

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
OF OREGON**

UM 1725

In the Matter of

IDAHO POWER COMPANY,

Application to Lower Standard Contract Eligibility Cap and to Reduce the Standard Contract Term, for Approval of Solar Integration Change, and for Change in Resource Sufficiency Determination.

RULING

**DISPOSITION: MOTION GRANTED; SCHEDULE AMENDED**


On November 13, 2015, Obsidian Renewables, LLC, filed a motion to hold this proceeding in abeyance until the Commission rules on its petition for rulemaking, docket AR 593. On November 18, 2015, the Commission issued a ruling shortening the time for the parties' responses and Obsidian's reply.

On November 18, 2015, Idaho Power Company and Commission Staff filed a joint motion requesting the time for responses and reply be changed to conform to OAR 860-001-0420(4). Idaho Power and Staff request expedited consideration as responses are currently due tomorrow, November 20, 2015. Idaho Power and Staff state that the extra time will allow the parties to fully respond to Obsidian's motion prior to filing of post-hearing briefs due on December 10, 2015 and that granting the motion will not prejudice any party or compromise the remainder of the docket schedule. Idaho Power further represents that no party objects to the joint motion.

I find the request is reasonable. The motion is granted. The new dates are as follows:

| <b>EVENT</b>                            | <b>DATE</b>       |
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| Parties' Responses to Motion to Abate   | November 30, 2015 |
| Obsidian's Reply to Responses to Motion | December 7, 2015  |

Dated this 19<sup>th</sup> day of November 2015 at Salem, Oregon.




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Allan J. Arlow  
Administrative Law Judge