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Carole Washburn, Executive Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W. P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: Docket No. UE-031247

Dear Ms. Washburn:

Based on discussions with Commission Staff, Avista amends the petition in docket UE-031247 with a proposed Request for Proposals ("RFP"). The amendment includes information to comply with WAC 480-107. An original and three (3) copies are enclosed with this filing. Please direct any questions on this matter to Clint Kalich at (509) 495-4532 or Bruce Folsom at (509) 495-8706.

Sincerely,

Kelly Norwood Vice-President, Rates and Regulation

Enclosures