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April 26, 2019

Mark L. Johnson
Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission
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P.O. Box 47250
Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

Re: Request for Exemption from WAC 480-109-130

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Attached for filing with the Commission is an electronic copy of Avista Corporation's, dba Avista Utilities ("Avista" or "the Company"), Petition For an Order Requesting Exemption of WAC 480-109-130, the annual requirement to file proposed revisions to its tariff WN U-29, Schedule 191 – Demand Side Management ("DSM") Rate Adjustment. The Company has also provided work papers in support of this request.

Please direct any questions on this matter to Dan Johnson, Director, Energy Efficiency at (509) 495-2807 or myself at (509) 495-4975.

Sincerely,

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