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March 21, 2008

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Carole Washburn
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
P.O. Box 47250
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: Docket No. UE-080182

Dear Ms. Washburn;

On January 29, 2008, Avista submitted a notice to the Commission of its intent to sell up to and including \$350,000,000 of first mortgage bonds. Avista is now requesting that the Commission issue an Order establishing compliance with RCW 80.08.040.

If you have any question regarding this information please feel free to contact me at (509)-495-4331 or Paul Kimball at (509)-495-4584.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Diane Thoren".

Diane C. Thoren
Assistant Treasurer

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