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Mark L. Johnson
Executive Director and Secretary
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RE: 170940 - Avista Utilities 2018 Natural Gas Integrated Resource Plan (IRP)

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Avista Utilities submits an electronic version of its 2018 Natural Gas IRP load forecast workpaper in the above reference Docket. The workpaper has confidential forecasted load information and is being provided as confidential per WAC 480-07-160.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact Tom Pardee at 509-495-2159 or Garrett Brown at 509-495-2133.

Sincerely,

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