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Mr. Steven King
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Re: Docket No. Dockets UE-160228 and UG-160229
Bench Requests No. 3

Dear Mr. King:

Please find enclosed for filing with the Commission an original and 6 copies of Avista's responses to Bench Request No. 3 issued by Senior Review Judge Dennis J. Moss.

Please direct any questions related to this filing to Liz Andrews at (509) 495-8601.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David Meyer", followed by a horizontal line.

David Meyer
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Enclosures

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have served the Avista Corporation's response to Bench Request No. 3 in Avista's Electric and Gas General Rate Case Filing (UE-160228 and UG-160229), by mailing a copy thereof, postage prepaid to the following:

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I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
Dated at Spokane, Washington this 3rd day of October.



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