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Re: Case No. IPC-E-21-17
In the Matter of Idaho Power Company's Application for Authority to
Increase Its Rates for Electric Service to Recover Costs Associated with the
Jim Bridger Power Plant

Dear Ms. Noriyuki:

Attached for electronic filing, pursuant to Order No. 35058, please find Idaho Power's Reply to Joint Motion Response.

If you have any questions about the attached filing, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

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BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

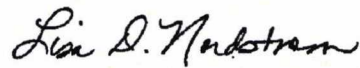
IN THE MATTER OF IDAHO POWER)	
COMPANY'S APPLICATION FOR)	CASE NO. IPC-E-21-17
AUTHORITY TO INCREASE ITS RATES)	
FOR ELECTRIC SERVICE TO RECOVER)	IDAHO POWER'S REPLY TO
COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE JIM)	JOINT MOTION RESPONSE
BRIDGER PLANT)	
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Idaho Power Company (Idaho Power or Company) submits this Reply to the Idaho Conservation League (ICL) and Sierra Club's Response (Response) to the Joint Motion to Suspend Procedural Schedule (Joint Motion) filed by Idaho Power and the Idaho Public Utilities Commission Staff (Movants), both of which were filed on October 1, 2021.

The Movants seek a suspension of the procedural schedule to allow Movants the opportunity to assess this case in light of new developments that may impact operation of the Jim Bridger power plant. In their Response to the Joint Motion, ICL and Sierra Club do not oppose a short delay in the Bridger proceedings, but express concerns over a non-specified delay that lacks certainty, and propose a number of recommendations to address these concerns. To clarify, Idaho Power views the Joint Motion as a request for a short delay, and agrees with ICL and Sierra Club that sufficient information will be known

by year-end with regard to the two items detailed in the Joint Motion – the Wyoming State Implementation Plan and the 2021 Integrated Resource Plan. Because Idaho Power does not expect a need for the requested suspension to extend beyond calendar year 2021, the Response’s recommended actions are unnecessary. The Company commits to filing an update or request to set the procedural schedule once more information is known, but in no event later than December 31, 2021.

DATED at Boise, Idaho, this 7th day of October 2021.



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on the 7th day of October 2021, I served a true and correct copy of Idaho Power's Reply to Joint Motion Response upon the following named parties by the method indicated below, and addressed to the following:

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