

BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION FILED)
BY AVISTA CORPORATION FOR AN) CASE NO. AVU-E-09-04
ORDER DETERMINING THE OWNERSHIP)
OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL ATTRIBUTES)
(RECS) ASSOCIATED WITH A [PURPA])
QUALIFYING FACILITY UPON PURCHASE) ORDER NO. 30836
BY A UTILITY OF THE ENERGY)
PRODUCED BY A QUALIFYING FACILITY)

On June 4, 2009, Avista Corporation dba Avista Utilities caused to be filed with the Idaho Public Utilities Commission (Commission) a Motion for the Limited Admission of Michael G. Andrea, Esq. in Case No. AVU-E-09-04 (reference Idaho Bar Commission Rule 222; IPUC Rules of Procedure 19 and 43.05). The local Idaho counsel filing the Motion is Joseph N. Pirtle, Elam & Burke, P.A., 251 East Front Street, Suite 300, PO Box 1539, Boise, Idaho 83701.

Michael G. Andrea certifies that he is an active member in good standing with the Bar of the State of Utah and that he maintains a regular practice of law at Avista Corporation, 1411 East Mission Avenue, MSC-23, Spokane, Washington 99202. Mr. Andrea further certifies that he is not a resident of the State of Idaho or licensed to practice in Idaho and that he has not previously sought admission under IBCR 222.

Both Mr. Andrea and local counsel, Joseph N. Pirtle, certify that a copy of the Motion, accompanied by a \$200 fee, has been provided to the Idaho State Bar.

Mr. Pirtle acknowledges that as local counsel, his attendance shall be required at all proceedings before the Commission in which Mr. Andrea appears, unless specifically excused by the Commission. In this regard, Mr. Pirtle respectfully requests that the Commission excuse him from having to appear during Commission proceedings in Case No. AVU-E-09-04.

COMMISSION FINDINGS

The Commission has reviewed and considered the Motion for Limited Admission filed in Case No. AVU-E-09-04 and the related practice rules and Rules of Procedure, i.e., Idaho Bar Commission Rule 222 (Limited Admission – Pro Hac Vice) and Commission Rules of Procedure 19 and 43.05, IDAPA 31.01.01.019 and .043.05.

Based on the filings of record and certified representations of Mr. Pirtle and Mr. Andrea, we find that reasonable grounds have been demonstrated to justify the granting of limited admission of Mr. Andrea as legal counsel for Avista Corporation dba Avista Utilities in Case No. AVU-E-09-04. We further find it reasonable to excuse the appearance of Mr. Pirtle during Commission proceedings in Case No. AVU-E-09-04.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The Commission has jurisdiction in Case No. AVU-E-09-04 and the Motion for Limited Admission filed by Joseph N. Pirtle, local counsel, and Michael G. Andrea, applying counsel, pursuant to Idaho Code, Title 61, and the Commission's Rules of Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.000 *et seq.*

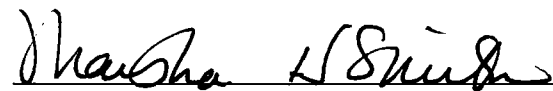
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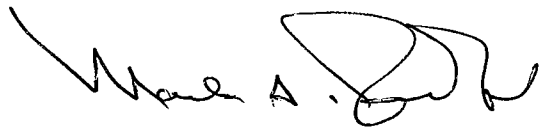
In consideration of the foregoing and as more particularly described above, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED and Michael G. Andrea is hereby granted limited admission in Case No. AVU-E-09-04 as legal counsel for the petitioner, Avista Corporation dba Avista Utilities.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the attendance of Joseph N. Pirtle is excused from having to appear during Commission proceedings in Case No. AVU-E-09-04.

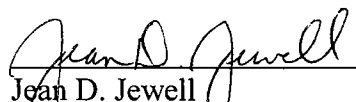
DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this 16th
day of June 2009.


JIM D. KEMPTON, PRESIDENT


MARSHA H. SMITH, COMMISSIONER


MACK A. REDFORD, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:


Jean D. Jewell
Commission Secretary

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