## ATLANTA POWER CO. 11140 Chicken Dinner Road Caldwell, Idaho 83607

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January 22, 2008

Idaho Public Utilities Commission O. Box 82720 Boise, Idaho 83720-0074

ATL-E-08-01

## ATTENTION COMMISSION SECRETARY AND HEAD LEGAL SECRETARY

Atlanta Power Company requests that the Commission issue an Order approving issuance of these securities on or before February 15, 2008.

Enclosed with this cover letter is the Company's Application for approval to incur debt of \$110,000.00 through two private loans to the Company by individuals.

Also enclosed is our check to the Commission in the amount of \$102.50 for payment of the filing fees.

Sincerely, Israel Ray

Israel Ray President Israel Ray Atlanta Power Co. Inc. 1140 Chicken Dinner Road Caldwell, Idaho 83607 (208) 459-7007 President RECEIVED

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UTILITIES COMMISSION

#### BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION	)
OF ATLANTA POWER COMPANY FOR	)
<b>AUTHORIZATION TO BORROW FUNDS TO PAY</b>	) CASE NO. ATL-E-08-1
EXTRAORDINARY COSTS INCURRED DUE TO	)
THE FAILURE OF APPLICANTS HYDRO-	)
ELECTRIC TURBINE	)
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#### **APPLICATION**

COMES NOW ATLANTA POWER COMPANY, hereinafter referred to as "Applicant" or "Company" and holder of Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 300 from the Idaho Public Utilities Commission hereby applies to the Commission for authorization to borrow \$110,000.00 to pay extraordinary costs experienced in the year 2007 due to the failure of its hydroelectric turbine.

## **GENERAL**

Applicant is a public utility electric corporation within the meaning of the Idaho Public Utility Law, is duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Idaho and is engaged in conducting a general electric utility service business in and around the Community of Atlanta in Elmore County, Idaho, having its principal office and place of business at 11140 Chicken Dinner Road, Caldwell, Idaho. Currently the Company provides electric service to approximately 84 residential and commercial customers.

#### **COMMUNICATIONS**

Correspondence regarding this Application should be addressed to:

Israel Ray Robert Smith

President Utility Consultant

Atlanta Power Co. 2209 N. Bryson Rd.

11140 Chicken Dinner Road Boise, Idaho 83713

Caldwell, Idaho 83607 (208) 322-2944

(208) 459-7007 e-mail utilitygroup@yahoo.com

#### **BACKGROUND**

In early June of 2007 the Company's hydroelectric turbine at the Kirby Dam on the Middle Fork of the Boise River failed. The Company, in order to provide continued service to customers, arranged for the temporary rental of a diesel generator and then purchased and installed a permanent back-up diesel generator. The diesel generators provided electric service to customers while the hydro turbine was removed and repaired. The turbine has been repaired and returned to service. The Company has incurred extraordinary costs of \$119,922.49 for the repairs to the turbine and the acquisition and operation of the diesel generators while the turbine was out of service. These costs have been paid through temporary loans from the owners and deferred salaries and wages. Attached to this Application as Exhibit No. 1, is a detailed schedule of the extraordinary costs incurred.

The Commission by Order Number 30417 dated August 28, 2007 (Case No. ATL-E-07-01) authorized the Company to defer its extraordinary cost resulting from the turbine failure. The Commission in that order acknowledged that is was aware the Company would be filing an additional application proposing a method to recover those extraordinary costs. Applicant is currently working on a recovery proposal and will file another application in the near future for that purpose.

Attached as Exhibit No. 2 is a copy of a legal notice that will be published in the Idaho Statesman Newspaper. The legal notice is being submitted to the newspaper coincident with the filing of this Application with the Commission. Exhibit No. 3 attached is a copy of the Company's 2006 Income Statement and Balance Sheet.

#### AUTHORIZATION TO INCUR DEBT

Applicant requests the Commissions authorization to incur \$110,000.00 in debt to pay some of the extraordinary costs discussed above. The Owners of the Company have diverted funds from other business activities to pay these extraordinary costs and cannot continue to carry the burden without jeopardizing the viability of their other business activities. The Company has arranged for two loans as follows: 1) a \$100,000.00 loan from Mr. Eric Alberdi for a term of seven (7) years at a rate of 14% per annum; 2) a \$10,000.00 loan from Mr. Alva Greene for a term of one (1) year at a rate of 10.75%. Mr. Greene is a commercial customer of Atlanta Power and the loan repayment will be serviced through credits of \$882.65 per month on the electric bill of this customer. Mr. Alberdi's loan will require monthly payments in the amount of \$1,874.00. The owners of Atlanta Power Company will treat the extraordinary costs in excess of these loan amounts (\$9,922.49) as a temporary loan to the Company at an interest rate of 12% annually. Interest will accrue on the temporary loan until such time as the cash flow of the Company will allow the Company to repay the loan to owners.

Atlanta Power Company requests that the application be considered by the Commission under the rules of Modified Procedure.

Applicant respectfully request expeditious and favorable consideration of this application.

Dated this 22nd day of January 2008.

Respectfully submitted

Atlanta Power Company

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Israel Ray, President

## ATLANTA POWER COMPANY Extraordinary Deferred Costs 2007 Turbine Failure

		Amount	Payable		
Date				Payee	Purpose
	8/31/2007	2,113.64	*	Western States Equipment	Parts & Labor Gen-Set
	8/31/2007	383.83		Western States Equipment	Parts & Labor Gen-Set
	6/25/2007	3,028.00		GNI Waterman	Water Gates
	8/31/2007		501.25	Jones, France et al	CPA Fees
	8/17/2007	301.61		United Muffler & Brake	Muffler & Parts for Gen-Set
	8/28/2007	5,293.38		Western Construction	July Gen Rent
	9/20/2007	7,950.00		Western States Cat	Purch Gen Set
	8/17/2007	625.40		Boise Rigging	Parts for OH Crane
	7/11/2007	2,000.00		Double "C"	Parts & Labor for Gates
	7/20/2007	300.00		Double "C"	Parts & Labor for Gates
	9/20/2007		140.00	Double "C"	Parts & Labor for Gates
	8/15/2007	2,000.00		Double "C"	Turbine, Crane & Gen Set
	9/20/2007		5,017.19	Double "C"	Turbine, Crane & Gen Set
	7/3/2007	350.00		Bob Stern	Labor, Remove Turbine
	7/5/2007	211.89		Gary Mallett	Computer Parts
	6/29/2007	456.83		D&B Supply	Compressor for Bladder Gates
	7/13/2007	1,860.00		Double "C"	OH Crane Steel
	6/29/2007	58.30		North American Recycling	Crane Steel
	7/20/2007	53.00		North American Recycling	Crane Steel
	7/11/2007	2,800.00		Tom's Service Idaho City	Get-Set Fuel
	6/15/2007	3,779.97		Baird Oil	Get-Set Fuel
	6/29/2007	42.10		Pacific Steel	OH Crane Steel
	8/13/2007	73.08		Root Rents	Lift to unload gen-set
	8/13/2007	296.69		Pioneer Diesel	Batteries for Gen_set
	7/16/2007	537.01		Beaver Lodge	Lodging while bldg OH Crane
	8/17/2007	101.71		Harvey's Auto Parts	Gen-set Battery
	8/9/2007	221.60		Baird Oil	Gen-Set Fuel
	8/9/2007	4,128.30		Baird Oil	Gen-Set Fuel
	10/5/2007	357.35		Baird Oil	Gen-Set Fuel
	10/5/2007	3,237.24		Baird Oil	Gen-Set Fuel
	10/3/2007	0,201.21	4 611 00	Western Const	Gen-Set Rent
	10/12/2007	43,000.00	1,0 . 1.00	Yanke Machine	Turbine Repair
	10/12/2007	10,000.00		Yanke Machine	Turbine Repair
	10/12/2007	301.15		Home Depot	cement Gen-Set Bldg
	10/12/2007	47.54		Home Depot	cement Gen-Set Bldg
	10/12/2007	71.38		Idaho Concrete	cement Gen-Set Bldg
	8/25/2007	850.00		John Inama	Labor & Equip - Pull Turbine
	10/12/2007	600.00		Raymond Robison	Labor & Equip - Replace Turbin
	8/20/2007	500.50	<b>450 00</b>	Hydraulic Turbine Consultants	
	10/12/2007			Ray Bros Seed	Transport & Install Turbine
Го 11/30		4,500.00		Robert Smith, Consultant	Prepare Financial data & Appl.
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TOTAL F	DEFERRED	\$101,931.00	\$ 12,995.23	\$ 114,926.23	

Total Extraordinary Costs	\$ 119,922.49
Interest owed Ray Bros Seed to 12/31	3,808.26
Interest owed Israel Ray - Deferred Wages	1,188.00
TOTAL DEFERRED \$101,931.00 \$ 12,995.23	\$ 114,926.23

### LEGAL NOTICE

Atlanta Power Company filed an Application with the Idaho Public Utilities Commission (PUC) on January 22, 2008 for authorization to incur Debt. During 2007, the Company's hydroelectric turbine failed. Short term extraordinary expenses incurred to maintain service to the community of Atlanta, Idaho while the turbine was out of service together with repair costs to the turbine totaled approximately \$120,000. Interim short term advances from the Company's owners paid these extraordinary costs. The Company has applied to the PUC for authorization to borrow \$110,000 from two individuals to repay most of the short term advances.

A copy of the Application is available for inspection at the Idaho Public Utilities Commission, 472 W. Washington St., Boise, Idaho and is also available on-line at the PUC website <a href="www.puc.idaho.gov">www.puc.idaho.gov</a>. A copy may be reviewed in Atlanta by calling (208) 864-2137 to make arrangements.

Comments regarding this application should be mailed to the Company and to the PUC at P. O. Box 83720, Boise, Idaho 83720-0074. Comments can also be submitted on the PUC website.

## ANNUAL REPORT FOR SMALL ELECTRIC UTILITIES YEAR ENDED December 31, 2006

## **BALANCE SHEET**

		Balance Beginning of Year	Balance at End of Year	Increase or (Decrease)
ASSETS	<b>3</b>			
100	Utility Plant	369,239	404,378	35,139
107	Construction Work in Progress			<del></del>
114	Acquisition Adjustment			-
	Subtotal	369,239	404,378	35,139
108	Less: Accumulated Depreciation	(240,530)	(254,970)	(14,440)
	Net Utility Plant	128,709	149,408	20,699
123	Investment in Subsidiaries			**
124	Other Investments			_
	Total Investments			-
131	Cash	22,889	18,841	(4,047)
136	Short-Term Investments			<u></u>
142	Accts./Notes Receivable - Customers	6,012	5,520	(492)
143	Other Receivables			-
144	Less: Provision for Doubtful Accts.			-
146	Receivables from Assoc. Companies	-		-
150	Materials and Supplies	7,000	7,000	<del></del>
166	Prepaid Expenses		******	<u></u>
173	Unbilled Utility Revenue			**
	Total Current Assets	35,900	31,361	(4,539)
181	Unamortized Debt Discount & Expense			
183	Prelim. Survey & Investigation Chgs.			-
184	Rate Case Expenses			-
186	Other Deferred Charges			
	Total Deferred Charges			***
	TOTAL ASSETS	164,609	180,770	16,160

180,789

## ANNUAL REPORT FOR SMALL ELECTRIC UTILITIES YEAR ENDED December 31, 2006

## **BALANCE SHEET**

·		Balance Beginning of Year	Balance at End of Year	Increase or (Decrease)
LIABILI	TIES AND CAPITAL			
201	Common Stock	144,171_	144,171	
204	Preferred Stock	42		-
211	Paid in Capital	22,323	22,323	0
216	Retained Earnings	(94,389)	(91,704)	2,686
	Total	72,105	74,791	2,686
221	Long-Term Debt		parameters and the second seco	
231	Notes Payable to Banks		*****	
231.1	Notes Payable to Others	86,787	86,787	
232	Accounts Payable - Trade	5,717	5,535	(182)
232.1	Accounts Payable - Others		4-4-4	
235	Customer Deposits			
235.1	Revenue Billed in Advance			
236	Accrued Federal Income Taxes			-
236.1	Accrued Income Taxes - Other			<del></del>
237	Accrued Interest			
238	Dividends Accrued			
241	Other Taxes Accrued/Withheld			<del> </del>
242	Other Current Liabilities			****
252	Advances for Construction			
255	Investment Tax Credit			
262	Reserves for Contingencies			
265	Other Liabilities & Reserves			
271	Cont. in Aid of Construction		13,656 *	
	Total	92,504	105,978	(182)
	TOTAL LIABILITIES & CAPITAL	164,609	180,770	2,505

<sup>\*</sup> Contributions of \$14,126.70 Net of Amortization \$470.89

# ANNUAL REPORT FOR SMALL ELECTRIC UTILITIES YEAR ENDED December 31, 2005

## STATEMENT OF INCOME

	Current Year	Increase (Decrease) Prior Year	Last Yr
Operating Revenues	67,937	(8,009)	75,946
perating Revenue Deductions:			
Operating Expense	42,270	6,911	35,359
Depreciation	13,969	1,853	12,118
Other Taxes		(90)	90
Federal Taxes on Income			
Total Revenue Deductions	56,239	8,675	47,564
Net Operating Revenues	11,698	(16,684)	28,382
Income from Merchandising Jobbing & Contract		e egestheistersterster en sterke en	
Income from Non-Utility Operations			
Gross Income	11,698	(16,684)	28,382
Interest on Long-Term Debt	9,012	(168)	9,180
Other Interest Charges			***************************************
Net Income	2,686	(16,516)	19,202
DETAIL OF OPERATIN	IG REVENUES		
Flat Rate Sales			
Metered Sales Residential		<del></del>	
Metered Sales Commercial		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Other Electricity Sales		<del>, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , </del>	
Sales to Irrigation Customers		emakan kanan kanan da kanan d	
Total Operating Revenue			
* Hook-up or connection fees collected \$	To what	account were they booked?	