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Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
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P.O. Box 47250
Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

Attention: Mr. Steven King, Executive Director & Secretary

RE: Docket No. UE-16____ and UG-16____
Petition of Avista Corporation for an Accounting Order Authorizing Accounting Treatment
of Costs Related to Offering a Fee Free Payment Program for the Company's Residential
Customers.

Dear Mr. King,

Enclosed for filing with the Commission is Avista's Petition for an Accounting Order Authorizing Accounting Treatment of Costs Related to Offering a Fee Free Payment Program for the Company's residential customers. An original copy is being provided via overnight mail.

Please contact me with any questions related to this filing at (509) 495-2782.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures