WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION STAFF RESPONSE TO DATA REQUEST

DATE PREPARED: September 11, 2009 WITNESS: Michael Parvinen DOCKETS: UE-090134/UG-090135 RESPONDER: Michael Parvinen REQUESTER: Avista Corp. TELEPHONE: 360-664-1315

REQUEST NO. 14: RE: Page 8, Line 1. Please identify the <u>specific</u> reduction to expenses and/or increase in revenues for <u>each</u> of the pro forma adjustments to rate base proposed by Avista that were rejected by Staff, i.e., for <u>each</u> pro forma rate base adjustment rejected by Staff, please identify and explain the specific reduction to expenses and/or increase in revenues that formed the basis for Staff rejecting the adjustment.

RESPONSE: Staff cannot identify the <u>specific</u> reduction to expenses and/or increases in revenues for each of the pro forma adjustments proposed by Avista. If Staff could identify the <u>specific</u> reductions in expenses and/or increases in revenues, an adjustment might meet the definition of a proper pro forma adjustment.