

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

NOTICE OF PRICE ADJUSTMENT (TECHNOLOGY
CREDIT PROMOTION)

Docket No. R2013-6

CORRECTIONS TO NOTICE OF MARKET-DOMINANT PRICE ADJUSTMENT
(TECHNOLOGY CREDIT PROMOTION) – ERRATA
(April 26, 2013)

The United States Postal Service hereby corrects the following errors in the Notice of Market-Dominant Price Adjustment and related attachment that it filed on April 16, 2013, in connection with the Technology Credit Promotion:

(1) In the PriceCapAnalysis.xls workbook, the figures in cell D4 of the “Additional Cap per class” tab and cell B19 of the “Tech Credits breakdown” tab were wrong. Both cells have been corrected in the attached workbook, PriceCapAnalysis042613.xls, leading to changes throughout the workbook.

(2) As a result of the corrections described above, the Technology Credit Pricing Authority table on page 6 of the Notice should be replaced with the following table:¹

First-Class Mail	0.084 %
Standard Mail	0.231 %
Periodicals	0.165 %
Package Services	0.015 %

A corrected version of page 6 of the Notice is attached to this pleading.

¹ As filed on April 16th, the figures for Standard Mail and Periodicals had been transposed in the table. That has now been corrected as well.

Respectfully submitted,

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flowing from the promotion, then in designing future promotions the Postal Service may have to decide between efficiency and pricing authority, an outcome that would undo the flexibility embodied in the objectives and factors of Section 3622.

A preliminary calculation of price adjustment authority associated with the Technology Credit Promotion is presented in the table below, with the underlying calculations provided in the attached Excel file (PriceCapAnalysis.xls). The calculation is preliminary because, at the time of the next market-dominant price change filing, there will be new billing determinants available for conducting the calculation. At that time, a final calculation can be made.

First-Class Mail	0.084 %
Standard Mail	0.231 %
Periodicals	0.165 %
Package Services	0.015 %

The table above provides the information requested in Rule 3010.14(b)(4). As the Postal Service is not presently implementing new prices, the information requested in subsections (b)(1), (b)(2), and (b)(3) is not relevant.

The Postal Service requests that the Commission allow it to use the price adjustment authority generated by the Technology Credit Promotion in its next market-dominant price increase. Because the authority is being created in the middle of the pricing year, it is akin to the inflation-based authority that is created during the course of the year, and as such can be added to the inflation-based authority.

III. OBJECTIVES AND FACTORS, WORKSHARE DISCOUNTS, AND PREFERRED RATES

In compliance with Rules 3010.14(b)(5) through (8), the Postal Service in this section discusses how the planned program “help[s] achieve” the objectives of section