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RESPONSE OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE TO INTERROGATORY OF DOUGLAS F. CARLSON REDIRECTED FROM WITNESS ROBINSON (DFC/USPS-T34-8)

The United States Postal Service hereby provides its response to the following interrogatory of Douglas F. Carlson: DFC/USPS-T34-8, filed on February 11, 2000. This interrogatory has been redirected from witness Robinson.

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

Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE TO INTERROGATORIES OF DOUGLAS F. CARLSON (REDIRECTED FROM WITNESS ROBINSON)

DFC/USPS-T34-8. Please provide the following information for the most-recent fiscal year for which it is available, and please specify the measurement system from which these data are obtained:

- a. The percentage of First-Class Mail for which the delivery standard is one day that arrives in one day.
- b. The percentage of First-Class Mail for which the delivery standard is two days that arrives in two days.
- c. The percentage of First-Class Mail for which the delivery standard is three days that arrives in two days.
- d. The percentage of First-Class Mail for which the delivery standard is three days that arrives in three days.
- e. The percentage of Priority Mail for which the delivery standard is one day that arrives in one day.
- f. The percentage of Priority Mail for which the delivery standard is two days that arrives in two days.
- g. The percentage of Priority Mail for which the delivery standard is three days that arrives in two days.
- h. The percentage of Priority Mail for which the delivery standard is three days that arrives in three days.

RESPONSE:

The following FY 1999 data was obtained from the Origin-Destination Information System (ODIS). This data measures service performance from the origin office to the delivery office, NOT delivery to the recipient's address.

- a. 93 percent.
- b. 87 percent.
- c. 41 percent.

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- d. 85 percent.
- e. 85 percent.
- f. 74 percent.
- g. 45 percent.
- h. 76 percent.

Source: ODIS Standard SSA Reports.

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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