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June 11, 2004

State of Idaho  
Idaho Public Utilities Commission  
Statehouse  
Boise, ID 83720

Attention: Jean Jewell, Secretary

Case No. AVU-U-04-2

Avista Corporation (Avista) respectfully requests that the Commission amend Order no. 29499 received May 12, 2004, as follows:

Please amend the number of shares of Avista's common stock that Avista is authorized to issue under the Order from not more than 3,000,000 to not more than 10,000,000, in each case where such limitation appears in the Order.

Please clarify that the Order permits Avista to offer, issue and sell up to \$250,000,000 of unsecured, fixed or floating rate bonds, notes and other evidences of indebtedness, which may be convertible into or exchangeable for shares of Avista's common stock, but also to offer, issue and sell up to and including the 10,000,000 shares of common stock (as requested in the prior paragraph) in connection with any such convertible debt or independent of any debt offering. In the event of a conversion from debt to equity, the maximum dollar amount of the converted shares would have a limit of up to \$250,000,000.

If any questions arise or additional information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact Paul Kimball at 509-495-4584.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Diane C. Thoren".

Diane C. Thoren  
Assistant Treasurer