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April 25, 2013

Mr. Steven King, Acting Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: Docket No. UG-121119

Withdrawal of Avista Corporation's request for the temporary discontinuation of natural gas demand side management programs.

Dear Mr. King:

Pursuant to WAC 480-80-131, Avista Corporation hereby withdraws its proposed tariff changes related to Schedule 190, "Natural Gas Efficiency Programs". The reason for the proposed withdrawal in this docket is so that Avista can undertake further analysis of its natural gas DSM programs in coordination with UTC Staff and other stakeholders.

Please direct any questions regarding this filing to Linda Gervais at (509) 495-4975.

Sincerely,

Patrick Ehrbar

Manager, Rates & Tariffs

VERIFICATION

STATE OF WASHINGTON)
)
County of Spokane)

Patrick D. Ehrbar, being first duly sworn on oath, deposes and says: That he is the Manager of Rates and Tariffs at Avista Corporation and makes this verification for and on behalf of said corporation, being thereto duly authorized;

That he has read the foregoing Letter, knows the contents thereof, and believes the same to be true.

SIGNED AND SWORN to before me on this

_day of April 2013

NOTARY PUBLIC in and for the State of Washington, residing at Spokane.

Commission Expires: 10-09-14