

BEFORE THE
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION
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POSTAL RATE AND FEE CHANGES, 2000

Docket No. R2000-1

NOTICE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OF INTENTION TO OBJECT
TO SOME PARTS OF UNITED PARCEL SERVICE
INTERROGATORIES TO THE POSTAL SERVICE
(April 24, 2000)

On April 14, 2000 United Parcel Service (UPS) filed interrogatories UPS/USPS-12-15, all of which seek additional details underlying USPS-LR-I-279, PERMIT System Data Validation Study, Filed in Response to UPS/USPS-T5-43. The Postal Service hereby gives notice of its intent to file objections to many parts of these interrogatories. However, the unavailability of necessary personnel, the press related RPW business initiated by UPS and of other business, and the impossibility of adding more hours to a week (not just a work week), mean that information necessary to formulation of appropriate objections is not yet available. Since UPS has recently complained regarding objections that, for example, were unable fully to quantify burden objections, the Postal Service presumes that UPS will not be prejudiced by any delay in preparing objections. When filed, the objections will be accompanied by a motion for late acceptance.

Respectfully submitted,

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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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