

**AVISTA CORP.  
RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR INFORMATION**

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| JURISDICTION: | WASHINGTON            | DATE PREPARED: | 07/21/2009                  |
| CASE NO:      | UE-090134 & UG-090135 | WITNESS:       | Jon Powell                  |
| REQUESTER:    | NWEC                  | RESPONDER:     | Bruce Folsom                |
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**REQUEST:**

Please provide copies of written communications, reports, analyses, presentations, and conclusions that were made by or to Avista's senior management since the Approval Date, and that involved the Mechanism or one of the programs that Avista identified in its responses to Public Counsel Data Request Nos. 283-285.

**RESPONSE:**

The Mechanism was verbally discussed occasionally in meetings with Avista's senior management. DSM is frequently discussed with senior management, however individual programs within the DSM portfolio, as referenced in PC 283-285, typically are not.