

ORDER NO. 22-307

ENTERED Aug 24 2022

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
OF OREGON**

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In the Matter of

AVION WATER COMPANY, INC.,

Request for a General Rate Revision.

ORDER

**DISPOSITION: SUSPENSION DATE EXTENDED**

On June 30, 2022, Avion Water Company, Inc. (Avion Water), filed tariff sheets in Advice No. 22-03 to be effective August 1, 2022. The filing seeks a general increase in customer rates. The tariffs were suspended in Order No. 22-252, entered on July 8, 2022. Order No. 22-268, entered July 18, 2022, amended the suspension ending date to February 1, 2023.

On August 16, 2022, Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Oregon proposed a procedural schedule for consideration at the prehearing conference scheduled on August 31, 2022. The proposed schedule includes procedural dates necessitating suspension of Avion Water's tariffs until May 1, 2023. Staff indicates that all parties conferred and support the proposed schedule and the extension of the tariff suspension period to accommodate the proposed schedule.

As noted in Order No. 22-252, ORS 757.215(1) authorizes the suspension of a rate filing for a period not to exceed nine months. 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. As the parties now request extension of the rate filing suspension for the full nine months period to accommodate a proposed procedural schedule to be considered at the upcoming prehearing conference, I extend the suspension period until May 1, 2023.

**ORDER**

IT IS ORDERED that Advice No. 22-03 filed by Avion Water Company, Inc., is suspended for a period of time not to exceed nine months from August 1, 2022, the effective date of the tariff sheets. Advice No. 22-03 is suspended until May 1, 2023.

Made, entered, and effective Aug 24, 2022.



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Nolan Moser  
Chief Administrative Law Judge