

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

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Docket No. R2000-1

STATUS REPORT OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE ON
COMPELLED RESPONSE TO INTERROGATORY DBP/USPS-130
(May 15, 2000)

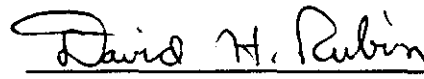
Presiding Officer's Ruling No. R2000-1/59, at 10-11, issued May 10, 2000, required the Postal Service to provide copies of five audit reports (one by the Inspector General, and four by the Inspection Service) by today, in response to interrogatory DBP/USPS-130. These reports are all kept by the Office of the Inspector General, which is not located at Headquarters. The Postal Service Law Department promptly requested such reports, and they were received by the Law Department today. The reports are now being reviewed to determine if they require redactions, as permitted by the Ruling, at 10-11. The Postal Service believes that the redaction and filing process should be completed by Friday, May 19. The reports will be filed earlier, if possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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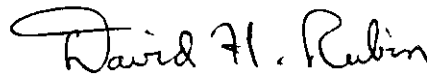


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