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David W. Danner, Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW
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RE: *UTC v. Avista Corporation d/b/a Avista Utilities*
Dockets UE-090134 and UG-090135 (consolidated)

Dear Mr. Danner:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket is the original confidentiality agreement signed by Ann LaRue.

Sincerely,

GREGORY J. TRALIMAN
Assistant Attorney General

GJT/emd
Enclosure
cc: Parties



EXHIBIT B (EXPERT AGREEMENT)

AGREEMENT CONCERNING CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION IN
DOCKET UE-090134 & UG-090135

BEFORE THE
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

I, Ann LaRue, as expert witness in this proceeding for Utilities and Transportation Commission Staff (a party to this proceeding) hereby agree to comply with and be bound by the Protective Order entered by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission in Docket UE-090134 and UG-090135 and acknowledge that I have reviewed the Protective Order and fully understand its terms and conditions.

Ann LaRue
Signature

APRIL 1, 2009
Date

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Regulatory Analyst
Position and Responsibilities

The following portion is to be completed by the responding party and filed with the Commission within 10 days of receipt; failure to do so will constitute a waiver and the above-named person will be deemed an expert having access to Confidential Information under the terms and conditions of the protective order.

_____ No objection.

_____ Objection. The responding party objects to the above-named expert having access to Confidential Information. The objecting party shall file a motion setting forth the basis for objection and asking exclusion of the expert from access to Confidential Information.

Signature

Date