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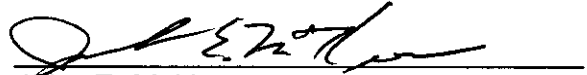
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NOTICE BY UNITED PARCEL SERVICE OF INTENT
TO CONDUCT ORAL CROSS-EXAMINATION OF
UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE WITNESS
PAFFORD (USPS-T-4)
(April 6, 2000)

Pursuant to Section 30(e)(3) of the Commission's Rules of Practice, United Parcel Service ("UPS") hereby gives notice that it intends to conduct oral cross-examination of United States Postal Service witness Pafford on the following subjects: the relationship between the DRPW and BRPW systems in estimating Parcel Post revenue, pieces, and weight (USPS-T-4 at 3-4); the development of DRPW estimates for Parcel Post (USPS-T-4 at 4-6); the use of the DRPW system to develop estimates of inter-BMC, intra-BMC, and DBMC revenue, pieces, and weight (USPS-T-4 at 4-6); the decision to not use the DRPW system to develop estimates of revenue, pieces, and weight for all of Parcel Post (USPS-T-4 at 3-4); steps taken to insure that information for pieces sampled by the DRPW system are not also counted in the BRPW system (USPS-T-4 at 3-4); how DRPW data is collected (USPS-T-4 at 4-6); the Postal Service's procedures for verifying the accuracy of DRPW data (USPS-T-4 at 4-7); how the Postal Service processes and checks DRPW data both before, as, and after it is used in the DRPW estimation process (USPS-T-4 at 4-7); the treatment of data anomalies (USPS-

T-4 at 4-7); revenue adjustments and conversions from PFY to GFY estimates (USPS-T-4 at 6-7); and clarification of and expansion on Mr. Pafford's interrogatory responses.

Respectfully submitted,



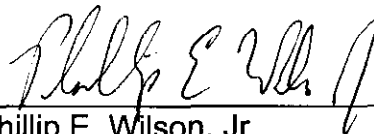
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I hereby certify that I have this date served the foregoing document by first class mail, postage prepaid, in accordance with Section 12 of the Commission's Rules of Practice.



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Dated: April 6, 2000
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