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Amanda Maxwell Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission 621 Woodland Square Loop SE Lacey, WA 98503

Re: UG-200823 – Avista 2023 Gas Standards Manual and Standard Operating Procedures for Gas Meter Measurement Performance Program

Dear Ms. Maxwell:

Enclosed for electronic filing with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) is Avista Corporation's, dba Avista Utilities (Avista or the Company), 2023 Gas Standards Manual (GSM) and Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) for its Gas Meter Measurement Performance Program. This filing is being made in compliance with the Company's natural gas tariff WN U-29, Schedule 170, as approved by the Commission in Docket No. UE-200823, which states that Avista is to provide electronic copies of these documents to the Commission upon request or whenever substantive changes are made.

Due to the voluminous nature of the GSM, the first 13 pages of the document provide a summary of the changes made for 2023.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at (509) 495-7839.

Sincerely,

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