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POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION
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COMPETITIVE PRODUCT PRICES GLOBAL PLUS 1D CONTRACTS (MC2012-6) NEGOTIATED SERVICE AGREEMENTS	Docket No. CP2016-227

MOTION OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE FOR TEMPORARY RELIEF AND NOTICE OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OF FILING MODIFICATION TO GLOBAL PLUS 1D NEGOTIATED SERVICE AGREEMENT
(June 16, 2017)

On July 1, 2016, the Postal Regulatory Commission (Commission) included the agreement that is the subject of this docket within the Global Plus 1D product. The agreement is scheduled to expire July 1, 2017.[1]

Attached to this notice is Modification One, which the customer and the Postal Service have executed.[2] The modification revises Article 12 so that the agreement would remain in effect until August 15, 2017, unless terminated sooner pursuant to Article 14 or Article 26. In addition, the modification states that the Postal Service may, prior to the expiration of the Agreement, provide notice to the customer in accordance with Article 28 that the Agreement has been extended until a later date that is not later than September 30, 2017.

[1] PRC Order No.3407, Order Approving Additional Global Plus 1D Negotiated Service Agreements, Docket No. CP2016-227, July 1, 2016, at 7; United States Postal Service Response to Order No. 3407 Concerning Effective Date of a Global Plus 1D Negotiated Service Agreement, Docket No. CP2016-227, July 11, 2016.
[2] A redacted version of the modification is filed publicly as Attachment 1, while the unredacted version of the modification is filed under seal. With respect to the nonpublic version of the modification that is filed under seal, the Postal Service hereby incorporates its Application for Non-Public Treatment filed in conjunction with its request and notice dated June 22, 2016, in this docket. Notice of the United States Postal Service of Filing a Functionally Equivalent Global Plus 1C Negotiated Service Agreement and Application for Non-Public Treatment of Materials Filed Under Seal, Docket No. CP2016-227, June 22, 2016, Attachment 4.

The Postal Service is in the process of negotiating with the customer a possible successor to the agreement that is the subject of this docket. In the meantime, however, the Postal Service requests that the Commission continue to list the agreement that is the subject of this docket in the Mail Classification Schedule, according to the terms set forth in the modification filed today.

Therefore, the Postal Service respectfully requests that the Commission approve a brief extension of the agreement that is the subject of this docket to maintain continuity of pricing and other terms and conditions of the agreement. The Postal Service requests that the existing terms and conditions under the agreement that is the subject of this docket be extended to August 15, 2017.

Respectfully submitted,

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MODIFICATION ONE TO THE GLOBAL PLUS 1 SERVICE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AND [redacted]

This Modification amends the Global Customized Mail Agreement ("Agreement") between [redacted] ("Mailer"), with offices at [redacted] and the United States Postal Service ("USPS"), an independent establishment of the Executive Branch of the United States Government, with offices at 475 L'Enfant Plaza SW, Washington, DC 20260-9998, signed by the Mailer on June 17, 2016 and by the USPS on June 20, 2016. The Mailer and the USPS may be referred to individually as a "Party" and together as the "Parties."

The purpose of this Modification is to make the following change to the Agreement.

Article 12 Term of the Agreement shall now read as follows:

> **12. Term of the Agreement.** (1) The USPS will notify the Mailer of the Effective Date of the Agreement within thirty (30) days after receiving the approval of the entities that have oversight responsibilities for the USPS. (2) The Agreement shall remain in effect until 11:59 p.m. on August 15, 2017, unless terminated sooner pursuant to Article 14 or Article 26. (3) The Mailer acknowledges that this Agreement is subject to regulatory oversight and such oversight might affect the Effective Date. (4) The USPS may, prior to the expiration of this Agreement, provide notice to the Mailer in accordance with Article 28 that this Agreement has been extended until a later date that is not later than 11:59 p.m. on September 30, 2017.

All other terms and conditions of the Agreement shall remain in force.

The Parties acknowledge and understand that all obligations of the USPS under this Modification shall be contingent on the USPS receiving approvals from one or more internal and external bodies that have oversight responsibilities ("Conditions Precedent"). Conditions Precedent may include, but are not limited to: approvals or, if applicable, non-objection, from responsible USPS management officials, the USPS Board of Governors, the USPS Governors, the Postal Regulatory Commission, and/or any other governmental body with oversight responsibility for the USPS. The Parties acknowledge that this Modification may not be approved by such individuals or bodies. Until such time that all Conditions Precedent are fulfilled that are necessary to allow the USPS to provide the products or services contemplated under the Agreement, no obligation shall exist for the USPS and no benefit shall inure to either Party. In the event that the Conditions Precedent are not fulfilled, the USPS shall have no liability, which shall include no obligation to pay costs associated with any action taken by the Mailer prior to the Effective Date of this Modification. Further, in the event of termination of the Agreement or the failure of any Condition Precedent, the USPS shall not be held liable for any damages including, without limitation, actual, special, indirect, incidental, punitive, consequential, or any other damages, which shall include but not be limited to damages for loss of business profits; business interruption; any other loss; and/or any costs incurred by either Party attributable to such non-approval such as attorney's fees.

The Mailer acknowledges that this Modification and supporting documentation will be filed with the Postal Regulatory Commission ("Commission") in a docketed proceeding (CP2016-227). The Mailer authorizes the USPS to determine the scope of information that must be made publicly available in any Commission docketed proceeding in which information related to this Modification must be filed. The Mailer further understands that any unredacted portion of the Modification or supporting information will be available on the Commission's public website, http://www.prc.gov. In addition, the USPS may be required to file information in connection with this instrument (including revenue, cost or volume data) in other Commission dockets, including the Commission docket number for the Annual Compliance Report (ACR) for the USPS fiscal year(s) in which this Agreement is in effect. Each ACR docket has a distinct docket number, such as ACR201#, in which "201#" signifies the USPS fiscal year to which the ACR pertains. The Mailer has the right, in accordance with the Commission's rules, to address its confidentiality concerns directly with the Commission. The procedure for making an application to the Commission for non-public treatment of materials believed to be protected from disclosure is found at Title 39, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 3007.22 found on the Commission's website, http://www.prc.gov/Docs/63/63467/Order225.pdf.

The Parties may execute this Modification in one or more counterparts (including by facsimile or by electronic means such as .pdf format). Not all Parties need be signatories to the same document. All counterpart signed documents shall be deemed an original and one instrument.

In witness whereof, this Modification is deemed executed on the latter of the two dates accompanying the Parties' signatures.

ON BEHALF OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE:

Signature: Donald W. Ross

Name: Donald W Ross

Title: Director of International Sales

Date 6-16-17

ON BEHALF OF [redacted]

Signature: [redacted]

Name: [redacted]

Title: [redacted]

Date: 6.14.17 [redacted]