

**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON
STAFF REPORT
PUBLIC MEETING DATE: November 9, 2004**

REGULAR **CONSENT** X **EFFECTIVE DATE** November 18, 2004

DATE: October 22, 2004

TO: Lee Sparling through Ed Busch and Jack Breen

FROM: Paul Rossow

SUBJECT: IDAHO POWER COMPANY: (Advice No. 04-07) Makes housekeeping changes to Schedule 19, per OAR 860-027-0300(10), to allow customers with usage greater than one average megawatt to prepay their deferred power supply expense obligation.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends that the Commission allow Idaho Power Company's Advice No. 04-07 to become effective November 18, 2004.

DISCUSSION:

On October 18, 2004, Idaho Power Company (Idaho Power) filed Advice No. 04-07 with the Public Utility Commission of Oregon under ORS 757.205. This filing makes housekeeping revisions to Schedule 19, Large Power Service that implement the provisions of OAR 860-027-0300(10), which allow Idaho Power's customers, with usage greater than one average megawatt at any site, to prepay their deferred power supply expense obligation (reference Order No. 04-202; Docket No. UE 159).

If a customer prepays its expense obligation, the customer is no longer subject to the adjustment rate that is charged to customers that do not prepay their obligation.

Staff has reviewed the filing and finds it acceptable.

PROPOSED COMMISSION MOTION:

Idaho Power's Advice No. 04-07 be allowed into effect on November 18, 2004.