

BLM Study Review of Hells Canyon Complex Studies

Hells Canyon Complex: Historic Buildings Reconnaissance Survey

Technical Report Appendix E.4-14

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1.INTRODUCTION

Idaho Power Company contracted Science Applications International Corporation (SAIC) to perform a historic building reconnaissance survey of the buildings owned by IPC in the Hells Canyon Complex.

2.CONCLUSION

The contractor gathered basic data about the buildings owned by IPC in the canyon area.

3.STUDY ADEQUACY

The study was well done for the project. The contractor collected historic data and photographs. They took present day photographs and made descriptions of buildings exteriors. They made preliminary discussions about each buildings significance discussed possible themes of study. They presented discussions on impacts to the buildings.

Much more detail could be gathered with large format photographs, scale drawings, interior descriptions and additional archival research, but I am not recommending that.

The study accomplished goals set in *Study Plan 8.4.6*.

4.BLM CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

CONCLUSIONS: *I concluded that I was not a primary reviewer for this document because the buildings are on IPC private lands.*

I reviewed the report for contextual and supporting data to assist me in understanding the larger Hells Canyon Complex.

RECOMMENDATIONS: I recommend that the Idaho and Oregon State Preservation Officers perform the primary review for this report.

