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Please stop the sale of Avista

Please protect the customers of Avista. Hydro one is \$350 Billion in debt and they are looking to buy Avista to bail themselves out at the expense of the Avista customers. This sale would give to a foreign government control of water rights and 13 Damns. 375,000 customers, plus the subsidiaries of Avista such a 2 gold mines in Alaska with the value of 2 billion and many lands owned by Avista plus the miles of lines and power production. Avista has good customer service. Compares to Hydro One has very poor customer service with many black outs. The rates for customers of hydro one are for electric plus 70% surcharge to supplement wind power plus disruptions fees, three times Avista rates. . Costs like that would be a disaster for the economy of North Idaho. No matter what is being said now in time they will raise rates. Please protect us as your commission is charged to do and prevent this sale.

Thank You

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