

BEFORE THE
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Docket No. R2000-1

INTERROGATORIES OF
RECORDING INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA
TO USPS WITNESS TOLLEY
(RIAA/USPS-T-6-2)

Pursuant to Sections 25 and 26 of the rules of practice, Recording Industry Association of America ("RIAA") submits the attached interrogatory to USPS witness Tolley: RIAA/USPS-T-6-2. If the designated witness is unable to respond to any interrogatory, we request a response by some other qualified witness.

Respectfully submitted,



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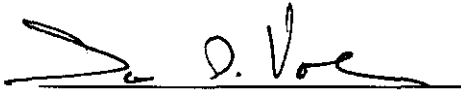
RIAA/USPS-T-6-2. Please refer to your answer to RIAA/ USPS-T-6-1(b).

(a) Please confirm that at the proposed rates, a Standard A parcel weighing .617246596 pounds (9.875945537 ounces) will pay postage of 68 cents if entered at the 3/5-Digit pound plus per piece rate set out at Request the United States Postal Service for a recommended decision on changes in rates of postage and fees for Postal services, attachment B page 13 calculated as follows (.617246596 [weight] * 66.1 [pound rate]) plus 12.2 [per piece rate] plus 15 [surcharge less barcode discount]. If you do not confirm, please show the calculation by which you determine the correct postage for mail of that weight in that rate cell.

(b) Accept, subject to check, that table 13 of USPS-LR-I-102 shows that there are 374,484,000 Standard A regular parcels weighing 10 ounces or more and representing 46.141847 percent of the total Standard A regular parcels reported for FY 1998. Are these data consistent with your answer to RIAA/USPS-T-6-1(b)? Please explain.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding having requested service of discovery documents in accordance with Section 12 of the rules of practice.


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