Decision No. C25-0870-I

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

PROCEEDING NO. 25AL-0494E

IN THE MATTER OF ADVICE LETTER NO. 2006 - ELECTRIC FILED BY PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF COLORADO TO REVISE ITS COLORADO P.U.C. NO. 8 - ELECTRIC TARIFF TO INCREASE BASE RATES FOR ALL ELECTRIC RATES SCHEDULES AND TO MAKE OTHER TARIFF CHANGES, TO BECOME EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 22, 2025.

> INTERIM COMMISSION DECISION GRANTING REQUEST FOR ALTERNATIVE FORM OF NOTICE

> > Issued Date:

December 3, 2025

Adopted Date: November 26, 2025

I. **BY THE COMMISSION**

> A. Statement, Findings, and Conclusions

1. On November 21, 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 Public Service's Advice No. 2006 – Electric, which is a Phase I rate case

filing to revise rates for all electric services and to make additional tariff changes in the Company's

Colorado P.U.C. No. 8 – Electric tariff as explained in more detail therein and as supported by the

Company's Direct Testimony and attachments filed concurrently therewith ("2025 Electric

Phase I Rate Case").

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 form of notice for the

Company's filing to its customers. Public Service requests Commission approval to use the

following form of notice:

- Publishing a legal notice through digital ad publication in *The Denver Post* via two homepage takeovers, which gives the Company 100 percent ownership of the ad spots on the publication's homepage for 24 hours, on December 1 and December 8.
- Posting a copy of the entire 2025 Electric Rate Case filing on the Company's public website
- Providing the customer bill onsert to Public Service's retail electric customers with all mailed and e-billed customer bills during a regular billing cycle over the course of approximately five (5) weeks
- Providing an email within the first twenty (20) days of the thirty (30) day noticing period to all retail electric customers for whom the Company has an email address and who have elected to receive email notifications from the Company
- Providing notice of this Motion via e-filings to the parties to Proceeding No. 22AL-0530E, the Company's last Phase I Electric Rate Case
- 3. Public Service maintains that good cause exists for the Commission to approve the proposed alternative form of notice, and this will avoid incurring the expenses associated with other forms of statutory notice. The Company concludes the proposed alternative form 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.

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 November 21, 2025, is granted.

- 2. This Decision is effective upon its Issued Date.
- B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING November 26, 2025.



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COMMISSIONER MEGAN M. GILLAM ABSENT

Rebecca E. White, Director