## **DECISION MEMORANDUM**

- TO: COMMISSIONER ANDERSON COMMISSIONER CHATBURN COMMISSIONER HAMMOND COMMISSION SECRETARY COMMISSION STAFF LEGAL
- FROM: RILEY NEWTON, DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL DAYN HARDIE, DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL
- DATE: JULY 26, 2022

SUBJECT: IN THE MATTER OF IDAHO POWER COMPANY'S APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO ACQUIRE RESOURCES TO BE ONLINE BY 2023 TO SECURE ADEQUATE AND RELIABLE SERVICE TO ITS CUSTOMERS; CASE NO. IPC-E-22-13.

On April 29, 2022, Idaho Power Company ("Company") applied to the Commission for an order granting the Company a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to acquire 120 megawatts of dispatchable energy storage necessary to meet the identified capacity deficiency in 2023.

On May 25, 2022, the Commission issued a Notice of Application and Notice of Intervention Deadline. Order No. 35417. Order No. 35417 directed Staff to confer with the parties regarding the procedural schedule after the Notice of Parties issued.

The Commission granted intervention in this case to the Industrial Customers of Idaho Power, Idaho Hydroelectric Power Producers Trust d/b/a IdaHydro, Micron Technology, Inc., and Idaho Conservation League. Order Nos. 35407, 35413, and 35449.

## STAFF RECOMMENDATION

After conferring with the parties in this case, Staff recommends the Commission issue a Notice of Modified Procedure establishing an August 30, 2022, public comment deadline and a September 13, 2022, Company reply deadline.

## **COMMISSION DECISION**

Does the Commission wish to issue a Notice of Modified Procedure and establish a public comment deadline of August 30, 2022, and Company reply deadline of September 13, 2022?

Riley Newton Deputy Attorney General

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