Decision No. C14-1481

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

PROCEEDING NO. 14M-1160E

IN THE MATTER OF THE REPORT ON POTENTIAL STORAGE OPTIONS FOR PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF COLORADO'S ELECTRIC SYSTEM.

DECISION OPENING PROCEEDING TO RECEIVE COMPLIANCE REPORT ON STORAGE OPTIONS

Mailed Date: December 16, 2014 Adopted Date: December 3, 2014

I. BY THE COMMISSION

A. Statement, Findings, and Conclusions

- 1. By Decision No. C13-1566, issued December 20, 2013 in Proceeding No. 11A-869E, the Commission ordered Public Service Company of Colorado (Public Service) to prepare a report on potential storage options for its electric system and present it to the Commission in a new proceeding.¹
- 2. We find that opening a proceeding for the purpose of receiving the report will assist the Commission and facilitate convenient access to the information by members of the public in advance of Public Service's next Electric Resource Plan application filing due October 31, 2015.

¹ Decision No. C13-1566, ordering paragraph 3.

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II. **ORDER**

A. **The Commission Orders That:**

- 1. A miscellaneous proceeding shall be opened for the purpose of receiving a report from Public Service Company of Colorado on potential storage options for its electric system in accordance with Decision No. C13-1566.
 - 2. This Decision is effective on its Mailed Date.

B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING **December 3, 2014.**

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ATTEST: A TRUE COPY

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners

CHAIRMAN JOSHUA B. EPEL ABSENT.

Doug Dean, Director