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RE: *In the Matter of the Petition of Avista Corporation for an Order Authorizing Accounting and Ratemaking Treatment of Fees for Payments Made by Residential Customers*, Dockets UE-160071 and UG-160072

TO ALL PARTIES:

On March 24, 2016, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) entered Order 01 Granting Accounting Petition (Order 01) in the above-referenced dockets. Order 01, among other things, required Avista Corporation (Avista or Company) to file quarterly progress updates related to its Fee-Free Credit and Debit Card Payment Program.

On April 30, 2018, Avista filed with the Commission a document entitled *Avista Utilities Q1 2018 Fee-Free Payment Program Report*.

On May 1, 2018, Commission staff (Staff) filed a letter informing the Commission that Staff reviewed Avista's compliance filing and determined that it complied with the requirements set out in Order 01.

Based on Staff's review, the Commission finds that the updates filed by Avista on April 30, 2018, comply with the terms of Order 01.

MARK L. JOHNSON  
Executive Director and Secretary