

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

POSTAL RATE AND FEE CHANGES, 2001

Docket No. R2001-1

RESPONSE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE  
WITNESS L. PAUL LOETSCHER TO INTERROGATORIES OF  
MAGAZINE PUBLISHERS OF AMERICA, INC.  
(MPA/USPS-T34-14, 18(c), REDIRECTED FROM WITNESS ALTAF H. TAUFIQUE)

The United States Postal Service hereby files the response of witness L. Paul Loetscher to the following interrogatories of the Magazine Publishers of America, Inc.: MPA/USPS-T34-14, 18(c), filed on October 26, 2001, and redirected from witness Altaf H. Taufique.

The interrogatories are stated verbatim and are followed by the responses.

Respectfully submitted,

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

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**MPA/USPS-T34-14:**

Please refer to USPS-LR-J-114, Table 2 and confirm that a total of 4.3 billion Periodicals Outside-County pieces are entered at Origin Bulk Mail Centers (OBMC), Origin Area Distribution Centers (OADC) [not in the Destination Bulk Mail Centers (DBMC) service territory], and Origin Sectional Center Facilities (OSCF) [not in the Destination Area Distribution Center (DADC) or Destination Bulk Mail Center (DBMC) service territory]. If not confirmed, please explain fully.

**RESPONSE:**

Confirmed.

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**MPA/USPS-T34-18(c):**

Please refer to USPS-LR-J-114, Table 2, and USPS-LR-J-107, OC01.xls.

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(c) Please confirm that 65 percent of the mail entered at OAO's and OSCFs in DSCF/DADC service territories is sacked.

**RESPONSE:**

Confirmed.

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.

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