

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON

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In the Matter of

AVISTA CORPORATION dba AVISTA
UTILITIES,

Request for a General Rate Revision.

COMMISSION STAFF'S
CROSS-EXAMINATION STATEMENT

Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (Staff) submits this cross-examination statement in this proceeding. Based upon the record and discovery provided at this time, Staff intends to cross examine the following witnesses:

(1) Mark Thies, Avista Corporation, for approximately 15 minutes on the topic of pension expense;

(2) Shelley J. Heier, Verus Advisory, Inc. (on behalf of Avista Corporation), for approximately 15 minutes on the topic of pension expense;

(3) Karen Schuh, Avista Corporation, for approximately 30 minutes on the topic of plant investments; and

(4) Jeffrey A. Webb, Avista Corporation, for approximately 30 minutes on the topic of plant investment.

Staff further reserves the right to ask follow-up questions of any witness who is cross-examined by another party, the Administrative Law Judge or the Commissioners.

DATED this 23rd day of November, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,

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