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November 10, 2017

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Attention: Records Center

RE: WUTC Docket No. U-170970, In the Matter of the Joint Application of HYDRO ONE LIMITED (acting through its indirect subsidiary, Olympus Equity LLC) and AVISTA CORPORATION for an Order Authorizing Proposed Transaction

Enclosed please find a copy of Hydro One Limited and Avista Corporation's communication to the Regulatory Commission of Alaska, indicating that we will re-file an application for authority to acquire a controlling interest in Alaska Electric Light & Power Company within the next few days. Note that in light of the six-month period for the Regulatory Commission of Alaska to act upon the application, the re-filing of the Alaska application does not affect our requested approval date of not later than August of 2018 for action by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission,

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 10th day of November, 2017.

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Joint Application by Hydro One Limited and Avista Corporation for Acquisition of a Controlling Interest in Alaska Electric Light

and Power Company

Dear Commissioners:

Please be advised that Hydro One Limited anticipates filing its registration to do business in Alaska on November 13, 2017. Hydro One Limited and Avista Corporation will refile an application for authority to acquire a controlling interest in Alaska Electric Light and Power Company a few days later.

Sincerely yours,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have served the a copy of Hydro One Limited and Avista Corporation's communication to the Regulatory Commission of Alaska, by electronic transmission to the email address(es) of each party a copy thereof, to the following:

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I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Dated at Spokane, Washington this 10th day of November, 2017.

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