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STATE OF WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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RE: In the Matter of the Petition of Avista Corporation for Order Authorizing Accounting and Ratemaking Treatment of Fees for Payments Made by Residential Customers,

Dockets UE-160071 and UG-160072

TO ALL PARTIES:

On March 24, 2016, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) entered Order 01 Granting Accounting Petition (Order 01) in dockets UE-160071 and UG-160072. Order 01, among other things, required Avista Corporation (Avista or Company) to file updates every three months related to the Fee-Free Credit and Debit Card Payment Program's progress.

Avista filed its first updates on April 27, 2017, and quarterly thereafter through January 31, 2018.

On May 11, 2017, August 14, 2017, November 15, 2017, and March 16, 2018, Commission staff (Staff) filed letters informing the Commission that Staff had reviewed the most recently filed updates and determined that the updates complied with the requirements of Order 01.

The Commission accepts the updates filed from April 27, 2017, through and including January 31, 2018, as in compliance with Order 01.

STEVEN V. KING Executive Director and Secretary