ORDER NO. 20-161

ENTERED May 14 2020

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

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In the Matter of

ORDER

HILLVIEW WATER SERVICE LLC,

Request for a General Rate Revision. Filed by Silas Olson.

DISPOSITION: TARIFF SHEETS SUSPENDED

On May 8, 2020, Hillview Water Services LLC filed tariff sheets in Advice No. 20-01 to be effective July 16, 2020. The filing seeks a general increase in customer rates. I find good and sufficient cause exists to investigate the propriety and reasonableness of the tariff sheets under ORS 757.210 and 757.215.

ORS 757.215(1) authorizes the suspension of a rate filing for a period not to exceed nine months. Although the statute contemplates that the maximum suspension would occur in two steps—an initial six-month suspension followed by a second three-month suspension if necessary—I conclude at this time that a full nine-month suspension is necessary to investigate this general rate proceeding.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that Advice No. 20-01 filed by Hillview Water Services LLC is suspended for a period of time not to exceed nine months from July 16, 2020, the effective date of the tariff sheets.

Made, entered, and effective

May 14, 2020

Nolan Moser Chief Administrative Law Judge Administrative Hearings Division

