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Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S. W. P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

Attention: Mr. Steven King, Executive Director & Secretary

RE: Docket No. UE-152391

Petition Concerning the Accounting and Ratemaking Treatment

for Extraordinary Storm Costs

Dear Mr. King,

On December 18, 2015, Avista filed with the Commission its Petition Concerning the Accounting and Ratemaking Treatment for Extraordinary Storm Costs. Through that Petition Avista requested that the Commission open a docket, and as explained in more detail in the Petition, Avista originally planned to provide a more detailed report and proposal for accounting and ratemaking treatment associated with the windstorm costs, on or before February 17, 2016.

Avista, however, is still preparing its report and proposal, and will furnish this to the Commission and parties on or before March 24, 2016. This is also the date scheduled for a special presentation and briefing by Avista (Docket No. UE-160056), concerning the November 2015 windstorm event.

Please direct any questions regarding this filing to Linda Gervais at (509) 495-4975.

Sincerely,

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