

Decision No. C03-0305

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

DOCKET NO. 02S-574G

RE: THE INVESTIGATION AND SUSPENSION OF TARIFF SHEETS FILED BY PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF COLORADO WITH ADVICE LETTER NO. 598-GAS.

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

Mailed Date: March 26, 2003
Adopted Date: March 26, 2003

I. BY THE COMMISSION

A. Statement

1. By Ordering Paragraph No. 1 in Decision No. C02-1217, the effective date of the tariff sheets filed by Public Service Company of Colorado (Public Service) on September 30, 2002 under its Advice Letter No. 598 - Gas was suspended for 120 days, until February 28, 2003, or until further order of the Commission.

2. By Ordering Paragraph No. 1 in Decision No. C03-0024, the effective date of the tariff sheets filed by Public Service on September 30, 2002 under its Advice Letter No. 598 - Gas as modified by Advice Letter No. 598 – Gas-Amended, filed December 20, 2002, was suspended until April 4, 2003, or until further order of the Commission.

B. Findings of Fact

3. The Commission finds that its consideration of this matter will not be completed before April 4, 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 September 30, 2002 under its Advice Letter No. 598 - Gas, as modified by Advice Letter No. 598 – Gas-Amended, filed December 20, 2002, is further suspended for 90 days until July 7, 2003, or until further order of the Commission.

2. This Order is effective on its Mailed Date.

**B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING
March 26, 2003.****(S E A L)****ATTEST: A TRUE COPY**

Bruce N. Smith
Director

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

GREGORY E. SOPKIN

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Commissioners

COMMISSIONER POLLY PAGE ABSENT.

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