

**BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION ) CASE NO. IPC-E-25-03**  
**OF IDAHO POWER COMPANY FOR )**  
**APPROVAL OF THE NORTH VALMY ) NOTICE OF APPLICATION**  
**POWER PLANT NATURAL GAS )**  
**CONVERSION AGREEMENT WITH NV ) NOTICE OF**  
**ENERGY ) INTERVENTION DEADLINE**  
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**ORDER NO. 36476**

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On January 31, 2025, Idaho Power Company (“Company”) filed an application (“Application”) with the Idaho Public Utilities Commission (“Commission”) requesting an order approving a Natural Gas Conversion Agreement (“Agreement”) between the Company and Sierra Pacific Power Company d/b/a NV Energy (“NV Energy”), relating to the North Valmy Power Plant (“Valmy”).

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION**

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Company represents that the conversion of the Valmy units from coal to natural gas operations is necessary for the Company to continue to provide safe and reliable electric service. Application at 1-2.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company represents that the terms necessary for the conversion to natural gas operations at Valmy including the allocation of costs, rights to output from the units, and maintenance and operation of Valmy, are memorialized in the Agreement, filed with the Application. *Id.* at 4.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company requests that the Commission approve the Company’s execution of the Agreement and acknowledge that the conversion of Valmy as the least-cost, least-risk option necessary to continue providing reliable, economic service to customers after 2025. *Id.* at 5. The Company represents that it will make a future rate filing to address the cost recovery associated with the conversion of Valmy to natural gas operations. *Id.*

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Commission’s office. These documents are also available on the Commission’s website at

[www.puc.idaho.gov](http://www.puc.idaho.gov). Click on the “ELECTRIC” icon, select “Open Cases,” and click on the case number as shown on the front of this document.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that all proceedings in this case will be held pursuant to the Commission’s jurisdiction under Title 61 of the Idaho Code, and that all proceedings in this matter will be conducted pursuant to the Commission’s Rules of Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.000 *et seq.*

### NOTICE OF INTERVENTION DEADLINE

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that persons desiring to intervene in this matter to obtain parties’ rights of participation must file a Petition to Intervene with the Commission pursuant to this Commission’s Rules of Procedure 71-73, IDAPA 31.01.01.072-073. **Persons who wish to intervene as a party must file a Petition to Intervene no later than 21 days after the date of service of this Order.** Persons desiring to present their views without parties’ rights of participation do not have to intervene and may present their comments without prior notification to the Commission or the parties.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Commission Secretary shall issue a Notice of Parties after the deadline for intervention has passed. The Notice of Parties shall assign exhibit numbers to each party in this proceeding.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that once the Notice of Parties is issued, Commission Staff (“Staff”) will informally confer with the parties to discuss a schedule to process this case and other issues as may be raised by the parties.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the following persons are designated as the Company’s representatives in this matter:

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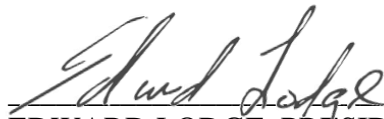
**ORDER**

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that persons desiring to intervene in this case for the purpose of obtaining parties' rights of participation must file a Petition to Intervene with the Commission, under Rules 71-73, IDAPA 31.01.01.071-073, no later than 21 days after the service date of this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, after the Commission Secretary issues a Notice of Parties, Staff will informally confer with the parties to discuss the appropriate scheduling of this case.

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.

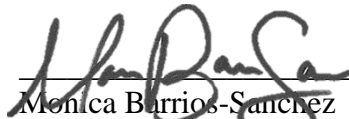
DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this 24<sup>th</sup> day of February 2025.

  
EDWARD LODGE, PRESIDENT

  
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ATTEST:

  
Monica Barrios-Sanchez  
Commission Secretary

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