

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

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MAILING ONLINE EXPERIMENT

Docket No. MC2000-2

RESPONSE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
WITNESS LIM TO INTERROGATORY OF
THE OFFICE OF THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE
(OCA/USPS-T3-1)

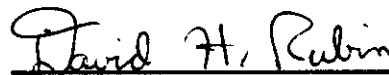
The United States Postal Service hereby provides the response of witness Lim to the following interrogatory of the Office of the Consumer Advocate: OCA/USPS-T3-1, filed on December 17, 1999.

The interrogatory is stated verbatim and is followed by the response.
Respectfully submitted,

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TO INTERROGATORIES OF THE OFFICE OF THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE

OCA/USPS-T2-1. Please refer to your testimony in this proceeding, and your testimony (USPS-ST-9) in Docket No. MC98-1. Please identify any assumptions or methodological approaches in your testimony in this proceeding that are different from the assumptions made or methodological approaches used in your testimony in Docket No. MC98-1. Please explain the significance of, and your rationale for, any changes identified.

RESPONSE:

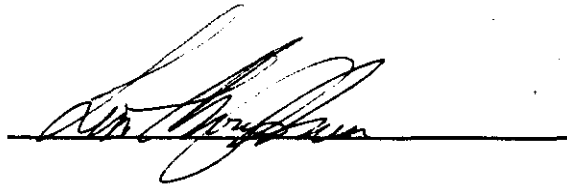
In this docket, I follow the same methodological approach as in Docket No. MC98-1.

One assumption has changed: access to Mailing Online is now through USPS.com rather than PostOffice Online, and therefore references to POL and SOL do not apply.

Diagram 1 in my testimony presents my methodology in a more detailed decision-flow diagram than I presented in Docket No. MC98-1. Please also note that Section III, Part C of my testimony explains the changes in my costing results from Docket No. MC98-1.

DECLARATION

I, Chong Bum Lim, declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing answers are true and correct, to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

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Dated: 12/29/99

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.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "David H. Rubin". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

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