

April 20, 2010

*VIA: Electronic Mail*

Mr. David Danner

Executive Director and Secretary

Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission

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RE: Avista Utilities Quarterly DSM Report

Dear Mr. Danner:

In compliance with the requirements set forth in Docket Nos. UE-082272 and UG-090052, Avista Utilities submits an electronic version of its First Quarter DSM Balance Report. This report includes information from the Company’s financial forecast and per WAC 480-07-160 should be treated as “CONFIDENTIAL.” If you have any questions, please contact Bruce Folsom at 509-495-8706 or feel free to contact me at 509-495-4975.

Sincerely,

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