BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF IDAHO POWER)	CASE NO. IPC-E-24-16
COMPANY'S APPLICATION FOR A)	
CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE)	
AND NECESSITY FOR THE BOISE BENCH)	ORDER NO. 36228
BATTERY STORAGE FACILITY)	
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On May 21, 2024, Clean Energy Opportunities for Idaho ("CEO") filed a late petition ("Petition") to intervene in this case. No party opposed CEO's petition. Having reviewed the Petition and the record, we grant CEO's Petition.

COMMISSION FINDINGS AND DECISIONS

Commission Order No. 36152 set a May 14, 2024, deadline for petitions to intervene. CEO filed its Petition on May 21, 2024. Thus, CEO's Petition is untimely. Untimely petitions to intervene are governed by Commission Rules of Procedure 71-75, which provide that late petitioners must state a substantial reason for delay and good cause for untimely filing. IDAPA 31.01.071-.075.

In its Petition, CEO asserted it was not able to timely respond to Idaho Power's Application due to small staffing and staff-related family health issues. CEO represented that after reviewing the Application CEO decided it would be in its best interest to intervene in this case. CEO represented that its intervention will not prejudice any parties or cause delay.

Based upon our review of the Petition and the record, we find that CEO has shown good cause for the untimely filing, and that it has a direct and substantial interest in this proceeding and will not unduly broaden the issues. We thus find it reasonable to grant CEO's Petition. Pursuant to Rule 73 CEO is bound by all prior orders and notices issued in the case.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that CEO's petition to intervene is granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all parties in this proceeding serve all papers hereafter filed in this matter on all parties of record. For purposes of service, the Intervenor's contact information is:

CEO:

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that parties comply with Order No. 35375, issued April 21, 2022. Generally, all pleadings should be filed with the Commission electronically and will be deemed timely filed when received by the Commission Secretary. *See* Rule 14.02. Service between parties should continue to be accomplished electronically when possible. However, voluminous discovery-related documents may be filed and served on CD-ROM or a USB flash drive.

DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this 18th day of June 2024.

ERIC ANDERSON, PRESIDENT

JOHN R. HAMMOND JR., COMMISSIONER

EDWARD LODGE, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:

Monica Barries Sanchez Commission Secretary

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