BEFORE THE POSTAL RATE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

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Docket No. R2000-1

MOTION OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE FOR LATE ACCEPTANCE OF RESPONSE WITNESS KIEFER TO POSTCOM//USPS-T37-2 & 3

The United States Postal Service hereby moves that the responses of witness Kiefer to interrogatories PostCom/USPS_T37_2 & 3, filed on March 16, 2000, be accepted late. The Postal Service did not receive the incoming questions and was alerted to the lack of answers yesterday by counsel for PostCom. This filing was emailed to counsel for PostCom earlier today.

Respectfully submitted,

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

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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.

475 L'Enfant Plaza West, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20260–1137 April 26, 2000

Scott L. Reiter