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Subject: Re: OPUC Docket LC 74 -- Notice of Filing

Hello,

First, please note I have removed Kim Toews and ALJ Allwein from the addressees in this e-mail to have a conversation among the parties regarding the PHC and procedural schedule in this docket.

Sorry for not communicating earlier. Staff has been reviewing the Amended IRP Application filed last Friday and conferring about the best way forward in this docket. We propose having an all-party workshop next week or the following week at which Idaho Power can walk Staff and stakeholders through the changes in this revised IRP and allow the opportunity for questions. Following this workshop, Staff will have a better understanding of what process we think is necessary to bring the IRP to the Commission.

At this point, we do not have a sufficient understanding of the scope of the changes to feel comfortable agreeing to a procedural schedule. We suggest cancelling the PHC scheduled for Friday and finding a time for a workshop or alternatively, limiting the procedural schedule determined at this Friday's PHC to an all-party workshop.

We understand the importance to Idaho Power of a quick resolution of this docket and our interest in being more informed prior to establishing a procedural schedule does not mean we do not think we can accomplish what Idaho Power proposes. However, we cannot commit to an abbreviated procedural schedule without a better understanding of the scope of the changes in this revised IRP.

Thanks,

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