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September 5, 2008

State of Washington  
Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission  
Attention: Mr. David Danner, Executive Director and Secretary  
P. O. Box 47250  
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S. W.  
Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

RE: Docket No. UG-060518 (Selection of Evaluator – Decoupling Mechanism)

Dear Mr. Danner:

Enclosed for filing with the Commission is an original and eight copies of the letter "Evaluation of Avista's Natural Gas Decoupling Pilot", as required in Docket No. UG-060518, Appendix A to Order No. 4, and Order No. 5. This filing was also filed electronically with the Commission on September 5, 2008.

The purpose of this filing is to inform the Commission that the Evaluator of Avista's Decoupling Mechanism has been selected by the Advisory Group. If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact Patrick Ehrbar at 509-495-8620.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kelly Norwood". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Kelly Norwood  
Vice President, State and Federal Regulation

Enc.

cc: Service List in Docket No. UG-060518