(Decision No. C93-198)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE JOINT
APPLICATION OF PUBLIC SERVICE
COMPANY OF COLORADO; THE OFFICE
OF CONSUMER COUNSEL; THE OFFICE
OF ENERGY CONSERVATION; AND THE
LAND AND WATER FUND OF THE
ROCKIES FOR COMMISSION CONSIDERATION OF DECOUPLING REVENUES
FROM SALES AND THE ESTABLISHMENT
OF REGULATORY INCENTIVES TO
ENCOURAGE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF
DSM PROGRAMS.

DOCKET NO. 91A-480EG

ORDER DENYING APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING, REARGUMENT, OR RECONSIDERATION

Mailed Date: February 19, 1993 Adopted Date: February 17, 1993

STATEMENT

BY THE COMMISSION:

On February 2 and 3, 1993, Commission Staff, the Office of Consumer Counsel ("OCC"), Public Service Company of Colorado ("Public Service"), Multiple Intervenors, CF&I Steel Corporation ("CF&I"), and Climax Molybdenum Company ("Climax") filed applications for rehearing, reargument, or reconsideration ("RRR") of Commission Decision No. C93-38. Having considered the applications and now being duly advised in the premises, the applications are denied.

In its Statement in lieu of an application for RRR, Staff requests that the Commission inform parties in Docket No. 93S-001EG of the Commission's intent to investigate decoupling issues (i.e., issues discussed in Decision No. C93-38) in that proceeding. We note that our order of suspension in Docket No. 93S-001EG, Decision No. C93-144, contains the notification requested by Staff. The OCC's application and the joint request for RRR suggest that decoupling issues not be considered in Docket No. 93S-001EG, but, rather, that these issues be investigated in a separate docket. We

Public Service, CF&I, Multiple Intervenors, and Climax jointly filed their application for reconsideration. Staff filed a Statement in lieu of an application for RRR. In ruling upon the statement, we have construed it as an application for reconsideration.

deny these requests. The parties may renew these requests at an appropriate time in Docket No. 93S-001EG (e.g., at the prehearing conference).

THEREFORE THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

The applications for rehearing, reargument, or reconsideration of Decision No. C93-38 are hereby denied.

This Order is effective on its Mailed Date.

ADOPTED IN OPEN MEETING February 17, 1993.

(SEAL)

Bruce N. Smith

Executive Secretary

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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