## **DECISION MEMORANDUM**

TO: COMMISSIONER KJELLANDER

COMMISSIONER REDFORD COMMISSIONER SMITH COMMISSION SECRETARY

**COMMISSION STAFF** 

FROM: DON HOWELL

**DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL** 

**DATE:** AUGUST 24, 2011

SUBJECT: DOE'S MOTION FOR LIMITED ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE,

CASE NO. IPC-E-11-08

On August 24, 2011, the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) filed a Motion, pursuant to Rule 43 and Idaho Bar Commission Rule (IBCR) 227, for Limited Admission Pro Hac Vice for and on behalf of Arthur Perry Bruder. The Motion was signed and attested to by DOE's local counsel, Mary M. McKnight of Idaho Falls, Idaho.

In the Motion, Mr. Bruder certifies that he is an active member in good standing of the Bar of the State of New York and that he maintains a regular practice of law as an attorney in the Office of the DOE General Counsel in Washington, D.C. Mr. Bruder further declares that he is not a resident of the State of Idaho or licensed to practice law in Idaho. Mr. Bruder states that he has previously been granted limited admission in IPUC Case No. IPC-E-08-10.

Mr. Bruder and Ms. McKnight stated that a copy of the Motion has been served by electronic mail upon other parties in this matter. They further assert that the Idaho DOE operations office is presently arranging to transmit, and shall within the next two weeks, the required \$200 fee to the Idaho State Bar. Both counsels certify that the above information is true to the best of their knowledge.

Ms. McKnight further requests that her attendance from the hearing in the above referenced case be excused.

## STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the Commission grant the Motion conditioned on the State Bar receiving its fee.

## **COMMISSION DECISION**

- 1. Does the Commission wish to grant Limited Admission Pro Hac Vice in the current proceeding to Mr. Bruder conditioned on the BAR receiving the required fee?
  - 2. Does the Commission wish to excuse the attendance of Ms. McKnight?

Don Howell

Deputy Attorney General

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