

Harrington Patrick A  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Harrington Patrick A

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 1221 W. IDAHO STREET  
 (Street)

BOISE, ID 83702

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 IDACORP INC [IDA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 08/18/2010

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Corporate Secretary

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |   |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|---|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |   |   |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | Code  | V   | Amount   |   |   |
| Common Stock                    | 08/18/2010                           |  | M                              | A   | 1,000   | \$ 31.21   | 9,704   | D |
| Common Stock                    | 08/18/2010                           |  | M                              | A   | 1,367   | \$ 29.75   | 11,071  | D |
| Common Stock                    | 08/18/2010                           |  | S                              | D   | 2,367   | \$ 35.4268   | 8,704   | D |
| Common Stock (401-k)            |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 998.149 <sup>(1)</sup>                                | I |

By  
 Trustee

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Employee Stock Option                      | \$ 31.21   | 08/18/2010                           |  | M                              | 1,000   | (2) 01/14/2014   | Common Stock  | 1,000                         |
| Employee Stock Option                      | \$ 29.75   | 08/18/2010                           |  | M                              | 1,367   | (3) 01/19/2015   | Common Stock  | 1,367                         |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                  | Relationships |           |                     |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer             | Other |
| Harrington Patrick A<br>1221 W. IDAHO STREET<br>BOISE, ID 83702 |               |           | Corporate Secretary |       |

## Signatures

Patrick A.  
Harrington 08/19/2010

\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

(1) Total Shares in ESP as of 08/19/10

(2) Options vest 20% per year commencing January 15, 2005

(3) Options vest 20% per year commencing January 20, 2006

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