

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

DOCKET NO. 02S-315EG

RE: THE INVESTIGATION AND SUSPENSION OF TARIFF SHEETS FILED BY PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF COLORADO ADVICE LETTER NO. 1373 – ELECTRIC, ADVICE LETTER NO. 593 – GAS, AND ADVICE LETTER NO. 80 - STEAM.

**ORDER OF THE COMMISSION FURTHER
SUSPENDING EFFECTIVE DATE OF TARIFFS**

Mailed Date: January 16, 2003

Adopted Date: January 15, 2003

I. BY THE COMMISSION

A. Statement

1. By Ordering Paragraph No. 1 in Decision No. C02-640, the effective date of the tariff sheets filed by Public Service Company of Colorado on May 31, 2002 under its Advice Letter Nos. 1373 - Electric, 593 - Gas, and 80 - Steam was suspended for 120 days, until October 29, 2002, or until further order of the Commission.

2. On August 15, 2002, Public Service Company of Colorado filed amendments to the advice letters under suspension in this docket to postpone the proposed effective date of the tariff sheets to allow additional time for the investigation of the issues involved in this docket.

3. By Ordering Paragraph No. 1 in Decision No. C02-967, the effective date of the tariff sheets as modified by the filing of Advice Letter Nos. 1373 – Electric – Amended, 593 – Gas – Amended, and 80 – Steam – Amended, filed on August 15, 2002, was suspended for 120 days until January 29, 2003, or until further order of the Commission.

B. Findings of Fact

4. The Commission finds that its consideration of this matter will not be completed before January 29, 2003, and it is therefore necessary to suspend the effective date of these tariffs for an additional 90 days, or until further order of the Commission.

II. ORDER**A. The Commission Orders That:**

1. The effective date of the tariff sheets filed by Public Service Company of Colorado, on May 31, 2002 under its Advice Letter Nos. 1373 – Electric, 593 – Gas, and 80 – Steam, as modified by Advice Letter Nos. 1373 – Electric – Amended, 593 – Gas – Amended, and 80 – Steam – Amended, filed August 15, 2002, is further suspended for 90 days until April 29, 2003, or until further order of the Commission.

2. This Order is effective on its Mailed Date.

**B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING
January 15, 2003.**

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ATTEST: A TRUE COPY

**Bruce N. Smith
Director**

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
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CHAIRMAN RAYMOND L. GIFFORD
ABSENT.

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