Decision No. C25-0754-I

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

PROCEEDING NO. 25AL-0415E

IN THE MATTER OF ADVICE LETTER NO. 1994 - ELECTRIC FILED BY PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF COLORADO TO REVISE ITS COLORADO P.U.C. NO. 8 - ELECTRIC TARIFF TO INCREASE THE TRANSPORTATION ELECTRIFICATION PROGRAMS ADJUSTMENT (TEPA), TO BECOME EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2026.

INTERIM COMMISSION DECISION GRANTING REQUEST FOR ALTERNATIVE FORM OF NOTICE

Issued Date:

October 20, 2025

Adopted Date: October 8, 2025

I. <u>BY THE COMMISSION</u>

A. Statement, Findings, and Conclusions

1. On October 1, 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 the Company's filing of Advice Letter No. 1994 to revise its Transportation

Electrification Programs Adjustment ("TEPA") pursuant to the terms and conditions described on

Sheet Nos. 146B through 146C of the Company's TEPA tariff in P.U.C. No. 8 – Electric tariff.

2. Public Service moves pursuant to § 40-3-104(1)(c)(I)(E), C.R.S., and Rule 1207(b),

4 Code of Colorado 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 legal notice on the Company's Transportation Electrification Plan

webpage.

• Publishing a digital ad for one full week in *The Denver Post* and *The Colorado Sun*.

- 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 required by § 40-3-104(1)(a), C.R.S. on its public website, including a reference to the docket numbers of relevant rules or adjudicatory matter, for at least thirty days. While 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 Transportation Electrification Plan webpage," it does not state for how long or reference § 40-3-104(1)(c)(I), C.R.S. We construe the Motion to mean that the Company intends to post the legal 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 October 1, 2025, is granted.

2. This Decision is effective upon its Issued Date.

B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING October 8, 2025.

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