

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

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IN THE MATTER OF ADVICE NO. 1854-)	
ELECTRIC FILED BY PUBLIC SERVICE)	
COMPANY OF COLORADO TO REVISE)	PROCEEDING NO. 21AL-0XXXE
ITS REVENUE DECOUPLING)	
ADJUSTMENT (“RDA”) PILOT TARIFF)	
EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2021)	

**MOTION OF PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF COLORADO FOR
COMMISSION APPROVAL OF AN ALTERNATIVE FORM OF NOTICE**

Pursuant to Colo. Rev. Stat. § 40-3-104(1)(c)(I)(E) and Rule 1207(b), 4 Code of Colorado Regulations (“CCR”) 723-1, Public Service Company of Colorado (“Public Service” or the “Company”) hereby moves the Colorado Public Utilities Commission (“Commission”) to approve an alternative form of notice that will apply to Public Service’s Advice Letter and tariff filing to revise the Revenue Decoupling Adjustment (“RDA”) Pilot tariff (“RDA Pilot Tariff”) in its Colorado P.U.C. No. 8 – Electric tariff, effective June 1, 2021. In support of this Motion, Public Service states as follows:

1. On April 20, 2021, the Company filed Advice No. 1854 – Electric to revise the RDA Pilot Tariff in the Company’s Colorado P.U.C. No. 8 - Electric tariff (the “RDA Filing”).
2. Specifically, Public Service proposes to revise the RDA Pilot Tariff to place into effect updated RDA rates for Residential and Small Commercial customers, effective June 1, 2021, as more fully set forth in the RDA Filing.

3. The legal notice the Company proposes to provide is set forth in Exhibit 1 to this Motion. In addition to posting the legal notice on its website¹ and keeping the filing open for public inspection as mandated by C.R.S. § 40-3-104(1)(c)(I), Public Service is seeking Commission approval to use the following alternative forms of notice:

- a. Publishing a legal notice, in the form attached hereto as Exhibit 1, in the *Denver Post* on one (1) weekday for two (2) consecutive weeks;
- b. Posting a copy of the RDA filing package on the Company's website;
- c. Providing the Bill Onsert attached hereto as Exhibit 2 to Residential and Small Commercial customers, and emailing the Bill Onsert to Online View and Pay customers;² and
- d. Emailing a link to the RDA Filing to all intervenors in the Commission's E-filing System certificate of service in Proceeding No. 19AL-0268E, the Company's 2019 Phase I Electric Rate Case proceeding.

4. Providing notice of the proposed tariff changes through publication in the Legal Classified section of the *Denver Post* is less costly than the procedures prescribed by statute. Newspaper notice is a reasonable form of notice for this filing because it provides nearly all customers the opportunity to obtain notice of the filing.

5. The alternative forms of notice listed above will provide direct notice to all Residential and Small Commercial customers, as well as parties who participated in the Company's 2019 Phase I Electric Rate Case proceeding, through which the Commission ordered implementation of the RDA Pilot and RDA Pilot Tariff. Additionally, the

¹ https://www.xcelenergy.com/company/rates_and_regulations/filings

² "Online View and Pay" customers are a subset of customers who receive paperless billing, but are not in the Company's MyAccount system.

newspaper notice will provide the required information regarding the RDA Filing to the general public. The proposed alternative notice should be sufficient to alert affected and interested parties of the changes that the Company is proposing by its Advice Letter in a timely fashion. As such, there is good cause for the alternative form of notice requested by this Motion.

WHEREFORE, Public Service respectfully requests that the Commission approve the alternative forms of notice set forth in this Motion pursuant to §40-3-104(1)(c)(I)(E), C.R.S., and Rule 1207(b).

Dated this 20th of April 2021.

Respectfully submitted,

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