Decision No. C25-0720

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

PROCEEDING NO. 25AL-0380E

IN THE MATTER OF ADVICE LETTER NO. 1990 - ELECTRIC FILED BY PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF COLORADO TO REVISE ITS COLORADO P.U.C. NO. 8 - ELECTRIC TARIFF TO CORRECT A TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR IN THE ELECTRIC AFFORDABILITY PROGRAM TARIFF SHEETS, TO BECOME EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 18, 2025.

INTERIM COMMISSION DECISION GRANTING

REQUEST FOR ALTERNATIVE FORM OF NOTICE

Issued Date: October 3, 2025

Adopted Date: September 24, 2025

I. BY THE COMMISSION

> Α. Statement, Findings, and Conclusions

1. On September 17, 2025, Public Service Company of Colorado (the "Company")

filed a Motion for Approval of Alternative Form of Notice ("Motion") to apply to

the Company's Advice Letter No. 1990-Electric to revise the Electricity Affordability Program

("EAP") in the Company's Colorado P.U.C. No. 8-Electric Tariff ("Electric Tariff") to be effective

October 18, 2025.

2. The Company states that on July 2, 2025, it previously filed Advice Letter No.

1984-Electric in Proceeding No. 25AL-0294E proposing revisions to its Electric Tariff, which took

effect on August 2, 2025. The Company states the revisions updated the EAP tariff pursuant to the

requirements set forth in Decision No. C25-0247 in Proceeding No. 25M-0149EG. The Company

states the tariff revisions did not affect the rates for any customers and therefore had no bill impact

or change in revenues. The Company explains that, on September 17, 2025, and concurrently with

this Motion, it filed Advice Letter No. 1990-Electric to correct a typographical error in the Company's EAP tariff sheets updated in Proceeding No. 25AL-0294E. The Company states the entire table of EAP charges on Sheet No. 116G was inadvertently replaced with an outdated version of the table of EAP charges, from an earlier version of the tariff. The Company states the correct EAP charges were approved in Proceeding No. 23AL-0176E and have remained unchanged since then. The Company states Advice Letter No. 1990-Electric replaces the affected tariff Sheet No. 116G.

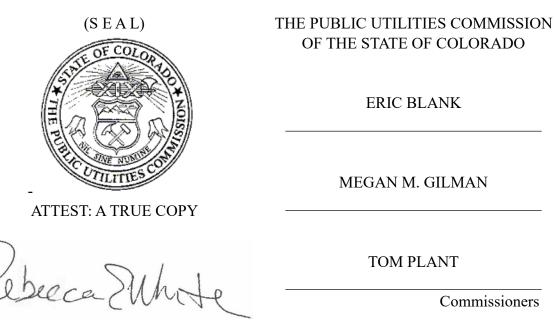
- 3. The Company moves pursuant to § 40-3-104(1)(c)(I)(E), C.R.S., and Rule 1207(b) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 4 *Code of Colorado Regulations* ("CCR") 723-1, to provide alternative forms of notice for the Company's filing to its customers. The Company requests Commission approval to use the following forms of notice:
  - Digital ad publication in *The Denver Post* and *The Colorado Sun* newspapers. The digital ad publication would link customers to Xcel Energy's "Customer Notices & Regulatory News" webpage, which provides noticing of recent regulatory proposals and customer updates. The digital ad would run for one week, from September 18 through September 24, 2025
- 4. The Company maintains good cause exists for the Commission to approve the proposed alternative forms of notice and that it will avoid incurring the expenses entailed in 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 tariff changes the Company is proposing, including by providing notice of the estimated impact on average customers.
- 5. Pursuant to § 40-3-104(1)(c)(I)(E), C.R.S., and Rule 1207(b) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 4 CCR 723-1, 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 to its customers and will do so efficiently. We therefore find good cause to approve the alternative forms of notice that the Company requests.<sup>1</sup>

## II. ORDER

## A. It Is Ordered That:

- 1. The Motion for Approval of Alternative Form of Notice, filed by Public Service Company of Colorado, on September 17, 2025, is granted.
  - 2. This Decision is effective upon its Issued Date.
  - B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING September 24, 2025.



Rebecca E. White, Director

 $<sup>^{1}</sup>$  We also expect that the Company will post the legal notice on its public website and keep the filing open for public inspection pursuant to  $\S$  40-3-104(1)(c)(I), C.R.S..