

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO**

DOCKET NO. 04A-275G

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APPLICATION OF PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF COLORADO FOR RELIEF FROM CERTAIN TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE STIPULATION AND AGREEMENT ADOPTED IN DOCKET NO. 92A-352G PERTAINING TO THE HOLDING OF GAS GATHERING CAPACITY UPSTREAM OF ITS TIFFANY COMPRESSOR STATION IN LA PLATA COUNTY, COLORADO.

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**INTERIM ORDER OF  
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE  
WILLIAM J. FRITZEL  
GRANTING UNOPPOSED MOTION  
TO VACATE PREHEARING CONFERENCE  
AND FOR ADOPTION OF STIPULATED  
PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE, SETTING  
HEARING, AND WAIVING RESPONSE TIME**

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Mailed Date: August 30, 2004

**I. STATEMENT**

1. On August 24, 2004, Public Service Company of Colorado (Public Service) filed an Unopposed Motion to Vacate Prehearing Conference and for Adoption of Stipulated Procedural Schedule and Request for Waiver of Response Time.

2. Public Service states that the motion is unopposed and requests a waiver of response time.

3. The Unopposed Motion will be granted.

**II. ORDER**

**A. It Is Ordered That:**

1. The prehearing conference scheduled for August 24, 2004 is vacated.

2. The stipulated procedural schedule submitted by Public Service Company of Colorado is adopted.

Answer testimony of Staff and Intervenors is due on or before September 17, 2004

Rebuttal testimony of Public Service and cross-answer testimony of Staff and Intervenors is due on or before October 1, 2004.

3. Response time to discovery served on Public Service Company of Colorado by Staff of the Commission and Intervenors prior to the filing of answer testimony is shortened to seven calendar days.

4. Response time to discovery served concerning answer testimony and exhibits and rebuttal testimony and exhibits is shortened to five calendar days, except for discovery served afternoon on any Friday, in which case the five calendar days will be calculated from the next business day.

5. The hearing of this matter is scheduled as follows:

DATE: October 13, 2004

TIME: 1:00 p.m.

PLACE: Commission Hearing Room  
1580 Logan Street, OL2  
Denver, Colorado

DATE: October 14, 2004

TIME: 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Commission Hearing Room  
1580 Logan Street, OL2  
Denver, Colorado

6. Response time to the motion is waived.

7. This Order is effective immediately.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Administrative Law Judge