

BEFORE THE
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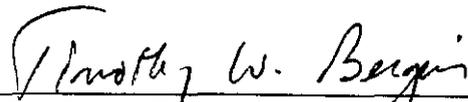
POSTAL RATE AND FEE CHANGES, 2000

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Docket No. R2000-1

**MOTION OF THE McGRAW-HILL COMPANIES, INC.
FOR LEAVE TO FILE A REPLY IN SUPPORT
OF ITS MOTION TO COMPEL**
(June 8, 2000)

Pursuant to section 21(b) of the Commission's rules of practice, The McGraw-Hill Companies, Inc. respectfully moves for leave to file the accompanying brief reply to the Opposition of United States Postal Service to Motion of The McGraw-Hill Companies, Inc. to Compel Responses to Interrogatories MH/USPS-5 and MH/USPS-T10-26, filed June 6, 2000 ("USPS Opposition"). A brief reply is warranted in order to address new and misleading arguments presented in the USPS Opposition, and to assist the Commission in reaching an appropriate resolution of the motion to compel.

Respectfully submitted

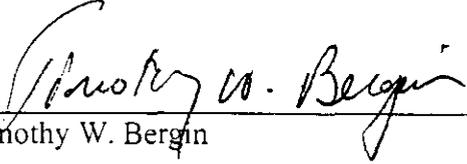


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have on this 8th day of June 2000 served the foregoing document in accordance with section 12 of the rules of practice.



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