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Via UTC Web Portal

Mark L. Johnson **Executive Director and Secretary** Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission 621 Woodland Square Loop SE Lacey, WA 98503

Docket No. UE-190912 – Petition to Retain Biennial Conservation Plan (BCP) Targets Re:

Dear Mr. Johnson:

In compliance with Order 01 in Docket No. UE-190912, Avista Corporation, dba Avista Utilities ("Avista" or "the Company") respectfully submits its "Petition For an Order Approving Retention of the Current 2020-2029 Ten-Year Achievable Electric Conservation Potential and 2020-2021 Biennial Conservation Targets". Attachment A(1)(b) to Order 01 provides that:

By April 15, 2020, Avista must file a petition to modify or retain the biennial EIA target, penalty threshold, decoupling penalty threshold, and ten-year potential incorporating the effects of the Clean Energy Transformation Act to the degree possible. The petition must detail how the social cost of greenhouse gas emissions has been included in evaluating conservation targets and why the methodology used is appropriate.

If you have any questions regarding this information and/or the Company's filing, please contact Anna Scarlett, Director of Energy Efficiency at 509-495-2557 or myself at 509-495-4975.

Sincerely,

/s/Linda Gervais

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