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For the quarterly OR	period ended March 31, 2011				
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Commission File	in their charters, address o	-	Identification		
Number	executive offices, zip code		Number		
1-14465	IDACORP, Inc.	and telephone number	82-0505802		
1-3198	Idaho Power Company		82-0130980		
1-3170	1221 W. Idaho Street		02-0130700		
	Boise, ID 83702-5627				
	(208) 388-2200				
	State of Incorporation: Idaho				
	None	ano			
Former name former add	ress and former fiscal year, if	changed since last report			
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the Securities Exchange A	act of 1934 during the preceding	ng 12 months (or for such sho	e filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of orter period that the registrants ents for the past 90 days. Yes X		
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Indicate by check mark w	hether the registrants are shell	companies (as defined in Ru	le 12b-2 of the Exchange Act).		
Number of shares of comi IDACORP, Inc.:	non stock outstanding as of A 49,560,876	pril 29, 2011:			
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Idaho Power Company: 39,150,812, all held by IDACORP, Inc.

This combined Form 10-Q represents separate filings by IDACORP, Inc. and Idaho Power Company. Information contained herein relating to an individual registrant is filed by that registrant on its own behalf. Idaho Power Company makes no representations as to the information relating to IDACORP, Inc.'s other operations.

Idaho Power Company meets the conditions set forth in General Instructions H(1)(a) and (b) of Form 10-Q and is therefore filing this report on Form 10-Q with the reduced disclosure format.

COMMONLY USED TERMS

The following select abbreviations or acronyms are commonly used in this report:

ADITC - Accumulated Deferred Investment Tax Credits AFUDC - Allowance for Funds Used During Construction

AMI - Advanced Metering Infrastructure APCU - Annual Power Cost Update

BCC - Bridger Coal Company, a joint venture of IERCo
BLM - United States Bureau of Land Management

CAA - Clean Air Act

Cal ISO - California Independent System Operator

CalPX - California Power Exchange

CAMP - Comprehensive Aquifer Management Plan
EPA - United States Environmental Protection Agency

EPS - Earnings per share

ESPA - Eastern Snake Plain Aquifer
FCA - Fixed Cost Adjustment mechanism
FERC - Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

HCC - Hells Canyon Complex

Ida-West
 Ida-West Energy, a subsidiary of IDACORP, Inc.
 IDACORP Energy, a subsidiary of IDACORP, Inc.

IERCo
 Idaho Energy Resources Co., a subsidiary of Idaho Power Company
 IDACORP Financial Services, a subsidiary of IDACORP, Inc.

IPUC - Idaho Public Utilities Commission

IRS - Internal Revenue Service

kW - Kilowatt

LCAR - Load Change Adjustment Rate

MD&A - Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

MW - Megawatt MWh - Megawatt-hour

O&M - Operations and Maintenance
OATT - Open Access Transmission Tariff
OPUC - Oregon Public Utility Commission

PCA - Power Cost Adjustment

PCAM - Power Cost Adjustment Mechanism

PURPA - Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978

REC - Renewable Energy Certificate
RES - Renewable Energy Standard

SEC - Securities and Exchange Commission

SO₂ - Sulfur Dioxide

SRBA - Snake River Basin Adjudication
USBR - United States Bureau of Reclamation

Valmy - North Valmy Steam Electric Generating Plant

VIEs - Variable Interest Entities

WECC - Western Electricity Coordinating Council

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SAFE HARBOR STATEMENT

This report on Form 10-Q contains "forward-looking statements" intended to qualify for the safe harbor from liability established by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Forward-looking statements should be read with the cautionary statements and important factors included in this Form 10-Q at Part I, Item 2 - "MANAGEMENT'S

DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS - FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS," and in IDACORP, Inc.'s and Idaho Power Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2010, at Part I, Item 1A - "RISK FACTORS" and Part II, Item 7 - "MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS." Forward-looking statements are all statements other than statements of historical fact, including, without limitation, those that are identified by the use of the words "anticipates," "believes," "estimates," "targets," "intends," "predicts," "projects," "may result," "may continue," or similar expressions.

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PART I – FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements

IDACORP, Inc.

Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income (unaudited)

	Three months ended March 31, 2011 2010 (thousands of dollar except for per share amounts)	
Operating Revenues:	umounts)	
Electric utility:		
General business	\$203,272	\$203,745
Off-system sales	29,845	34,406
Other revenues	17,945	14,309
Total electric utility revenues	251,062	252,460
Other	432	503
Total operating revenues	251,494	252,963
Operating Expenses:		
Electric utility:		
Purchased power	25,094	21,174
Fuel expense	29,902	37,187
Power cost adjustment	31,306	48,324
Other operations and maintenance	70,661	72,094
Energy efficiency programs	6,711	5,034
Depreciation	29,464	28,583
Taxes other than income taxes	7,211	5,680
Total electric utility expenses		