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

RE: Avista Utilities' Petition for Approval of an Independent Evaluator

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Avista Corporation, dba Avista Utilities (Avista or Company), submits the enclosed Petition for an order approving an Independent Evaluator for purposes of the Company's all-source Request for Proposals.

If you have any questions, please me at 509-495-2782 or [shawn.bonfield@avistacorp.com](mailto:shawn.bonfield@avistacorp.com).

Sincerely,

*/s/ Shawn Bonfield*

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