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Re: Docket No. Dockets UE-120436 et al  
Bench Requests No. 3

Dear Mr. Danner:

Please find enclosed for filing with the Commission an original and 20 copies Avista's responses to Bench Requests No. 3 issued by Administrative Law Judge Marguerite Friedlander.

Please direct any questions related to this filing to Paul Kimball at (509) 495-4584.

Sincerely,  
A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kelly Norwood".

Kelly Norwood  
Vice President State and Federal Regulation


Enclosures

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I **HEREBY CERTIFY** that I have served Avista Corporation's response to Bench Requests No. 3 in its Washington Electric and Gas General Rate Case Filing (UE-120436 et al.), by mailing a copy thereof, postage prepaid to the following:

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I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.  
Dated at Spokane, Washington this 19th day of September, 2012.

  
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 Regulatory Analyst

**AVISTA CORP.  
RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR INFORMATION**

JURISDICTION:	WASHINGTON	DATE PREPARED:	09/18/2012
CASE NO:	UE-120436 & UG-120437	WITNESS:	N/A
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**REQUEST:**

**Bench Request No. 3:** In testimony sponsored by Dave B. DeFelice, a depreciation study commissioned by Avista Corporation, and conducted by Gannett Fleming, Inc., is discussed. Mr. DeFelice states that a summary of the study is included as Exh. No. DBD-6, with additional support included in Mr. DeFelice's workpapers.1 Exhibit No. DBD-6 contains pages 1-58 and states that pages 59-616 are provided in part two of Mr. DeFelice's workpapers. Please provide part two of Mr. DeFelice's workpapers, including pages 59-616, in .pdf format. Due to its voluminous nature, please supply the requested document on a CD.

**RESPONSE:**

Please see the enclosed CD for the requested file.