Decision No. R14-1283-I

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

PROCEEDING NO. 14F-0516G

CARESTREAM HEALTH LLC,

COMPLAINANT,

V.

XCEL ENERGEY DOING BUSINESS AS PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF COLORADO,

RESPONDENT.

INTERIM DECISION OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE ROBERT I. GARVEY SETTING PREHEARING CONFERENCE

Mailed Date: October 24, 2014

I. <u>STATEMENT</u>

1. On May 20, 2014, Carestream Health LLC (Carestream) filed a Complaint against

Xcel Energy, doing business as Public Service Company of Colorado (Public Service). That filing commenced this proceeding.

2. On May 28, 2014 a hearing was set in this matter for August 11, 2014.

3. On May 28, 2014, by Minute Order, the Commission referred this matter to an Administrative Law Judge.

4. On June 17, 2014, Public Service filed their Answer to the Complaint (Answer). The Answer included both specific and general denials of the allegations in the Complaint and put this proceeding at issue.

5. On June 20, 2014, by Interim Decision R14-0673-I, the evidentiary hearing was vacated and a prehearing conference was scheduled for July 8, 2014. At the prehearing conference the parties agreed to a procedural schedule.

6. The procedural schedule called for an evidentiary hearing to be held November 19, 20, and 21, 2014.

7. On October 15, 2014, Carestream filed its Unopposed Motion to Reschedule Hearing (Motion). In the Motion, Carestream states that due to the departure of an attorney from its law firm, counsel for Carestream is now unavailable for the scheduled hearing. Carestream proposes that the evidentiary hearing be rescheduled for January 12, 13, and 14, 2015. Carestream states that Public Service has no objection to the Motion.

8. On October 17, 2014, Public Service filed its Response to Unopposed Motion to Reschedule Hearing (Response). In its Response, Public Service states that it agreed to reschedule the evidentiary hearing if the deadline for discovery requests remains at November 9, 2014. Public Service does not state if Carestream objects to this condition.

9. Since the positions of the parties are unclear concerning the request to reschedule the hearing, a prehearing conference shall be held to determine the status of the above captioned proceeding.

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II. <u>ORDER</u>

A. It Is Ordered That:

- 1. A prehearing conference in this matter is scheduled as follows:
- DATE: November 10, 2014
- TIME: 9:30 a.m.
- PLACE: Commission Hearing Room 1560 Broadway, Suite 250 Denver, Colorado
- 2. This Decision is effective immediately.



THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

ROBERT I. GARVEY

Administrative Law Judge

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Doug Dean, Director