

Exhibit No. DCP-7
Dockets UE-160228/UG-160229
Witness: David C. Parcell

BEFORE THE WASHINGTON
UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,

Complainant,

v.

AVISTA CORPORATION d/b/a
AVISTA UTILITIES,

Respondent.

DOCKETS UE-160228 and
UG-160229 (*Consolidated*)

EXHIBIT TO
TESTIMONY OF

DAVID C. PARCELL

ON BEHALF OF STAFF OF
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

AUS Utility Reports Electric Utility Groups-Average Common Equity Ratios

August 17, 2016

**AUS UTILITY REPORTS
ELECTRIC UTILITY GROUPS
AVERAGE COMMON EQUITY RATIOS**

Year	Electric	Combination Electric and Gas
2011	47%	46%
2012	47%	46%
2013	48%	47%
2014	47%	47%
2015	48%	46%

Note: Averages include short-term debt.

Source: AUS Utility Reports.