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> POSTAL RATE COMMISSION OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

SPECIAL SERVICES REFORM, 1996

Docket No. MC96-3

NOTICE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OF FILING OF REVISED PAGES FOR LIBRARY REFERENCE SSR-104 (August 7, 1996)

The United States Postal Service hereby provides notice that it is today filing revised pages 1 to 6 of library reference SSR-104, the caller service cost study update. The revisions reflect the correction of the number of "Caller Numbers or Separations" from 233,786 to 100,770 (pages 1 and 3).¹ This leads to a corresponding reduction of the number of firms or callers from 100,770 to 43,435 (pages 1, 2, and 6), the number of large firms from 97,445 to 42,002 (pages 1 and 4), the number of small firms from 3,325 to 1,433 (pages 1 and 5).² These changes produce a corresponding reduction in the resulting cost figures, including a reduction of the total cost on page 2 from \$67,221,780 to \$28,974,905.

Since the number of callers on page 2 is reduced in the same proportion, however, the "annual cost per call number or separation" is unchanged. This unchanged result is the only number from the cost study update used elsewhere in

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¹ This 100,770 figure had been incorrectly treated as the number of firms or callers in/ the original library reference.

² Also, corresponding changes are made to footnotes 3 and 5 on page 1, and footnote 3 on page 3. The label "Number of Large Firms" on page 5 is corrected to "Number of Small Firms".

this filing (in witness Lyons' workpapers). These revisions therefore have no impact on the rest of the Postal Service's filing in this docket.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.

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