on behalf of Idaho Power Company, Commission Staff, the Citizens' Utility Board of Oregon (CUB), and the Northwest and Intermountain Power Producers Coalition (NIPPC).

**Petitions to Intervene**

Before the conference, petition to intervene was filed by NIPPC. Idaho Power, CUB and Staff indicated that they had no objection to the petition. Upon review of the petition, I find that NIPPC has sufficient interest in the proceedings to participate and that their participation will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record, or delay the proceedings.<sup>1</sup> The petition to intervene is therefore granted. In addition, CUB filed a notice of intervention on March 13, 2012 in compliance with ORS 774.180.

**Procedural Schedule**

The parties agreed to the following schedule for the remainder of the proceeding, which was adopted:

<b>EVENT</b>	<b>DATE</b>
Petitions to Intervene Due	May 31, 2012
Deadline to File Proposed Budgets for Intervenor Funding	June 29, 2012
Staff and Intervenor Opening Testimony Due	August 29, 2012
Settlement Conference	September 17, 2012

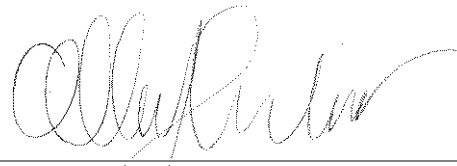
<sup>1</sup> See OAR 860-001-0300.

Idaho Power Rebuttal Testimony Due	October 1, 2012
Commission Examination and First Day of Hearing	October 15, 2012
Hearing continued (if necessary)	October 16, 2012
All Parties' Opening Briefs Due	November 14, 2012
All Parties' Reply Briefs Due	November 29, 2012
Target Date for Commission Decision	January 11, 2013
Company Files Compliance Tariffs	January 17, 2013
End of Tariff Suspension	March 31, 2013

Settlement conference dates are included in the schedule for the parties' convenience. The parties do not need Commission approval to reschedule. The schedule includes a requested date for petitions to intervene. By statute, a person may petition to intervene at any time before the close of the record.<sup>2</sup> But because it is helpful if parties are identified early in the proceedings, the Commission requests that petitions to intervene be filed by the date identified above.

Parties are reminded that attorneys not licensed in Oregon wanting to appear before the Commission in this docket must file an application for admission to appear pro hac vice.<sup>3</sup>

Dated this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April, 2012, at Salem, Oregon.




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Allan J. Arlow  
Administrative Law Judge

Attachment: Notice of Contested Case Rights and Procedures

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<sup>2</sup> See ORS 756.525.

<sup>3</sup> See UTCR 3.170, OAR 860-001-0320.