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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D. C. 20549

FORM U-3A-2

STATEMENT BY HOLDING COMPANY CLAIMING EXEMPTION UNDER RULE U-3A-2 FROM THE PROVISIONS OF THE PUBLIC UTILITY HOLDING COMPANY ACT OF 1935

To Be Filed Annually Prior to March 1

IDACORP, Inc. (Name of Company)

HEREBY FILES WITH THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION, PURSUANT TO RULE 2, ITS STATEMENT CLAIMING EXEMPTION AS A HOLDING COMPANY FROM THE PROVISIONS OF THE PUBLIC UTILITY HOLDING COMPANY ACT OF 1935, AND SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

1. NAME, STATE OF ORGANIZATION, LOCATION AND NATURE OF BUSINESS OF CLAIMANT AND EVERY SUBSIDIARY THEREOF, OTHER THAN ANY EXEMPT WHOLESALE GENERATOR (EWG) OR FOREIGN UTILITY COMPANY IN WHICH CLAIMANT DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY HOLDS AN INTEREST, AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2002.

Name/ Location and (State of Organization) Nature of Business

IDACORP, Inc.
Principal Executive Office
(Idaho)
located at 1221 W Idaho Street
Boise, Idaho 83702-5627

Holding Company

Subsidiaries of IDACORP, Inc.

Idaho Power Company Boise, Idaho (Idaho) Electric Utility

Ida-West Energy Company Boise, Idaho

(Idaho) Electrical Generation

IDACORP Services Co. Boise, Idaho

(Nevada) Marketing Company

IDACORP Energy Services Co. Boise, Idaho

(Nevada) Marketing Company

IDACORP Technologies Inc. Boise, Idaho

(Idaho) Research and Development

Idaho Solar Power, LLC Boise, Idaho (Washington) Solar Energy

IDACORP Financial Services, Inc. Boise, Idaho

Non-Utility Investments (Idaho)

IDACOMM, Inc. Boise, Idaho

Broadband Service Provider (Idaho)

Boise, Idaho RMC Holdings, Inc.

Internet Service Provider (Idaho)

Subsidiaries of Idaho Power Company

Idaho Energy Resources Co. Boise, Idaho (Wyoming) **Coal Mining**

Subsidiaries of Ida-West Energy Company

Y-8 Power Company Boise, Idaho

Electrical Generation (Idaho)

Falls River Hydro Company Boise, Idaho

(Idaho) **Electrical Generation**

Boise, Idaho

Electrical Generation (Idaho)

Boise, Idaho Wilson Power Company

Hazelton Power Company

Electrical Generation (Idaho)

I-W Land Company Boise, Idaho

(Idaho) Land Development for Electrical Generation

Boise, Idaho Ida-West Operating Services, Inc.

Electrical Generation (Idaho)

Boise, Idaho South Forks Hydro Company

(Idaho) Electrical Generation

Ida-West Acquisition Company Boise, Idaho

(Idaho) Electrical Generation

Hermiston Power Company Boise, Idaho

(Oregon) Electrical Generation

Garnet Power Company Boise, Idaho

(Idaho) Electrical Generation

Subsidiaries of IDACORP Energy Services, Co.

IDACORP Energy LP Boise Idaho
(Delaware) Energy Marketing

Equigy Development, LP Denver, Colorade (Deleware) Natural Gas Marketing

Subsidiaries of IDACORP Technologies, Inc.

IdaTech, LLC Bend, Oregon

(Oregon) Fuel Cell Research and Development

Subsidiaries of RMC Holdings, Inc.

Velocitus, Inc. Boise, Idaho

(Idaho) Internet Service Provider

Subsidiaries of IDACOMM, Inc.

IDACOMM Services Boise, Idaho

(Idaho) Broadband Services

2. A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTIES OF CLAIMANT AND EACH OF ITS SUBSIDIARY PUBLIC UTILITY COMPANIES USED FOR THE GENERATION, TRANSMISSION, AND DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRIC ENERGY FOR SALE, OR FOR THE PRODUCTION, TRANSMISSION, AND DISTRIBUTION OF NATURAL OR MANUFACTURED GAS, INDICATING THE LOCATION OF PRINCIPAL GENERATING PLANTS, TRANSMISSION LINES, PRODUCING FIELDS, GAS MANUFACTURING PLANTS, AND ELECTRIC AND GAS DISTRIBUTION FACILITIES, INCLUDING ALL SUCH PROPERTIES WHICH ARE OUTSIDE THE STATE IN WHICH CLAIMANT AND ITS SUBSIDIARIES ARE ORGANIZED AND ALL TRANSMISSION OR PIPELINES WHICH DELIVER OR RECEIVE ELECTRIC ENERGY OR GAS AT THE BORDERS OF SUCH STATE.

IDACORP, Inc. (Company) owns no property used in the generation, transmission, or distribution of electricity or for the production, transmission and distribution of natural or manufactured gas. IDACORP, Inc. has no public utility

subsidiaries that own properties used in the production, transmission and distribution of natural or manufactured gas.

Idaho Power Company ("IPC") is an electric public utility engaged in the generation, purchase, transmission, distribution and sale of electric energy in an approximately 20,000-square-mile area in southern Idaho and eastern Oregon, with an estimated population of 855,000. IPC is the only public utility subsidiary of IDACORP, Inc. that owns properties used in the generation, transmission or distribution of electric energy. IPC holds franchises in approximately 70 cities in Idaho and ten cities in Oregon, and holds certificates from the respective public utility regulatory authorities to serve all or a portion of 25 counties in Idaho and three counties in Oregon. As of December 31, 2002, IPC supplied electric energy to over 412,000 general business customers and had 1,688 full-time employees.

IPC's system includes 15 hydroelectric generating plants located in southern Idaho and two located in eastern Oregon (see Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K file number 1-3198 for more information). IPC also owns one gas-fired plant located in Idaho and shares ownership in three coal-fired generating plants located in Wyoming, Oregon and Nevada.

IPC owns approximately 4,657 miles of high voltage transmission lines; 22 step-up transmission substations located at power plants; 18 transmission substations; 7 transmission switching stations; and 208 energized distribution substations. These facilities are located in Idaho, Oregon, Wyoming, Nevada and Montana.

IPC's generating facilities are interconnected through its integrated transmission system and are operated on a coordinated basis to achieve maximum load-carrying capability and reliability. Through its connections with the Bonneville Power Administration, and other utilities, IPC has access to all the major electric systems in the West.

- 3. THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION FOR THE LAST CALENDAR YEAR (2002) WITH RESPECT TO CLAIMANT AND EACH OF ITS SUBSIDIARY PUBLIC UTILITY COMPANIES:
- (A) NUMBER OF KWH OF ELECTRIC ENERGY SOLD (AT RETAIL OR WHOLESALE), AND MCF. OF NATURAL OR MANUFACTURED GAS DISTRIBUTED AT RETAIL.
- (B) NUMBER OF KWH OF ELECTRIC ENERGY AND MCF. OF NATURAL OR MANUFACTURED GAS DISTRIBUTED AT RETAIL OUTSIDE THE STATE IN WHICH EACH SUCH COMPANY IS ORGANIZED.
- (C) NUMBER OF KWH OF ELECTRIC ENERGY AND MCF. OF NATURAL OR MANUFACTURED GAS SOLD AT WHOLESALE OUTSIDE THE STATE IN WHICH EACH SUCH COMPANY IS ORGANIZED, OR AT THE STATE LINE.
- (D) NUMBER OF KWH OF ELECTRIC ENERGY AND MCF. OF NATURAL OR MANUFACTURED GAS PURCHASED OUTSIDE THE STATE IN WHICH EACH SUCH COMPANY IS ORGANIZED OR AT THE STATE LINE.

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Claimant:	None
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Idaho Power Company:

		MWh Retail	Wholesale
		(thousands of MW	
(a)	Number of MWH of electricity energy sold:		
	Idaho	12,265	1,295
	Oregon	629	162
	Nevada		132
	Wyoming		2
	California		0
	Montana		25
	New Mexico		1
	Utah		0
	Washington		452
(b)	Number of MWH of electric energy distributed at retail outside the state	629 (see (a) a	bove)
(c)	Number of MWH of electric energy sold at wholesale outside the state or at the state line	774 (see (a) a	bove)
(d)	Number of MWH of electric energy purchased		

MWh Purchases

outside the state or at the state line:	(thousands of MWh)	
Idaho	1,972	
Oregon	303	
Montana	83	
Nevada	(37)	
New Mexico	2	
Washington	623	
Wyoming	(112)	
Arizona	1	
Utah	1	

- 4. THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION FOR THE REPORTING PERIOD WITH RESPECT TO CLAIMANT AND EACH INTEREST IT HOLDS DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY IN AN EWG OR A FOREIGN UTILITY COMPANY, STATING MONETARY AMOUNTS IN UNITED STATES DOLLARS:
- (A) NAME, LOCATION, BUSINESS ADDRESS AND DESCRIPTION OF THE FACILITIES USED BY THE EWG OR FOREIGN UTILITY COMPANY FOR THE GENERATION, TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRIC ENERGY FOR SALE OR FOR THE DISTRIBUTION AT RETAIL OF NATURAL OR MANUFACTURED GAS.
- (B) NAME OF EACH SYSTEM COMPANY THAT HOLDS AN INTEREST IN SUCH EWG OR FOREIGN UTILITY COMPANY, AND DESCRIPTION OF THE INTEREST HELD.
- (C) TYPE AND AMOUNT OF CAPITAL INVESTED, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, BY THE HOLDING COMPANY CLAIMING EXEMPTION; ANY DIRECT OR INDIRECT GUARANTEE OF THE SECURITY OF THE EWG OR FOREIGN UTILITY COMPANY BY THE HOLDING COMPANY CLAIMING EXEMPTION; AND ANY DEBT OR OTHER FINANCIAL OBLIGATION FOR WHICH THERE IS RECOURSE, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, TO THE HOLDING COMPANY CLAIMING EXEMPTION OR ANOTHER SYSTEM COMPANY, OTHER THAN THE EWG OR FOREIGN UTILITY COMPANY.
- (D) CAPITALIZATION AND EARNINGS OF THE EWG OR FOREIGN UTILITY COMPANY DURING THE REPORTING PERIOD.
- (E) IDENTIFY ANY SERVICE, SALES OR CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT(S) BETWEEN THE EWG OR FOREIGN UTILITY COMPANY AND A SYSTEM COMPANY, AND DESCRIBE THE SERVICES TO BE RENDERED OR GOODS SOLD AND FEES OR REVENUES UNDER SUCH AGREEMENT(S).

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None		
EXHIBIT A		
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS		
Description of Exhibit		
Consolidating statements of income and retained earnings for the calendar year 2002 together with the consolidating balance sheets as of December 31, 2002 for IDACORP, Inc., Idaho Power Company, Ida-West Energy Company, IDACORP Energy Services Co., IDACORP Technologies, Inc., IDACOMM, Inc., RMC Holdings, Inc. and their respective subsidiaries.		
EXHIBIT B		
ORGANIZATIONAL CHART SHOWING RELATIONSHIP OF EACH EWG OR FOREIGN UTILITY COMPANY TO ASSOICATE COMPANIES IN THE HOLDING COMPANY SYSTEM.		
None.		

SIGNATURES

The above-named claimant has caused this statement to be duly executed on its behalf by its authorized officers on the 28^{th} day of February 2003.

IDACORP, Inc.

By: /s/ Jan B. Packwood

Jan B. Packwood

President and Chief
Executive Officer and Director

(Corporate Seal)

By: /s/ Darrel T. Anderson
Darrel T. Anderson
Vice President, Chief Financial
Officer and Treasurer

Attest:

By /s/ Robert W. Stahman Robert W. Stahman Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

Name, title and address of officer to whom notices and correspondence concerning this statement should be addressed:

Darrel T. Anderson Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer P.O. Box 70 Boise, Idaho 83707 (208) 388-2650

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THE COMPANY IS REQUESTING CONFIDENIALITY FOR THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2002 OF THIS U-3A-2 FILING. THIS REQUEST IS BEING MADE PURSUANT TO SECTION 22b OF THE PUBLIC UTILITY HOLDING COMPANY ACT OF 1935 AND RULE 104 THEREUNDER.