August 25, 2003

NOTICE OF PREHEARING CONFERENCE (Set for Thursday October 9, 2003)

RE: Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Avista Corporation, d/b/a Avista Utilities, Docket No. UE-030751

TO ALL PARTIES OF RECORD:

The Commission gives notice to all parties of record of the time and place established for a prehearing conference in this matter.

NOTICE IS GIVEN That a prehearing conference in this matter will be held on Thursday, October 9, 2003, beginning at 10:00 a.m. in Room 206, Chandler Plaza Building, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW, Olympia, Washington.

The purpose of the conference is to number for identification all exhibits and cross-examination exhibits and to attend to any other procedural matters.

Topics for the conference will include the order of witnesses and of crossexamination, the existence of objections to evidence and argument on such objections as appropriate; the existence of dispositive motions and response to such motions, as appropriate. Parties must file and identify objections and serve dispositive motions **no later that 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 8, 2003.**

Parties will provide to each other and to the presiding ALJ a list showing their witnesses in the order they will be presented **no later than 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 8, 2003.**

Exhibits to be presented during cross-examination must be provided to other parties and to the presiding ALJ (7 copies) in the order the party intends to use them in a packet, by witness with a brief description, and punched for insertion in a three-ring binder, **by 9:30 a.m. on October 9, 2003, and delivered to Room 206.**

If you have any questions, please contact me at (360) 664-1136 or **kcaille@wutc.wa.gov**.

Sincerely,

KAREN M. CAILLÉ Administrative Law Judge