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David W. Danner, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

RE: Avista Corporation 2012 General Rate Case

Dockets UE-120436 and UG-120437 (consolidated)

Dear Mr. Danner:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket is the original confidentiality agreement signed by Michael A. Fassio.

Sincerely,

KRISTA L. GROSS Legal Assistant

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Enclosure

cc: Parties

EXHIBIT A (ATTORNEY AGREEMENT)

AGREEMENT CONCERNING CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION IN DOCKETS UE-120436 AND UG-120437 BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

I, MICHAEL A. FASSIO, as attorney in this proceeding for COMMISSION STAFF (party to this proceeding) agree to comply with and be bound by the Protective Order entered by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission in Dockets UE-120436 and UG-120437, and acknowledge that I have reviewed the Protective Order and fully understand its terms and conditions.

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Signature

Date

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