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Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S. W. P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, Washington 98504-7250 Attention: Mr. Mark Johnson, Executive Director and Secretary Records Management 11/30/18 14:07 State Of WASH. TIL. AND TRANSP.

RE: Docket No. U-180916 – Securities Filing on Behalf of Avista Corporation

Dear Mr. Johnson:

On November 9, 2018, Avista filed an Application for an Order Establishing Compliance with RCW Chapter 80.08.040. In that filing we requested an Order from the Commission by December 9, 2018.

After discussions with Commission Staff, Avista requests that the Commission address the Company's filing at its December 28, 2018 Open Meeting, and to issue an order as soon as possible thereafter, assuming the Commission finds Avista in is compliance.

Please direct any questions related to this letter to me at 509.495.8620.

Sincerely,

Patrick Ehrbar Director of Regulatory Affairs