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State of Idaho
Idaho Public Utilities Commission
Statehouse
Boise ID 83720

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Attention: Jean D. Jewell, Secretary

RE: Filing requirements under Order No. 29947 and Order No. 30036

Enclosed is Exhibit A, which is quarterly status report for December 31, 2010 as required under Order No. 29947 and Order No. 30036. If any questions arise or additional information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact Damien Lysiak at 509-495-2097.

Sincerely,

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

Diane Thoren
Treasurer

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Cost of Capital as of December 31, 2010

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	Amount	Percent of Total Capital	Cost	Component
Total Debt	1,139,100,000	49.86%	5.99%	2.99%
Common Equity	1,145,424,056	50.14%	10.50%	5.26%
TOTAL	\$2,284,524,056	100.00%		8.25%

Consolidated

Key Financial Data Available on Avista Corp's 10-K

	12-31-2010	12-31-2009	12-31-2008	12-31-2007
Consolidated Net Income	92,425,000	87,071,000	73,620,000	38,475,000
Consolidated EPS**	1.65	1.58	1.36	0.72
Dividend Payout Ratio	60.40%	51.11%	50.64%	138.44%
Common Shares Outstanding***	55,824,000	54,942,000	54,028,000	53,263,000
<u>S&P Financial Ratios*</u>				
Funds from operations (FFO) / Interest Expense	4.21	4.33	4.04	2.95
Funds from operations (FFO) / Debt	18.23%	19.76%	18.50%	15.20%

* Ratios provided by S&P's Global Credit Portal

** Earnings per common share attributable to Avista Corporation, diluted

*** Weighted-average common shares outstanding (thousands), diluted