

BEFORE THE
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION
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Docket No. R2001-1

POSTAL RATE COMMISSION
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MOTION FOR LATE ACCEPTANCE OF
RESPONSE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE WITNESS TAUFIQUE
TO INTERROGATORIES OF AMERICAN BUSINESS MEDIA AND THE
MCGRAW-HILL COMPANIES (ABM-MH/USPS-T34-50-56)


The United States Postal Service hereby moves for acceptance, one business day late, of the responses of witness Taufique to the following interrogatories of American Business Media and the McGraw-Hill Companies: ABM-MH/USPS-T34-50 to 56, filed on December 7, 2001. Responses could not be provided on time because of the large number of other interrogatories directed to witness Taufique around December 7, and a family medical emergency for the witness.

Respectfully submitted,

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

By its attorneys:

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Chief Counsel, Ratemaking

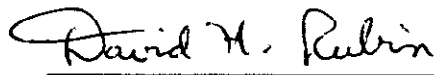


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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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