

## DECISION MEMORANDUM

**TO:** COMMISSIONER ANDERSON  
COMMISSIONER HAMMOND  
COMMISSIONER LODGE  
COMMISSION SECRETARY  
COMMISSION STAFF  
LEGAL

**FROM:** RILEY NEWTON  
DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL

**DATE:** JANUARY 31, 2023

**SUBJECT:** IN THE MATTER OF IDAHO POWER COMPANY'S APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OR REJECTION OF AN ENERGY SALES AGREEMENT WITH NORTH SIDE ENERGY COMPANY, INC. FOR THE SALE AND PURCHASE OF ELECTRIC ENERGY FROM THE BYPASS HYDRO PROJECT; CASE NO. IPC-E-23-02.

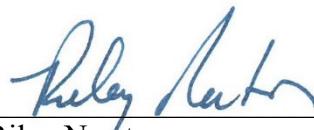
On January 19, 2023, Idaho Power Company ("Company") applied for approval or rejection of an energy sales agreement with North Side Energy Company, Inc. for the energy generated by the Bypass Hydro Project ("Facility"). The Facility has a 9,960 kilowatt nameplate capacity and is a qualifying facility under the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978. The Company requested its Application be processed by Modified Procedure with a Commission determination prior to expiration of the existing contract on May 31, 2023.

### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends the Commission issue a Notice of Application and Notice of Modified Procedure establishing a March 13, 2023, public comment deadline and a March 20, 2023, reply comment deadline.

### COMMISSION DECISION

Does the Commission wish to issue a Notice of Application and Notice of Modified Procedure establishing a March 13, 2023, public comment deadline and a March 20, 2023, reply comment deadline?



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