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

Experimental Periodicals Co-Palletization Drop Ship Discounts, 2002

Docket No. MC2002-3

NOTICE OF INTERVENTION OF THE
MAGAZINE PUBLISHERS OF AMERICA, INC.
AS A FULL PARTIPICIPANT AND SUPPORT FOR UNITED STATES POSTAL
SERVICE REQUEST FOR EXPEDITION AND MOTION FOR WAIVER
(October 7, 2002)

The Magazine Publishers of America, Inc., (MPA) hereby gives notice of its intervention as a full participant in the above-captioned proceeding in accordance with 39 U.S.C. section 3624, section 20 of the Commission's Rules of Practice, and PRC Order No. 1347, issued October 2, 2002. In support of its intervention, MPA states:

1. Service should be made upon:

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2. MPA is the national industry association of publishers of consumer magazines and represents more than 200 domestic publishing companies with approximately 1,200 titles, more than 75 international companies and more than 90 associate service providers. MPA's members use all classes of mail and have a substantial interest in the issues raised in this proceeding.

- 3. MPA does not seek a hearing but does intend to participate actively in this proceeding, including settlement discussions, if any.
- MPA supports the United States Request for Expedition and Establishment of Settlement Procedures, September 26, 2002, and the Motion of the United States Postal Service for Waiver, September 26, 2002.

Respectfully submitted,
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have served the foregoing document in accordance with section 12 of the Commission's Rules of Practice.

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October 7, 2002 Washington, DC