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EXPRESS MAIL ZIP CODE LISTINGS PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO OCA/USPS-T35-1(d) (POSTAL SERVICE)

This is a category 4 library reference provided in response to OCA/USPS-T35-1(d). It includes a record layout in hard copy format. It also includes two CDs containing a listing of 3-digit origin/5-digit destination ZIP Code pairs from the September 8, 2001 Express Mail directory where Express Mail service guarantees have been upgraded and downgraded, compared to the directory of February, 2001. ZIP Code pairs where service has changed from 2 day to overnight with a 3 p.m. delivery and those where service has changed from overnight with a 3 p.m. delivery to overnight with a noon delivery are considered upgrades or "adds." ZIP Code pairs where service has changed from overnight to either noon or 3 p.m. on the second day are considered downgrades or "deletes."

Files are included for the following:

Standard 5PM Directory: This refers to origin Post Offices that will accept Express Mail for overnight service to specific destinations, generally until 5PM.

Early Flexible Directory: This refers to origin Post Offices that will accept Express Mail for overnight service to specific destinations, until cut off times earlier than 5PM.

Late Flexible Directory: This refers to origin Post Offices that will accept Express Mail for overnight service to specific destinations, until cut off times later than 5PM.

Optional Directory: This refers to origin Post Offices that will accept Express Mail for overnight service to specific destinations, until varying cut off times.

The "adds" and "deletes" from all directories must be summed to derive the total "adds" and "deletes" referenced in the response to OCA-T35-1(d).

Express Mail Directory Format

Record Layout for Standard, Early, Late and Optional Record

DSN   : LAXSTNS.PS258T02.G0006V00

Field	Length	Position
01 Directory-Record		
05 Directory-Data		
10 DNO	X(02)	1 - 2
10 Branch	X(02)	3 - 4
10 Origin	X(05)	5 - 9
10 Eff-Date		
15 Eff-YY	9(02)	10 - 11
15 Eff-MM	9(02)	12 - 13
15 Eff-DD	9(02)	14 - 15
10 Dis-Date		
15 Dis-YY	9(02)	16 - 17
15 Dis-MM	9(02)	18 - 19
15 Dis-DD	9(02)	20 - 21
10 Type	X(01)	22
10 Fac-Name	X(30)	23 - 52
10 Filler	X(02)	53 - 54
10 CSD	X(05)	55 - 59
05 ZIP-Zone-Span		
10 ZIP-Start	X(09)	60 - 68
10 ZIP-End	X(09)	69 - 77
05 ZIP-Label	X(03)	78 – 80
05 Cutoff-Time		
10 Cutoff-HH	9(02)	81 - 82
10 Cutoff-MM	9(02)	83 - 84
05 Filler	X(06)	85 – 90

ZIP-Label is defined as:
      Position 78-79   AM or PM
      Position 80   * or space

EXPRESS MAIL ADDS/DELETES DIRECTORY FORMAT

RECORD LAYOUT FOR STANDARD, EARLY, LATE AND OPTIONAL RECORD

DSN   : LAXSTNS.PS255T04.G0004V00

Field	Length	Position
01 Add-Delete-Record		
05 Directory-Data		
10 DNO	X(02)	1 - 2
10 Branch	X(02)	3 - 4
10 Origin	X(05)	5 - 9
10 Prev-Eff-Date		
15 Eff-YY	9(02)	10 - 11
15 Eff-MM	9(02)	12 - 13
15 Eff-DD	9(02)	14 - 15
10 Prev-Dis-Date		
15 Dis-YY	9(02)	16 - 17
15 Dis-MM	9(02)	18 - 19
15 Dis-DD	9(02)	20 - 21
10 Type	X(01)	22
10 Update-Flag	X(01)	23
10 Fac-Name	X(30)	24 - 53
10 Filler	X(02)	54 - 55
10 CSD	X(05)	56 - 60
05 ZIP-Zone-Span		
10 ZIP-Start	X(05)	61 - 65
05 ZIP-Label	X(03)	66 - 68
05 Cutoff-Time		
10 Cutoff-HH	9(02)	69 - 70
10 Cutoff-MM	9(02)	71 - 72
05 Filler	X(08)	73 - 80

ZIP-Label is defined as:
     Position 66-67 AM or PM
     Position 68   * or space

Field Descriptions

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*          Standard, Early, Late And Optional Directory               *
*                Data Format Record Description                        *
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Field	Description		
DNO	Distribution Networks Office	Values	1A - New York Metro Area
			1B - Northeast Area
			1C - Allegheny Area
			1D - Mid-Atlantic Area
			1E - Western Area
			1F - Pacific Area
			1G - Southwest Area
			1H - Southeast Area
			1I - Midwest Area
			1J - Great Lakes Area
			1K - Capital Metro Area
Branch	DNO Office Or Branch Indicator	Values	1A - New York Metro Area
			2A - San Juan Branch
			1B - Northeast Area
			1C - Allegheny Area
			1D - Mid-Atlantic Area
			1E - Western Area
			2E - Seattle Branch
			3E - Salt Lake Branch
			1F - Pacific Area
			2F - Los Angeles Branch
			1G - Southwest Area
			1H - Southeast Area
			1I - Midwest Area
			1J - Great Lakes Area
			1K - Capital Metro Area

FIELD DESCRIPTIONS (CONTINUED)

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*         Standard, Early, Late And Optional Directory               *
*              Data Format Record Description                         *
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Field	Description
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Origin   Directory Origin
Eff-Date   Date directory becomes effective (YYMMDD)
Dis-Date   Date directory is discontinued (YYMMDD)
Prev-Eff-Date   Effective date of previously issued directory (YYMMDD)
Prev-Dis-Date   Discontinue date of previously issued directory (YYMMDD)
Type   Value - 1 - Standard 5 P.M.

                               2 - Early Flexible

                               3 - Late Flexible

                               4 - Optional

Update-Flag   Value - 1 - ZIP On Previous Directory – Deleted from Current Directory

                               2 - ZIP Not On Previous Directory – Added to Current Directory

Fac-Name   Facility Name
CSD   Customer Service District
ZIP-Start   Starting ZIP in Range
ZIP-End   Ending ZIP in Range
ZIP-Label   Values - AM - Post Office To Addressee Service By Noon

                            PM - Post Office To Addressee Service By 3:00pm

                            *   - Post Office To Post Office Service By 10:00am

Cutoff-Time   Directory Cutoff Time