

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

PROCEEDING NO. 25AL-0407E

IN THE MATTER OF ADVICE LETTER NO. 1993 - ELECTRIC FILED BY PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF COLORADO TO REVISE ITS COLORADO P.U.C. NO. 8 - ELECTRIC TARIFF TO EXTEND ELIGIBILITY FOR THE COMPANY'S INTERCONNECTION PRO RATA COST SHARING PROGRAM FROM COMMUNITY SOLAR GARDENS TO FRONT OF THE METER, DISTRIBUTION-CONNECTED RENEWABLE ENERGY RESOURCES, TO BECOME EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 26, 2025.

**INTERIM COMMISSION DECISION GRANTING
REQUEST FOR ALTERNATIVE FORM OF NOTICE**

Issued Date: October 9, 2025

Adopted Date: October 1, 2025

I. BY THE COMMISSION

A. Statement, Findings, and Conclusions

1. On September 26, 2025, Public Service Company of Colorado ("Public Service" or the "Company") filed a Motion for Commission Approval of an Alternative Form of Notice ("Motion") to apply to Public Service's filing of Advice Letter No. 1993 - Electric to revise its Colorado P.U.C. No. 8 – Electric Tariff ("Electric Tariff") to comply with the Unanimous Comprehensive Settlement Agreement in Proceeding No. 25AL-0059E as approved by Recommended Decision No. R25-0615. The tariff is proposed to be effective on October 26, 2025.

2. Public Service moves pursuant to § 40-3-104(1)(c)(I)(E), C.R.S., and Rule 1207(b), 4 *Colorado Code of Regulations* ("CCR") 723-1, to provide alternative forms of notice for the Company's filing to its customers. Public Service requests Commission approval to use the following forms of notice:

- Publishing a digital ad for one full week in *The Denver Post* and in *The Colorado Sun*, newspapers of general circulation for Public Service's service territory. The digital ad will link to the Company's public website and notice of the tariff revision.

3. Public Service maintains that good cause exists for the Commission to approve the proposed alternative forms of notice, and this will avoid incurring the expenses associated with other forms of statutory notice. The Company concludes the proposed alternative forms of notice will be sufficient to alert affected and interested parties to the changes the Company is proposing.

4. Pursuant to § 40-3-104(1)(c)(I)(E), C.R.S., and 4 CCR 723-1-1207(b) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, a utility may request to provide alternative forms of notice of a tariff change. We find the alternative forms of notice the Company proposes in the Motion will provide sufficient notice in an efficient manner. We therefore find good cause to approve the alternative forms of notice that the Company requests. However, we note that § 40-3-104(1)(c)(I), C.R.S., requires a utility to conspicuously display the notice on its public website, including a reference to the docket numbers of relevant rules or adjudicatory matter, for at least thirty days. The Motion states "[t]he Company will continue to file the tariff changes with the Commission and post the notice on the Company's public website," but does not state for how long or reference § 40-3-104(1)(c)(I), C.R.S. Public Service also included an Attachment 2 titled "Legal Notice" to its Motion that is not referenced in the Motion. We construe the inclusion of Attachment 2 to the Motion to mean that the Company intends to also post the notice to its website in accordance with § 40-3-104(1)(c)(I), C.R.S.

II. ORDER

A. It Is Ordered That:

1. The Motion for Commission Approval of an Alternative Form of Notice, filed by Public Service Company of Colorado on September 26, 2025, is granted.

2. Public Service Company of Colorado shall also post notice to its website in accordance with § 40-3-104(1)(c)(I), C.R.S.

3. This Decision is effective upon its Issued Date.

**B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING
October 1, 2025.**

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