BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)OF ROCKY MOUNTAIN POWER TO)CLOSE THE NET METERING PROGRAM)TO NEW SERVICE & IMPLEMENT A NET)BILLING PROGRAM TO COMPENSATE)CUSTOMER GENERATORS FOR)EXPORTED GENERATION)

CASE NO. PAC-E-19-08

ORDER NO. 34426

On August 13, 2019, Rocky Mountain Power moved the Idaho Public Utilities Commission (Commission), under Commission Rule of Procedure 43.03¹ and Idaho Bar Commission Rule (IBCR) 227, for an Order approving the limited admission, pro hac vice, of Ajay Kumar in this matter. The Motion was signed and attested to by local counsel Yvonne R. Hogle of Boise, Idaho (Idaho State Bar License No. 8930).

In the Motion, Mr. Kumar certifies that he is an active member in good standing of the Oregon State Bar who maintains the regular practice of law in Oregon. He further declares that he is not an Idaho resident or licensed to practice law in Idaho.

Mr. Kumar and Ms. Hogle certify that a copy of the Motion has been served on all other parties to this case, and that a copy of the Motion, accompanied by a \$325 fee and certificate of good standing, have been submitted to the Idaho State Bar. Ms. Hogle acknowledges that her attendance shall be required at all Commission proceedings in which Mr. Kumar appears, unless specifically excused by the Commission.

COMMISSION FINDINGS

The Commission has reviewed and considered the Motion and applicable rules, including IBCR 227 and Commission Rules of Procedure 19 and 43.03, IDAPA 31.01.01.019 and 043.03. Based on the filings of record and certified representations of Mr. Kumar and Ms. Hogle, we find that reasonable grounds have been demonstrated to justify the granting of limited admission of Mr. Kumar as legal counsel for Rocky Mountain Power. We further find good reason to excuse the appearance of Ms. Hogle in further proceedings in this docket unless needed by Mr. Kumar.

¹ Commission Rule of Procedure 19 also pertains to motions for pro hac vice admission.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The Commission has jurisdiction in this case and over this Motion pursuant to Idaho Code, Title 61, and the Commission's Rules of Procedure, 31.01.01.000 *et seq*.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Motion is granted; Ajay Kumar is hereby granted limited admission as legal counsel for Rocky Mountain Power.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the attendance of Yvonne R. Hogle is excused from all further proceedings in Case No. PAC-E-19-08 unless needed by Ajay Kumar.

DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this $Z7^{HV}$ day of August 2019.

PAUL KJELLANDER, PRESIDENT

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Commission Secretary

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