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Docket No. R2000-1

MOTION OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE FOR LATE ACCEPTANCE OF RESPONSE OF WITNESS KINGSLEY TO INTERROGATORIES OF THE ASSOCIATION FOR POSTAL COMMERCE, REDIRECTED FROM WITNESS YACOBUCCI (PostCOM/USPS-T25-4(a-d, g-i))

The United States Postal Service hereby moves for late acceptance of the response of witness Kingsley to PostCom/USPS—T25-4(a-d, g-i), filed on March 8, 2000, and redirected from witness Yacobucci. The one-day delay in filing was caused by the need to consult with Engineering personnel who were on official travel earlier this week, but who were able to improve the precision of the answer materially relative to the preliminary response prepared in their absence. Therefore, not only is there no prejudice from the one-day delay, but all participants actually gain the benefit of a better answer.

Respectfully submitted,

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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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