

August 18, 2005

**NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO REPLY TO RESPONSES
TO JOINT MOTION TO MODIFY PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE
(by Monday, August 22, 2005)**

RE: Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Avista Corporation, d/b/a Avista Utilities, Docket Nos. UE-050482 and UG-050483

TO ALL PARTIES:

On August 17, 2005, Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities (ICNU) and Public Counsel filed responses in opposition to a joint motion for modification of procedural schedule filed by the Signing Parties¹ to a proposed Settlement Agreement in the Avista general rate case proceeding.

NOTICE IS GIVEN of an opportunity to reply to the responses filed by ICNU and Public Counsel by Monday, August 22, 2005.

Parties may submit their responses electronically to records@wutc.wa.gov, and file paper copies of the document with the Commission by the following business day.

Sincerely,

KAREN M. CAILLÉ
Administrative Law Judge

¹ Avista Corporation, Staff of the Utilities and Transportation Commission, the Northwest Industrial Gas Users, and the Energy Project are the Signing Parties to the proposed Settlement Agreement.