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Amanda Maxwell, Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
621 Woodland Square Loop SE
P.O. Box 47250
Olympia, WA 98503-7250

Re: *Washington Utils. and Transp. Comm'n v. Avista Corporation*
Dockets UE-220053, UG-220054, UE-210854 (*consolidated*)

Dear Ms. Maxwell:

On January 19, 2023, the Commission issued a letter requiring a response regarding Avista's supplemental tariff filing on January 18, 2023. The letter directed Staff and the Company to file supplemental letters "explaining and providing supporting detail of the revenue Avista has collected vis-à-vis its authorized revenue. Also, please indicate whether the Commission should expect Avista to make a filing to request a deferral of either under or over collected revenue as a result of the discovered error and Avista's proposed refund mechanism for customers, if applicable."

Staff has reviewed a draft of the letter Avista intends to submit regarding the revenue collected through the authorized revenue and has no information to add regarding the figures provided by the Company.

Staff finds the Company's proposal to issue any necessary refunds to impacted customers through corrected bills and credits acceptable under the circumstances.

Sincerely,

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