

**BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

<b>IN THE MATTER OF INTERMOUNTAIN</b>	)	<b>CASE NO. INT-G-25-07</b>
<b>GAS COMPANY’S APPLICATION FOR</b>	)	
<b>AUTHORITY TO REVISE RATE</b>	)	
<b>SCHEDULE EE-GS GENERAL SERVICE</b>	)	<b>NOTICE OF APPLICATION</b>
<b>ENERGY EFFICIENCY REBATE</b>	)	
<b>PROGRAM</b>	)	<b>NOTICE OF SUSPENSION OF</b>
	)	<b>PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE</b>
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	)	<b>NOTICE OF INTERVENTION</b>
	)	<b>DEADLINE</b>
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	)	<b>ORDER NO. 36880</b>

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On November 21, 2025, Intermountain Gas Company (“Company”) applied to the Idaho Public Utilities Commission (“Commission”) requesting authority to revise Rate Schedule EE-GS – General Service Energy Efficiency Rebate Program, effective January 1, 2026 (“Application”).

The Commission now issues this Notice of Application; Notice of Suspension of Proposed Effective Date; and Notice of Intervention Deadline, setting a deadline for interested persons to intervene in the case.

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION**

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Company represents that it launched its Commercial Energy Efficiency Program in April 2021. Application at 3.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company states that participation in the Commercial Energy Efficiency Program has been limited due to factors such as outreach challenges and program design limitations. *Id.* at 3-4.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company represents that it took steps to identify methods to improve its Commercial Energy Efficiency Program offerings, including soliciting feedback from Energy Service Representatives, the Stakeholder Committee, and customers and by commissioning an independent process evaluation. *Id.* at 4.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that according to the Company, it has already taken several of the identified actions aimed at improving the Commercial Energy Efficiency Program,

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including enhanced marketing and outreach, formalized contractor engagement, preparatory steps to expand rebate offerings, and plans to bolster data collection during the rebate application process. *Id.* at 4-6.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company states that its Commercial Energy Efficiency Program is funded by the Energy Efficiency Charge rider on Rate Schedule EEC-GS. *Id.* at 6. Since suspending the EEC-GS charge on October 1, 2024, the Company represents that the over-collected balance of the rider has reduced from \$1,034,285 in December 2024 to \$716,924 as of September 30, 2025. *Id.* The Company states that with the expanded rebate offerings proposed in the Application, its Commercial Energy Efficiency Program has an estimated cost of \$866,100 for the first year and could cause the rider to have an under-collected balance. *Id.* The Company represents that it will monitor the rider balance and seek to implement adjustments as needed to ensure financial balance. *Id.*

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Application and supporting documentation have been filed with the Commission and are 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 "NATURAL GAS" icon, select "Open Cases," and click on the case number as shown on the front of this document.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Commission has jurisdiction over the Company, its filing, and the issues pertaining to this case pursuant to 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 SUSPENSION OF PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE**

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company filed its Application on November 21, 2025, proposing a January 1, 2026, effective date. The Commission finds that the Company's proposed effective date does not provide adequate time for Commission Staff ("Staff") and interested persons, to evaluate the Company's proposal. Pursuant to *Idaho Code* § 61-622, the Commission suspends the proposed changes for thirty (30) days and five (5) months or until the Commission enters an order accepting, rejecting, or modifying the proposed Rate Schedule EE-GS.

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## 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 31.01.01.071-073. **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, 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 the Company's proposed effective date of January 1, 2026, is suspended for thirty (30) days plus five (5) months or until the Commission enters an earlier order accepting, rejecting, or modifying the proposed revisions to Rate Schedule EE-GS – General Service Energy Efficiency Rebate Program.

IT IS FURTHER 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,

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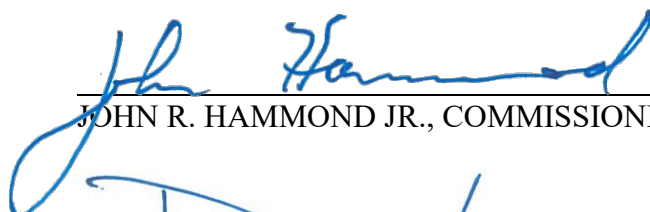
under Rules 71–73, IDAPA 31.01.01.071–073, no later than 21 days after the service date of this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, after the 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 19<sup>th</sup> day of December 2025.

  
EDWARD LODGE, PRESIDENT

  
JOHN R. HAMMOND JR., COMMISSIONER

  
DAYN HARDIE, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:

  
Laura Calderon Robles  
Interim Commission Secretary

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