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NEWS RELEASE: Written comments are being accepted on Idaho Power application to make changes to a flex peak program it offers.

BOISE (Jan. 3, 2024) – The Idaho Public Utilities Commission is accepting written comments until late January on an Idaho Power application to make changes to its Schedule 82 – Flex Peak Program.

This voluntary demand response program offers industrial and large commercial customers an opportunity to reduce their electrical loads for short periods during the summer. The flex peak program reduces generation and transmission requirements to serve customers on days when the utility's system's capacity could be constrained. Industrial and commercial customers that participate are offered incentive payments.

Idaho Power submitted an application to modify certain payment structures, add a waiver provision covering participating customers whose load control device fails, revise the definition of "day of" load adjustment, establish an option to extend the four-hour notification limit for certain customers and add definitions for certain terms along with other minor updates related to the other proposed changes. The utility is asking that its application be effective on April 15, 2024.

The commission is accepting written comments until Jan. 25, 2024. Comments are required to be filed through the commission's website or by e-mail unless computer access is not available. To comment using the commission's website, please visit puc.idaho.gov and click on the "Case Comment Form" link on the upper left side of the page. Please use case number IPC-E-23-24 when filling out the form. Comments submitted using e-mail are required to be sent to the commission secretary and Idaho Power at the addresses listed below. If computer access is not available, comments can be mailed to the commission and Idaho Power at these addresses:

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