

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

May 19, 2020

J. D. Tarry Chief Financial Officer Public Service Company of New Mexico 414 Silver Ave. SW Albuquerque, NM 87102

> Re: Public Service Company of New Mexico Registration Statement on Form S-3 Filed May 13, 2020 File No. 333-238234

Dear Mr. Tarry:

This is to advise you that we have not reviewed and will not review your registration statement.

Please refer to Rules 460 and 461 regarding requests for acceleration. We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff.

Please contact Anuja A. Majmudar, Attorney-Advisor, at 202-551-3844 with any questions.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Energy & Transportation

cc: Dave Meyers