

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

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POSTAL RATE AND FEE CHANGES, 2001

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Docket No. R2001-1

MOTION FOR LATE ACCEPTANCE OF RESPONSE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL  
SERVICE WITNESS SCHENK TO INTERROGATORIES OF VAL-PAK DIRECT  
MARKETING SYSTEMS, INC. AND VAL-PAK DEALERS' ASSOCIATION, INC.  
(VP/USPS-T43-20-24)

The United States Postal Service hereby moves for late acceptance of the response of witness Schenk to VP/USPS-T43-20-24, filed today. This response was due to be filed on December 10, and is therefore two days late. The undersigned had prepared the document for filing on the 10<sup>th</sup> but it apparently was not filed. To mitigate the delay the Postal Service has already sent an electronic version to Val-Pak's counsel. The Postal Service regrets the delay, but offers that no party has been prejudiced by it.

Respectfully submitted,

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

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## **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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