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Attention: Mr. David Danner, Executive Secretary & Director

RE: Avista Corporation

Docket UE-080416 and UG-080417

Attached for electronic filing is Avista Corporation's Letter to Judge Clark regarding Confidentiality of Coeur d'Alene Settlement in the above-entitled dockets. Additionally, the original and 15 copies are being sent via over-night mail.

Sincerely,

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VP, State & Federal Regulation

Enclosures

c: See attached service list

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have served Avista's Letter to Judge Patricia Clark upon the persons and entities listed on the Service List below in Avista Corporation's Electric and Gas General Rate Case, Dockets UE-080416 and UG-080417 by electronic mail and mailing a copy thereof, postage prepaid to the following:

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