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NOTICE OF BENCH REQUEST NO. 3
(Due by Wednesday, October 22, 2008)

RE: *Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Avista Corporation.*,
Dockets UE-080416 and UG-080417

The following bench request is initially directed to Public Counsel and Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities. However, other parties may respond to the request.

Bench Request No. 3: The joint direct testimony of Public Counsel and ICNU witness, Charles W. King, contains Exhibit CWK-4, Schedule 4 entitled “Avista Corporation. Mass Property Plant Accounts. Public Counsel Recommended Removal Cost Allowances” and Schedule 5 entitled “Avista Utilities. Calculation of Depreciation Rates.” Please provide Schedules 4 and 5 in separate electronic, operable spreadsheet files. The file(s) must be in Excel format. Include all linked files with all formulas and formatting in every spreadsheet intact (formulas not converted to values or otherwise modified from original). Please provide the requested file(s) on a CD.

Sincerely,

PATRICIA CLARK
Administrative Law Judge

cc: All Parties