

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

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**Experimental Rate and Service
Changes to Implement Negotiated
Service Agreement with Capital
One Services, Inc.**

Docket No. MC 2002-2

**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. 1346.

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 do not have a direct interest in the proposed Negotiated Service Agreement, but do have a substantial interest in the precedents set in this docket for future NSAs.

2. NNA intends to participate actively in the proceeding. It is not prepared to state at this juncture whether it believes a hearing is necessary, but it will participate in a hearing if one is scheduled.

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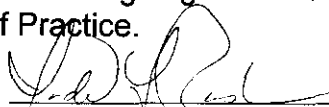


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