BEFORE THE

POSTAL RATE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

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POSTAL RATE AND FEE CHANGES, 2000

Docket No. R2000-1

DOUGLAS F. CARLSON INTERROGATORIES TO THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE (DFC/USPS-24-29)

February 11, 2000

Pursuant to sections 25 and 26 of the *Rules of Practice*, I hereby submit interrogatories to the United States Postal Service.

The instructions contained in my interrogatories to witness Mayo (DFC/USPS-T39-1–9) are incorporated herein by reference.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: February 11, 2000

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DOUGLAS F. CARLSON

DFC/USPS-24. Please provide the contents of the entire Inspection Service Special Services audit report cited in the response to DFC/USPS-T39-3. If this audit report is filed as a library reference, pursuant to Rule 31(b)(2)(ix) I request that a copy of this audit report be mailed directly to me.

DFC/USPS-25. Please provide an index listing all Inspection Service or Office of the Inspector General audits that either unit has conducted since January 1, 1997.

DFC/USPS-26. Please provide all Inspection Service or Office of the Inspector General audits that have been conducted on Express Mail, Priority Mail, post-office-box, certified-mail, return-receipt, or retail window service, or on stamped cards, since January 1, 1996. If any audit reports are filed as a library reference, pursuant to Rule 31(b)(2)(ix) I request that a copy of these audit reports be mailed directly to me.

DFC/USPS-27. Please provide all data concerning the actual weight of flat-rate Express Mail envelopes that customers mail under current postage rates and the costs associated with flat-rate envelopes of each weight.

DFC/USPS-28. Suppose a customer uses an Express Mail flat-rate envelope to mail a letter that weighs one ounce. Under current rates, which rate (category and dollar amount) should or will this customer be charged?

DFC/USPS-29. Please confirm that some P&DC's that process their own outgoing First-Class Mail on Saturdays send their outgoing First-Class Mail to another plant on certain holidays for processing.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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

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DOUGLAS F. CARLSON

February 11, 2000 Emeryville, California

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