

ISSUED: April 13, 2009

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

LC 41

In the Matter of

IDAHO POWER COMPANY

Application for Acknowledgement of February
2009 Addendum to its 2006 Integrated Resource
Plan.

RULING

**DISPOSITION: PETITIONS TO INTERVENE GRANTED;
SCHEDULE SUSPENDED; PROCEEDINGS TO BE
HELD IN ABEYANCE UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

Between March 16 and April 3, 2009, Malheur County, Portland General Electric Company, PacifiCorp, Renewable Northwest Project, Move Idaho Power, Halt Idaho Power, and Baker County all timely filed with the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (Commission) Petitions to Intervene (Petitions) in this proceeding.¹ No comments or objections with respect to any of these Petitions were received by the date specified in the Administrative Law Judge's Prehearing Conference Report and Ruling of March 19, 2009.

On April 10, 2009, Idaho Power Company (Idaho Power) filed a letter requesting that the Public Meeting scheduled for April 15, 2009, be cancelled and the remainder of the schedule be temporarily suspended. Idaho Power asserts that, in light of recent developments, it wishes to consider its options in the manner in which it may proceed with this docket. To ensure that no party is prejudiced by the suspension, Idaho Power explicitly waived the six-month suspension period requirement for review by the Commission Staff for a period of time equal to the time these proceedings are held in abeyance. Idaho Power has discussed its request with Commission Staff and has obtained its support for the Idaho Power request.

¹ A Petition to Intervene filed by Jerry Franke on April 2, 2009, was withdrawn on April 5, 2009.

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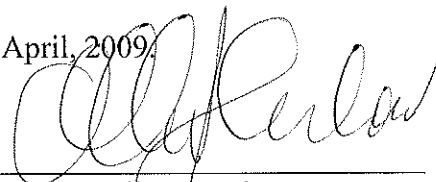
Having reviewed each of the Petitions to Intervene, I find that each petitioner has an interest in the proceeding, can provide information useful to the Commission and that their participation will not unduly burden the record or delay the proceedings. The Petitions to Intervene filed by Malheur County, Portland General Electric Company, PacifiCorp, Renewable Northwest Project, Move Idaho Power, Halt Idaho Power, and Baker County are GRANTED, and they are made parties hereto.

The request of Idaho Power Company is GRANTED.

The April 15, 2009, Public Meeting is CANCELLED.

The current schedule is SUSPENDED, and these proceedings ARE HELD IN ABEYANCE.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 13th day of April, 2009.



Allan J. Arlow
Administrative Law Judge

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