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### Via E-Mail and Federal Express

Mr. Steven V. King

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 Re: WUTC v. Avista Corporation

 Avista’s 2015 General Rate Case

**Dockets UE-150204 and UG-150205 (*consolidated*)**

Dear Mr. King:

 Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket, please find the original and six (6) copies of the Joint Parties’ Replies to Staff Responses to Bench Requests.

 Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

 Sincerely,

 */s/ Jesse O. Gorsuch*

 Jesse O. Gorsuch

Enclosure

cc: Service List

##### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the attached **Joint Parties’** **Replies to Staff Responses to Bench Requests** upon the parties shown below by sending a copy via electronic mail, per Order 03, paragraph 8.

DATED this 28th day of January, 2016.

Davison Van Cleve, P.C.

 */s/ Jesse O. Gorsuch*

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