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Heather Rosentrater Vice President, Energy Delivery Avista Utilities Corporation 1411 East Mission PO Box 3727 Spokane, WA 99220-3727

RE: 2019 Natural Gas Annual Review - Avista Utilities - Headquarters, (Insp. No. 7785)

Dear Ms. Rosentrater:

Staff from the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (staff) conducted a Natural Gas Annual Review Inspection of Avista Utilities (Avista) from 1/18/2019 to 10/8/2019. The inspection included a program and records review.

No apparent violations were noted as a result of the inspection. This inspection will be closed as of the date of this letter.

Staff would like to thank Avista's personnel for their professionalism and cooperation during this inspection.

If you have any questions or if we may be of any assistance, please contact Scott Rukke at (360) 870-4923.

-Sincerely,

Sean C. Mavo

Pipeline Safety Director

cc: Karen Cash, Manager Integrity Management and Compliance, Avista Utilities Michael Faulkenberry, Director of Natural Gas, Avista Utilities Randy Bareither, Pipeline Safety Engineer, Avista Utilities