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May 29, 2015

Via Electronic Mail

Steven V. King
Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S. W.
P.O. Box 47250
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Re: Docket Nos. UE-150204 and UG-150205 – Customer Notice

Dear Mr. King:

In compliance with WAC 480-100-198 and 480-90-198, Avista Corporation dba Avista Utilities (Avista or Company) submits for filing a copy of the customer notice in the above referenced Dockets. The notice was prepared consistent with WAC 480-90/100-197 and includes the information required by WAC 480-90/100-194(4). Avista serves approximately 241,000 electric and 152,000 natural gas customers in the state of Washington that may be affected by the proposed rate increase.

The customer notice will be posted to the Company's website and will be included in customer bills starting no later than August 3, 2015. All customers will have received the bill insert after the 30-day bill cycle is complete, approximately two weeks prior to the public meetings scheduled for September 15 and 16, 2015. The Company will release to the media (radio, television, and newspapers) the information related to the public hearings. The attached notice has been reviewed by Commission Staff and Public Counsel.

Please direct any questions on this matter to myself at (509) 495-8620 or Linda Gervais at (509) 495-4975.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Patrick Ehrbar". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Patrick Ehrbar
Manager, Rates & Tariffs

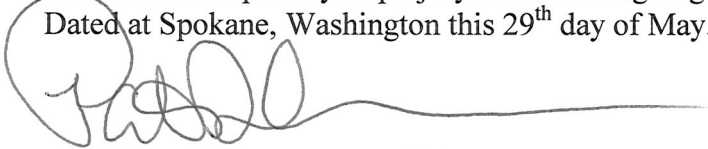
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I **HEREBY CERTIFY** that I have served the Customer Notice in Avista's Electric and Gas General Rate Case Filing (UE-150204 and UG-150205), by mailing a copy thereof, postage prepaid to the following:

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I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated at Spokane, Washington this 29th day of May.



Patrick Ehrbar
Manager, Rates & Tariffs