INDUSTRIAL CUSTOMERS OF NORTHWEST UTILITIES RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

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REQUEST:

Bench Request No. 1: Please rerun the model(s) used to generate Appendix 2 with the following three changes updating:

- the annual average natural gas price based on the most recently available 3-month average of 2011 forward prices;
- the most current Mid C flat electric price; and
- the Short-Term Contracts entered into by the Company as of November 1, 2010.

Please provide an updated spreadsheet reflecting the results as an "Updated Appendix 2".

RESPONSE:

ICNU has reviewed Avista's rerun of the models used to generate Appendix 2 and the accompanying spreadsheets, and ICNU believes that Avista has correctly calculated the updated spreadsheet. ICNU continues to support the settlement.