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BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF)	CASE NO.	IPC-E-18-16
IDAHO POWER COMPANY TO STUDY)		
FIXED COSTS OF PROVIDING)	PETITION OF AVISTA	
ELECTRIC SERVICE TO CUSTOMERS)	CORPORATION TO INTERVENE	

COMES NOW, Avista Corporation, hereinafter referred to as “Avista” or “Intervenor”, and pursuant to this Commission’s Rules of Procedure 72 and 73 (IDAPA 31.01.01.072 and -.073) and Order 34190 issued on November 9, 2018, hereby petitions the Commission for leave to intervene herein and to appear and participate as a party, and as grounds therefore states as follows:

1. The name and address of this Intervenor is:

Avista Corporation
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Copies of all pleadings, production requests, production responses, Commission Orders, and other documents should be provided to David J. Meyer as noted above and to:

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2. Avista is an investor-owned utility providing electric generation, transmission, and distribution services to approximately 378,000 retail customers in Washington, Idaho and Montana, and the distribution of natural gas to approximately 342,000 retail customers in Washington, Idaho and Oregon.¹ Serving as an electric utility in Northern Idaho, the outcome of this proceeding may have direct implications on Avista, and therefore we have interest in the outcome of this proceeding.
3. Avista intends to participate in a limited fashion and will not broaden the issues. Avista would seek to assist the parties and the Commission by providing any necessary data or information as may be required to develop a full record.
4. Without the opportunity to intervene herein, Avista, and its customers, may be impacted by any final resolution of the issues herein.

¹ Alaska Electric Light and Power ("AEL&P"), a wholly-owned indirect subsidiary of Avista, also provides electric generation, transmission and distribution services to approximately 17,000 retail customers in the City and Borough of Juneau, Alaska.

WHEREFORE, Avista respectfully requests that this Commission grant its Petition to Intervene in this proceeding and to appear and participate in all matters as may be necessary and appropriate.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 19th day of November, 2018.

AVISTA CORPORATION

By: 
David J. Meyer
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