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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

Postal Rate and Fee Changes

Docket No. R2000-1

PRESIDING OFFICER'S RULING SCHEDULING
THE APPEARANCE OF WITNESSES

(Issued July 31, 2000)

Commission Order No. 1299, Resolving Procedural Issues Arising from Notice of Inquiry No. 3, permitted the Office of the Consumer Advocate to submit testimony in rebuttal to the testimony of Postal Service witness Fronk in response to Notice of Inquiry No. 3. That testimony is to be subject to oral cross-examination during the hearings scheduled for August 3-4.

This Ruling establishes the schedule for the appearance of witnesses for cross-examination on those dates.

RULING

1. The schedule for the appearance of witnesses on August 3, 2000 is as follows:

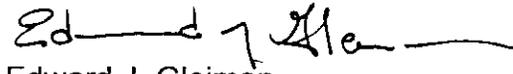
Patelunas (USPS-ST-44)

Kay (USPS-ST-45)

Thress (USPS-ST-46)

2. The schedule for the appearance of witnesses on August 4, 2000 is as follows:

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Edward J. Gleiman
Presiding Officer