

June 5, 2009

David W. Danner, Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW
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RE: *UTC v. Avista Corporation d/b/a Avista Utilities*
Dockets UE-090134 and UG-090135 (consolidated)
In the Matter of the Petition of Avista Corporation d/b/a Avista Utilities for an Order
Authorizing Implementation of a Natural Gas Decoupling Mechanism and to Record
Accounting Entries Associated with the Mechanism
Docket UG-060518 (consolidated)

Dear Mr. Danner:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket are the original and 17 copies of Commission Staff's Cross-Reply to Joint Parties' Opposition to Avista's Petition for Interim Extension of Decoupling Mechanism, and Certificate of Service.

Sincerely,

GREGORY J. TRAUTMAN
Assistant Attorney General

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Enclosures
cc: Parties