

BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO PUBLIC REGULATION COMMISSION

**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PUBLIC)
SERVICE COMPANY OF NEW MEXICO FOR)
REVISION OF ITS RETAIL ELECTRIC RATES)
PURSUANT TO ADVICE NOTICE NO. 595)**

Docket No. 22-00270-UT

ORDER LIMITING EXCEPTIONS

THIS MATTER comes before the New Mexico Public Regulation Commission (“Commission”) upon its own motion. The Commission has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to 1.2.2.30(B) NMAC and 1.2.2.37(C) NMAC. Wherefore, being duly informed, the Commission shall shorten the period for filing exceptions and responses to exceptions.

DISCUSSION

1. On December 8, 2023, the Hearing Examiners issued the “Recommended Decision” in this Docket thereby commencing the timeline for filing exceptions.

2. Pursuant to 1.2.2.37(C) NMAC, parties may file exceptions within 13 days of the filing of the Recommended Decision. Additionally, parties may file responses to exceptions within eight days of the filing of exceptions. 1.2.2.37(C) NMAC. And parties shall not file replies to responses without leave of the Commission. *Id.*

3. Based on the Commission’s rules, parties would be allowed to file exceptions on December 21, 2023, and responses on December 29, 2023. However, the Commission has authority to alter the filing timeline. *See id.*

4. Pursuant to statute, the Commission suspended the operation of proposed rates for 12 months “beyond the time when the rates would otherwise go into effect” NMSA 1978, § 62-8-7 (2011). The latest date by which the Commission may take final action is January 4, 2024.

5. Thus, under the rules, the Commission would have merely thirteen days to evaluate exceptions, and five days to evaluate responses to exceptions (with intervening holidays), before

issuing a final order. Given the breadth of the issues in this Docket, the comprehensive Recommended Decision, and the amount of exceptions and responses that are likely to be filed, the Commission finds that it is necessary and prudent to limit the time for filing exceptions.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- A. Parties may file exceptions to the Recommended Decision by **December 15, 2023**.
- B. Parties may file responses to exceptions by **December 20, 2023**.
- C. Parties shall not file replies to responses to exceptions.
- D. Exceptions and responses to exceptions shall otherwise strictly conform to the requirements of 1.2.2.37(C) NMAC or they may be subject to rejection.
- E. This Order is issued by a single Commissioner as authorized by and 1.2.2.30(B) NMAC of the Commission's Rules on Procedure.
- F. A copy of this Order shall be served upon all persons listed on the attached Certificate of Service by e-mail, if e-mail addresses are known, or by regular mail.
- G. This Order is effective immediately.

ISSUED under the Seal of the Commission at Santa Fe, New Mexico, this 8th day of December, 2023.

NEW MEXICO PUBLIC REGULATION COMMISSION

/s/ *Gabriel Aguilera, electronically approved*
GABRIEL AGUILERA, COMMISSIONER



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing *Order Limiting Exceptions* was e-mailed on this date to the parties listed below.

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