

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

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Docket No. MC96-3

RESPONSE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
WITNESS LION TO INTERROGATORY OF
THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF POSTMASTERS OF THE U.S.
REDIRECTED FROM WITNESS STEIDTMANN
(NAPUS/USPS-T2-3)

The United States Postal Service hereby provides the response of witness Lion to the following interrogatory of the National Association of Postmasters of the U.S.: NAPUS/USPS-T2-3, filed on July 31, 1996, and redirected from witness Steidtman.


The interrogatory is stated verbatim and is followed by the response.

Respectfully submitted,

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Response of Witness Lion to Interrogatory NAPUS/USPS-T2-3, Re-directed from Witness Steidtmann

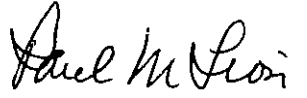
NAPUS/USPS-T2-3. How many post offices have 24 hour box service ?

RESPONSE:

I assume for the purpose of responding that this interrogatory refers to customer access to post office boxes. From the PO Box Study described in my testimony: 10,741 out of 25,591 post offices responding have 24-hour access, or 42 percent. See Tables 8A and 8B at page 12, USPS-T4.

DECLARATION

I, Paul M. Lion, declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing answers are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.




Paul M. Lion

Dated: _____

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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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