

Decision No. C23-0802-I

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

PROCEEDING NO. 23A-0392EG

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF COLORADO FOR APPROVAL OF ITS 2024-2028 CLEAN HEAT PLAN.

**INTERIM COMMISSION DECISION
GRANTING REQUEST FOR CLARIFICATION OF
DECISION NO. C23-0729**

Mailed Date: December 4, 2023
Adopted Date: November 29, 2023

I. BY THE COMMISSION

A. Statement

1. Through this Decision, we clarify that Decision No. C23-0729 is an interim decision of the Commission.

B. Discussion

2. On August 1, 2023, Public Service Company of Colorado (the Company or Public Service) filed its Clean Heat Plan Application (Application), which requests that the Commission approve the Company's proposed 2024-2028 Clean Heat Plan (Clean Heat Plan).

3. On October 26, 2023, the Commission issued Decision No. C23-0729, which denied the Motion for Partial Summary Judgment filed by City of Boulder, Colorado Renewable Energy Society, Colorado Solar and Storage Association, Natural Resources Defense Council, Physicians for Social Responsibility Colorado, Sierra Club, Solar Energy Industries Association, Southwest Energy Efficiency Project, Utility Consumer Advocate, and Western Resource Advocates on September 6, 2023.

4. On November 16, 2023, Public Service filed a request for clarification of Decision No. C23-0729 or in the alternative, a request that the Commission grant rehearing, reargument, or reconsideration (RRR) for the limited purpose of making Decision No. C23-0729 an interim decision.

5. Public Service requests the Commission clarify that Decision No. C23-0729 was an interim decision, which the Company believes was the Commission's intent. The Company requests that the Commission make clear that Decision No. C23-0729 was an interim one so that all parties who wish to preserve their rights with respect to the findings and conclusions in the Decision No. C23-0729 can raise any related issues through RRR at the conclusion of this Proceeding.

6. We clarify that Commission Decision No. C23-0729 was an interim Commission decision. We therefore grant the Company's request for clarification and deem its alternative application for RRR on the same issue moot.

II. ORDER

A. The Commission Orders That:

1. The request for clarification filed by Public Service Company of Colorado on November 16, 2023, is granted.

2. Commission Decision No. C23-0729, issued on October 27, 2023, is an interim Commission decision.

3. This Decision is effective on its Mailed Date.

**B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING
November 29, 2023.**

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Rebecca E. White,
Director

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