

Before The
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

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Postal Rate and Fee Changes

Docket No. R2000-1

RESPONSE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
WITNESS ROBINSON TO INTERROGATORY OF
DOUGLAS F. CARLSON REDIRECTED FROM THE POSTAL SERVICE
(DFC/USPS-52)

The United States Postal Service hereby provides the response of witness Robinson to the following interrogatory of Douglas F. Carlson: DFC/USPS-52, filed on March 7, 2000. This interrogatory was redirected from the Postal Service.

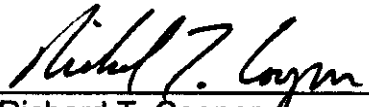
Each interrogatory is stated verbatim and is followed by the response.

Respectfully submitted,

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TO INTERROGATORIES OF DOUGLAS F. CARLSON
REDIRECTED FROM THE POSTAL SERVICE

DFC/USPS-52. Please provide any evidence to indicate that customers would not find the Priority Mail flat-rate envelope to be simple and convenient if the rate that applied to flat-rate envelopes were the proposed one-pound rate, rather than the proposed two-pound rate.

RESPONSE:

I am unaware of any study that would indicate that customer would not find the Priority Mail flat-rate envelope to be simple and convenient if the rate that applied to flat-rate envelopes were the proposed one-pound rate rather than the proposed two pound rate.

DECLARATION

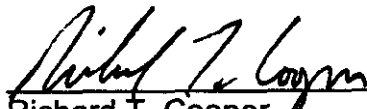
I, Maura Robinson, declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing answers are true and correct, to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.


MAURA ROBINSON

Dated: 3.21.2000

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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