BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES & TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON UTILIITES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,

Complainant,

v.

AVISTA CORPORATION d/b/a AVISTA UTILITIES,

Respondent.

DOCKET NOS. UE-190334 and UG-190335, UE-190222 (Consolidated)

ANDREA C. CRANE

ON BEHALF OF PUBLIC COUNSEL

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AVISTA CORP. RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

JURISDICTION: WASHINGTON DATE PREPARED: 06/05/2019

UE-190334 & UG-190335 WITNESS: Elizabeth Andrews CASE NO.: REQUESTER **Public Counsel** RESPONDER: Annette Brandon TYPE: DEPT: Regulatory Affairs Data Request REQUEST NO.: PC - 033TELEPHONE: (509) 495-4324

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REQUEST:

Please provide a description of all incentive compensation programs provided to officers. For each program. Please provide:

- a. A description of the program
- b. The performance criteria factors used to determine awards,
- c. The amount included in the Company's claim, and
- d. The actual amount incurred in each of the past five years.
- e. By title, a list of all officers eligible to participate.

RESPONSE:

Please see Andrews testimony EMA-1T, pages 39-40 for information regarding the incentive adjustments for both Executive Officers and Non-Executive Employees.

- a. Please see the Company's response to Staff_DR_008 for a full description of incentive plans offered to Executive Officers.
- b. Please see the Company's response to Staff_DR_009 and PC_DR_032 for the performance criteria used to determine awards
- c. Please see Adjustment 2.13 Incentive Compensation for the calculation of the six year average of actual incentive costs and PC_DR_24 and PC_DR_35 for a summary of amounts included in this case
- d. See part (c).
- e. The following individuals are eligible to participate in the Executive Officer Short Term Incentive Plan:

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

President of Avista Corp.

Senior Vice President General Counsel, Chief Compliance and Corporate Secretary

Senior Vice President, Chief Human Resource Officer

Senior Vice President Energy Resources

Vice President External Affairs and Chief Customer Officer

Vice President Safety and Human Resources Shared Services

Vice President Chief Information and Security Officer

Vice President and Controller

Vice President and Chief Counsel Regulatory

Vice President Energy Delivery

Vice President and Chief Strategy Officer