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

**POSTAL RATE AND FEE CHANGES, 2000 ) Docket No. R2000-1**

**Notice of the Coalition of Religious Press  
Associations to Conduct Oral Cross- Examination  
Of USPS Witness Walter F. O'Tormey**

The Coalition of Religious Press Associations (CRPA) hereby files notice that it intends to conduct light to moderate cross-examination of USPS Witness O'Tormey when he appears before the Commission on May 11. The scope of examination will include Witness O'Tormey's knowledge and opinions concerning the questions regarding the cost trends of flats posed by the Commission's Order 1289, March 28, 2000. Insofar as the Witness has introduced service as one facet of periodical cost, the Witness' knowledge and opinion of USPS flats and/or periodical service studies, if any exist, as well as recent efforts by USPS and by industry groups to improve service, will be within the scope of cross-examination. As several parties have directed written interrogatories to this witness, his answers may provide material for further oral cross-examination.

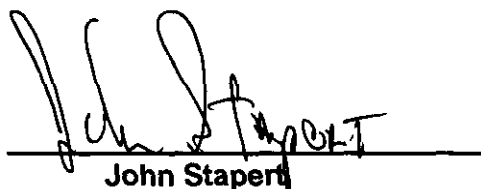
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