

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

Complaint on First-Class Mail
Service Standards

Docket No. C2001-3

MOTION OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
FOR LATE ACCEPTANCE OF FILING
OF RESPONSES TO INTERROGATORIES OF
THE OFFICE OF THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE
(OCA/USPS-10 AND 11)

The United States Postal Service moves for permission to file three calendar days late its responses to the following interrogatories of the Office of the Consumer Advocate that were due on October 1, 2001: OCA/USPS-10 and 11.

The first response required consultation among personnel who either have been swamped by responsibilities related to the filing of the request in Docket No. R2001-1 or whose departments and positions have been dissolved as part of the recently implemented Headquarters Reduction-In-Force. The second response required an extensive search in a vain attempt to locate responsive documents.

The Postal Service regrets the delay in the provision of the responses filed today but considers that no party will be prejudiced.

Respectfully submitted,

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