Avista Corp.

September 11, 2015

Mr. Steven King, Executive Director and Secretary

Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission

1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW

P.O. Box 47250

Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Mr. King:

Transmitted herewith is one executed copy of an application for approval of an order authorizing security issuance.

The Company requests to receive an Order of Approval from the Commission by October 12, 2015. When complete, please send the executed copy of the Order of Approval to:

Mr. Richard N. Stevens, Director of Finance

Avista Corporation

1411 East Mission Avenue

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If any questions arise or additional information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact Lauren Pendergraft at 509-495-2998.

Sincerely,

/s/ Richard N. Stevens

Richard N. Stevens

Director of Finance

Enclosures