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BEFORE THE
IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE POWER COST
ADJUSTMENT (PCA) ANNUAL RATE
ADJUSTMENT FILING OF AVISTA
CORPORATION

CASE NO. AVU-E-10-03

PETITION TO INTERVENE
OF CLEARWATER PAPER
CORPORATION

COMES NOW, The CLEARWATER PAPER CORPORATION, hereinafter referred to as "Intervenor," and pursuant to this Commission's Rules of Procedure, Rule 71 IDAPA 31.01.01.71 hereby petitions the Commission for leave to intervene herein and to appear and participate herein as a party, and as grounds therefore states as follows:

1. The name and address of this Intervenor is:

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Copies of all pleadings, production requests, production responses, Commission orders and other documents and correspondence should be provided to Peter J. Richardson as noted above and to:

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with electronic copies to Mr. Gregory Adams, greg@richardsonandoleary.com, and to Dr. Don Reading, dreading@mindspring.com.

2. This Intervenor, the Clearwater Paper Corporation is a customer of Avista Corporation (“Avista”) and receives electric and natural gas utility services from Avista pursuant to Tariff I.P.U.C. No. 28 (Electric) and Tariff I.P.U.C. No. 27 (Natural Gas). Clearwater Paper Corporation claims a direct and substantial interest in this proceeding in that its rates for service from Avista may be affected by the outcome of this proceeding.

3. This Intervenor intends to participate herein as a party, and if necessary, to introduce evidence, cross-examine witnesses, call and examine witnesses, and be heard in argument. The nature and quality of evidence which this Intervenor will introduce is dependent upon the nature and effect of other evidence in this proceeding.

4. Without the opportunity to intervene herein, this Intervenor would be without any means of participation in this proceeding which may have a material impact on its electric and natural gas rates and the terms and conditions of such service.

5. Granting this Intervenor's petition to intervene will not unduly broaden the issues nor will it prejudice any party to this case.

WHEREFORE, the Clearwater Paper Corporation respectfully requests that this Commission grant its Petition to Intervene in these proceedings and to appear and participate in all matters as may be necessary and appropriate; and to present evidence, call and examine witnesses, present argument and to otherwise fully participate in these proceedings.

DATED this 3rd day of August 2010.

RICHARDSON AND O'LEARY, PLLC

By: 

Peter J. Richardson
Attorneys for Clearwater Paper
Corporation

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on the 3rd day of August, 2010, a true and correct copy of the within and foregoing PETITION TO INTERVENE BY CLEARWATER PAPER CORPORATION was served as shown to:

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