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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION **WASHINGTON, DC 20549**

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE **SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) August 29, 2002

Commission

File Number

1-14465

1-3198

Exact name of Registrants as specified

their charters, address of principal executive

offices and Registrants' telephone number

> IDACORP, Inc. Idaho Power Company

1221 W. Idaho Street Boise, ID 83702-5627

(208) 388-2200

State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation: Idaho

IRS Employer

Identification

Number

82-0505802

82-0130980

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None

Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report.

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Items 1 through 4 and 6 through 9 are inapplicable and have been omitted herefrom.

Item 5. OTHER EVENTS AND REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE.

On August 29, 2002, the Idaho Public Utilities Commission (IPUC) denied Idaho Power Company's (IPC) petition for reconsideration concerning IPC's request to recover \$12 million in lost revenue through IPC's Power Cost Adjustment (PCA) filing. As previously reported, Idaho Power, in October 2001, made the request to include recovery of lost revenues that resulted from a 2001 irrigation load reduction program in IPC's annual PCA filing. In April, the IPUC authorized recovery of the program's direct costs - mainly the incentive payments to irrigators -but denied IPC's request to collect \$12 million in lost revenues. IPC then petitioned for reconsideration and in May, the IPUC agreed to reconsider the issue. After reconsideration the IPUC on August 29th again denied recovery. This amount will be written off in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America in the third quarter. The Company has 42 days to determine if it will file an appeal to the Idaho Supreme Court.



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Dated:	Septem	ber 3,	2002
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IDACORP, Inc.

By:/s/Darrel T. Anderson

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Vice President, Chief Financial

Officer and Treasurer

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