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David W. Danner, Executive Director and Secretary
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1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW
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RE: *Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Avista Corporation*
Docket UG-121501

Dear Mr. Danner:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket are the original and 12 copies of the Report of Commission Staff on Natural Gas Hedging, with attachments, and Certificate of Service. An original and 1 copy of the redacted version of the confidential attachment has been provided.

Sincerely,

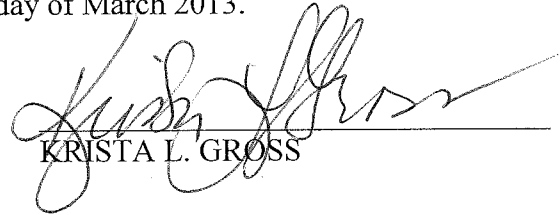
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cc: Parties

Docket UG-121501
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the attached Report of Commission Staff on Natural Gas Hedging upon the persons and entities listed on the Service List below via e-mail and by depositing a copy of said document in the United States mail, addressed as shown on said Service List, with first class postage prepaid.

DATED at Olympia, Washington this 1st day of March 2013.



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