

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

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**Experimental Periodicals Co-Palletization
Drop Ship Discounts, 2002**

Docket No. MC2002-3

**NOTICE OF INTERVENTION
OF THE NATIONAL NEWSPAPER ASSOCIATION
(October 17, 2002)**

The National Newspaper Association, Inc. (NNA) hereby gives notice of its intervention as a full participant in the above-captioned proceeding, in accordance with 39 U.S.C. §3624 and PRC Order No. 1347 issued October 2, 2002.

1. NNA is an association of community newspapers, which are heavy users of the within county and regular rate Periodicals subclasses and Standard A ECR subclass. NNA represents nearly 3,000 newspapers nationwide. NNA's members have a substantial interest in the proceeding in this docket.

2. NNA does not request a hearing, but does intend to participate actively in the proceeding, including settlement discussions.

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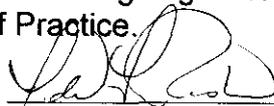


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