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May 30, 2018

Diane Hanian, Secretary
Idaho Public Utilities Commission
P.O. Box 83720
Boise, Idaho 83720-0074

Re: CASE NO. CAP-W-18-01
IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF CAPITOL WATER CORP. TO
CHANGE ITS SCHEDULE NO. 3
PURCHASED POWER COST ADJUSTMENT RATE

Dear Ms Hanian:

Enclosed are an original and seven copies of an application and exhibits for approval of Capitol Water Corporations change in its Schedule No. 3 Purchased Power Cost Adjustment. The change is necessitated by Idaho Power Company's changes in the rates and charges for electric service to Capitol Water Corporation.

Applicant is requesting that the Commission process this application under its rules of modified procedure without hearing.

An electronic version of Applicant's application, exhibits and work papers is also enclosed for the Commission Staff's review.

Sincerely,

Robert Price, President
Capitol Water Corporation

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BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION) CASE NO. CAP-W-18-01
OF CAPITOL WATER CORP. TO)
CHANGE ITS SCHEDULE NO. 3) APPLICATION
PURCHASED POWER ADJUSTMENT RATE)

COMES NOW Capitol Water Corporation (“Capitol”, “Applicant” or “Company”), holder of Certificate of Convenience and Necessity Number 239, and files this Application to change its Schedule No. 3 Purchased Power Cost Adjustment rate to recover the Company’s cost of electricity related to Idaho Power Company’s electric rate schedules that have been approved by the Idaho Public Utilities Commission (“IPUC” or Commission).

Applicant’s current base rates were established by Order No. 30762 in Case No. CAP-W-08-02. In that order the Commission adopted a three (3) year average of 1,454,401 KWh of electricity consumption at an average cost of 5.19¢ to establish rates for Applicant. Together these produce a total cost of electric power for Applicant of \$75,483.41.

Applicant’s actual power costs in the calendar year 2017 were \$92,517. This is a cost of \$17,034 more than embedded in the Company’s base rates. This additional cost requires an adjustment to customer rates of 2.61% as reflected in Exhibit No. 1 attached to this Application. Applicant proposes to recover these additional electric power costs by replacing the Company’s currently approved Schedule No.3 Purchased Power Cost Adjustment of 3.1% with a new Purchased Power Cost Adjustment of 2.61 %.

Initially when the Commission approved the PPCA for Capitol Water Corporation, it adopted a three (3) year average of power consumption, as proposed by the Staff of the Commission (Staff), as more indicative of what to expect in the future. In case (CAP-W-17-01) the Commission

adopted, the most recent twelve months of power costs as a better more efficient method for the Company to recover its' increased electric power costs.

Also enclosed is a one page Exhibit No.2 that is a copy of the Company's current approved Schedule No. 3 in legislative format that shows the proposed change to the Purchased Power Cost Adjustment.

A new Schedule No. 3, with the proposed power cost adjustment rate, is enclosed for the Commission's approval with an effective date of July 15, 2018.

Applicant has provided a work sheet showing the detail of the Company's electric power bills used to develop the proposed power cost adjustment to the Commission's Staff for its review.

Applicant requests that the Commission process this Application under its rules of modified procedure and approve the rates effective August 1, 2018

Capitol Water Corporation will inform its customers of this application through a customer notice that will be included with customer bills to be mailed June 1, 2018 and by a news release that is being sent to the Idaho Statesman and the Idaho Business Review newspapers coincident with this filing. Copies of the customer notice and news release are enclosed as Exhibit Nos. 3 and 4 respectively.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Questions regarding this Application should be addressed to:

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Please provide copies of all correspondence, notices and orders to the above individual.

Respectfully submitted,



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Capitol Water Corporation
 Calculation of Purchased Power Cost Adjustment
 Based Upon Energy Consumption in the Year 2017

1 Base Revenue	\$651,738	Per Order #30762 in CAP-W-08-02
2 Actual Power Cost from 2017	\$92,517	From Power Bills Workpaper
3 Power Cost Embeded in Base Revenue	<u>\$75,483</u>	Calculated Per Order #30762 (CAP-W-08_02)
4 Incremental Cost	\$17,034	Line 2 less Line3
5 PPCA Required	2.61%	Line 4 / Line 1
6 Current PPCA	3.10%	From Current Tarriff
7 Incremental Decrease in PPCA	-0.49%	
8 Incremental Revenue Produced by New PPCA	\$17,034	Line 1 X Line 5
9 Incremental Revenue Produced by current PPCA	<u>\$20,204</u>	Line 1 *Line 6
10 Increase or (decrease)From Current Charges	<u>\$(3,170)</u>	Line 8 less Line 9

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**SCHEDULE NO. 3
 OTHER RECURRING AND NON-RECURRING CHARGES**

RECURRING CHARGES

Applicable: To all customer bills

Purchased Power Cost Adjustment: (PPCA)

15-Jul-18 2.61%

Beginning ~~August 15, 2017~~ ^{15-Jul-18} all customer bills will be increased by ~~3.1%~~ ^{2.61%}. The purpose of the PPCA is to allow the company to adjust its rates when its power supply costs increase or decrease. The PPCA is expressed as a percentage, which only applies to the monthly charges for service as listed in schedule Nos.1,2 and 4. It does not apply to the total bill amount, which includes other charges such as the DEQ fee and the City of Boise franchise fee shown below.

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City of Boise Franchise Fee:

All customer bills will be increased by 3% for payment of Franchise Fees assessed by the City of Boise.

Department of Environmental Quality Fee:

All customer bills will be increased by \$0.34 to collect the assessment required by the Idaho Department of Environmental Quality.

NON-RECURRING CHARGES

Applicable: To all customer bills

Reconnection Charges: A reconnection charge will be assessed to any customer who has been voluntarily or involuntarily disconnected in compliance with the Idaho Public Utilities Commission's Utility Customer Relations Rules (UCRR). Charges do not apply to customers who have been involuntarily disconnected for the convenience of the Company.

Reconnection Charge \$20.00

The following "Customer Requested Service Calls" charges also apply.

Customer Requested Service Calls: During Normal Business Hours \$0.00
 Other Than Normal Business Hours \$20.00

Service call charges will be waived if the service call resulted in repair to Company's equipment through no fault of the customer.

Normal Business Hours are 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Monday through Friday excluding Legal Holidays recognized by Idaho State Government Offices

Returned Check Charge: In the event a customers check is returned by the Company's bank for any reason, the Company will charge the customer's account a reprocessing fee of \$15.00

Meter Testing Fee: Not Currently in Use.

Issued _____ May 30, 2018 _____ July 15, 2018
~~August 15, 2017~~ Effective ~~August 15, 2017~~

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By _____ Title President

NOTICE TO OUR CUSTOMERS

Capitol Water Corporation filed an application on May 30th with the Idaho Public Utilities Commission to decrease its Purchased Power Cost Adjustment from 3.1% to 2.61%, a decrease of 0.49 percentage points. The unmetered residential customer will, if approved by the Commission, see a decrease in their monthly bill of \$0.15 in the months of May through September and \$0.06 in all other months. Metered customers will see a decrease of 0.49% in their bill. The Purchased Power Cost Adjustment appears on water bills as "PPCA Adj". The Purchased Power Cost Adjustment is applied to customer bills after all other charges for water service have been accumulated excluding Boise City Franchise fees and Idaho Department of Environmental Quality fees. The Company has requested an effective date of July 15th. The application is in response to changes in the electric rates Idaho Power charges Capitol Water Corporation for the electric power it uses to provide water service to customers and is expected to produce a decrease in Company revenues of \$3,170. The application is subject to the approval of the Commission and is available for review at the Company's office at 2626 Eldorado St. in Boise and on the Commission's web site at puc.idaho.gov and one may subscribe to the Commission's RSS feed to receive periodic updates via email about the case. Customers may make written comments to the Commission regarding the application.

Comments and inquiries may be addressed to the Idaho Public Utilities Commission on its web site by going to the "file room" link on the home page and scrolling to the bottom of the list to "file a comment or complaint". Case No. CAP-W-18-01 should be identified in all correspondence with the Idaho Public Utilities Commission.

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