BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

| IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION |) | CASE NOS. AVU-E-23-01 |
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| OF AVISTA CORPORATION FOR THE |) | AVU-G-23-01 |
| AUTHORITY TO INCREASE ITS RATES |) | |
| AND CHARGES FOR ELECTRIC AND |) | |
| NATURAL GAS SERVICE TO ELECTRIC |) | ORDER NO. 36305 |
| AND NATURAL GAS CUSTOMERS IN THE |) | |
| STATE OF IDAHO |) | |
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On February 1, 2023, Avista Corporation ("Company") filed an application ("Application") with the Idaho Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") requesting authorization to increase its rates for both Electric and Natural Gas service. The Company requested a September 1, 2023, effective date.

On August 31, 2023, the Commission issued Order No. 35909 approving a Proposed Settlement. On August 31, 2023, the Company submitted updated tariffs and schedules reflecting the rates approved by the Order, which were approved by the Commission on September 18, 2023. Order No. 35927.

On June 28, 2024, the Company submitted a compliance filing with proposed tariffs establishing new rates and charges for both Electric and Natural Gas service, effective September 1, 2024, as approved by Commission Order No. 35909.

COMMISSION FINDINGS AND DECISION

The Commission has jurisdiction over the Company's Application and the issues in this case under Title 61 of the Idaho Code including *Idaho Code* §§ 61-301 through 303. The Commission is empowered to investigate rates, charges, rules, regulations, practices, and contracts of all public utilities and to determine whether they are just, reasonable, preferential, discriminatory, or in violation of any provisions of law, and to fix the same by order. *Idaho Code* §§ 61-501 through 503.

Having reviewed the record and the Company's submission, the Commission finds that the Company's tariffs and schedules filed on June 28, 2024, comply with the provision of the approved Settlement in Commission Order No. 35909.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Company's tariffs and schedules filed on June 28, 2024, are approved with an effective date of September 1, 2024.

THIS IS A FINAL ORDER. Any person interested in this Order may petition for reconsideration within twenty-one (21) days of the service date upon this Order regarding any matter decided in this Order. Within seven (7) days after any person has petitioned for reconsideration, any other person may cross-petition for reconsideration. *Idaho Code* §§ 61-626.

DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this 30^{th} day of August 2024.

ERIC ANDERSON, PRESIDENT

OHN R. HAMMOND JR., COMMISSIONER

EDWARD LODGE, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:

Monica Barrios-Sarche Commission Secretary

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