

**BEFORE THE
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	
v.)	DOCKETS UE-160228 and UG-160229 (Consolidated)
)	
AVISTA CORPORATION, DBA AVISTA UTILITIES,)	
)	
Respondent.)	
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EXHIBIT NO. MPG-18

VALUE LINE BETA

AUGUST 17, 2016

Avista Corporation

Value Line Beta

<u>Line</u>	<u>Company</u>	<u>Beta</u>
1	ALLETE, Inc.	0.75
2	Ameren Corporation	0.75
3	American Electric Power Company, Inc.	0.70
4	Avista Corporation	0.75
5	CMS Energy Corporation	0.70
6	DTE Energy Company	0.70
7	Edison International	0.70
8	El Paso Electric Company	0.70
9	IDACORP, Inc.	0.75
10	NorthWestern Corporation	0.70
11	PG&E Corporation	0.65
12	Portland General Electric Company	0.75
13	Sempra Energy	0.80
14	Average	0.72

Source:
The Value Line Investment Survey,
June 17, and July 29, 2016.