

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

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Docket No. R2000-1

NOTICE OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE CONCERNING ERRATA
TO LIBRARY REFERENCE I-160 (ERRATUM)

The United States Postal Service hereby provides notice of the filing of errata to one page of Library Reference I-160. Filed on January 12, 2000, the library reference contains 25 footnotes on page 3 of Section B. The formulae in the second column of footnotes (17 through 25) contain erroneous input references. For instance, footnote 17 reads "[10] / [13]", when it should read "[11] / [14]"; and footnote 25 reads "[22] + [23]", but should read "[23] + [24]".

A copy of revised page 3 of Section B of USPS-LR-I-160 is attached.

This revised page 3 of Section B, with corrected footnotes 17 through 25, replaces the page originally filed as a part of USPS-LR-I-160 on January 12, 2000.

Respectfully submitted,

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Determination of Volume Variable Costs of low-volume GBRM
Sorting, Counting, Rating and Billing Activities
TY01

Method of final piece count	BRMAS software report	EOR report	Manual/Other
[1]	14.2%	[1]	19.3%
[2]			66.5%
[3]			

Method of Postage Due Activities:	BRMAS	PERMITS/other software	Manual/Other
[4]	6.5%	[4]	47.6%
[5]			45.9%
[6]			

Method and finest depth of sortation of BRM	To customer manually	To customer by BCS	By BRMAS	Other
[7]	41.6%	[7]	26.3%	[9]
[8]			9.7%	[10]
[9]				
[10]				

Hourly wage rate, Postage Due Clerk	Piggyback factor, Business Reply	Incoming secondary - Automation Basic Presort First-Class Letters
[11]	\$28.24	[11]
[12]	1.456	[12]
[13]	\$0.0211	[13]

Method of Postage Due Unit	Direct	Indirect	Direct & Indirect
[14]	\$0.0379	[17]	\$0.0552
[15]	\$0.0297	[18]	\$0.0432
[16]	\$0.0038	[19]	\$0.0055

Marginal Manual Rating/Billing Productivity, Postage Due Unit	Marginal Manual Counting/Distribution Productivity, Postage Due Unit	Marginal PERMITS Rating and Bill Generation Productivity, Postage Due Unit	Weighted cost per piece (direct & indirect)	Per piece Cost Avoidance, Incoming Secondary	Net incremental direct & indirect cost (direct processing)
[17]	745	[14]	\$0.0379	[17]	\$0.0552
[18]	951	[15]	\$0.0297	[18]	\$0.0432
[19]	7,461	[16]	\$0.0038	[19]	\$0.0055
[20]				[20]	
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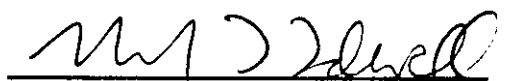
Footnotes

- [1]-[3] BRM Practices Study, Docket No. R97-1, USPS LR-H-179, Table 13
- [4]-[6] 1999 Survey, see Appendix 1, Table 2
- [7]-[10] BRM Practices Study, Docket No. R97-1, USPS LR-H-179, Table 8
- [11] USPS LR-1-106, Part VIII, Table VIII, p. VIII-2
- [12] MODS 18 piggyback, USPS-T-21, Attachment 14
- [13] USPS-T-24, Appendix I, page 24
- [14] See Campbell USPS-T-29 Workpaper II
- [15] See Campbell USPS-T-29 Workpaper II
- [16] Docket No. R97-1, USPS-T-27, Exhibit USPS-27C, [6] (adjusted for 100 percent volume variability)

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 & [24] - ([7] \cdot [13]) \\
 & [25] \cdot [23] \cdot [24]
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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.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael T. Tidwell", written over a horizontal line.

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