

BEFORE THE
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

POSTAL RATE AND FEE CHANGES, 2006

Docket No. R2006-1

OBJECTION OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE TO THE
INTERROGATORY OF DAVID B. POPKIN (DBP/USPS-417)
(August 21, 2006)

The United States Postal Service objects to the above-listed interrogatory on the grounds of relevance. The interrogatory states:

DBP/USPS-417 Please refer to your response to Interrogatory OCA/USPS-16 subpart a. Please identify the name of the complaint form that was discontinued several years ago and please explain why its use was discontinued.

This interrogatory seeks a level of detail that is irrelevant to this proceeding. Mr. Popkin requests the name of a complaint form that has been discontinued for approximately six years. As the response to OCA/USPS-16(a) indicates, there are now four means by which postal customers may lodge their complaints with the Postal Service. Providing further details about a complaint form that is no longer in use will not assist the Commission in establishing postal rates and fees on a nationwide basis. The Postal Service fails to see how the name of this form, and the reasons why the form was discontinued six years ago, is relevant to the instant docket. This interrogatory is yet another example of Mr. Popkin's quest to discover the smallest details of postal operations for his purely

personal interest. Therefore, the Postal Service objects to DBP/USPS-417 on the grounds of relevance.

Respectfully submitted,

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