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Docket No. R2000-1

RESPONSE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
WITNESS KASHANI TO INTERROGATORY OF
THE OFFICE OF THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE
(OCA/USPS-T14-6)

The United States Postal Service hereby provides the response of witness
Kashani to the following interrogatory of the Office of the Consumer Advocate:
OCA/USPS-T14-6, filed on March 17, 2000.

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

Respectfully submitted,

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

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OCA/USPS-T14-6. The following refers to USPS-LR-I-6. USPS-LR-I-6 consists of electronic files that are divided into eleven subdirectories.

(a) The following two subdirectories exist for the Base Year: FY98BY and FY98RBY.

(1) Please confirm that the acronym FY98BY stands for Fiscal Year 98 Base Year. If you are unable to confirm, please explain what the acronym represents.

(2) Please confirm that the acronym FY98RBY stands for Fiscal Year 98 roll forward of the Base Year. If you are unable to confirm, please explain what the acronym represents.

(b) Please explain what each of the following eight subdirectory acronyms represents:

(1) FY99RCC, (2) FY99RCM, (3) FY99RCR, (4) FY00RCM, (5) FY00RCR, (6) FY01RCA, (7) FY01RCAM, (8) FY01RCB, and (9) FY01RCBM.

RESPONSE

(a)

(1) CONFIRMED.

(2) CONFIRMED.

(a)

(1) FY99RCC:
➤ ADJUSTED FISCAL YEAR 1999 BEFORE
WORKYEAR MIX ADJUSTMENT
(INTERNATIONAL MAIL VOLUME REPORTING
CHANGE AND STANDARD (A) SINGLE PIECE
ADJUSTMENTS)

(2) FY99RCM:
➤ FISCAL YEAR 1999 WORKYEAR MIX
ADJUSTED

(3) FY99RCR:
➤ FISCAL YEAR 1999 BEFORE WORKYEAR MIX
ADJUSTMENT

(4) FY00RCM:
➤ FISCL YEAR 2000 WORK YEAR MIX ADJUSTED

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- (5) FY00RCR:
 - FISCL YEAR 2000 BEFORE WORKYEAR MIX
ADJUSTMENT

- (6) FY01RCA:
 - TEST YEAR 2001 BEFORE WORKYEAR MIX
ADJUSTMENT (AFTER RATES)

- (7) FY01RCAM:
 - TEST YEAR 2001 WORKYEAR MIX ADJUSTED
(AFTER RATES)

- (8) FY01RCB:
 - TEST YEAR 2001 BEFORE WORKYEAR MIX
ADJUSTMENT (BEFORE RATES)

- (9) FY01RCBM:
 - TEST YEAR 2001 WORKYEAR MIX ADJUSTED
(BEFORE RATES)

DECLARATION

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

Cameron Kashani

Dated: 3-31-00

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 cursive script, appearing to read "Susan M. Duchek", is written over a solid horizontal line.

Susan M. Duchek

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