

BEFORE THE
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION
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DISCOUNTS, 2002)

Docket No. MC2002-3

VALPAK DIRECT MARKETING SYSTEMS, INC.

NOTICE OF INTERVENTION

(October 18, 2002)

Valpak Direct Marketing Systems, Inc. (hereinafter "Valpak"), an affiliate of Cox Target Media, Inc., hereby files its Notice of Intervention as a full participant in the above-captioned proceeding pursuant to Rule 20 of the Rules of Practice, 39 CFR section 3001.20.

Valpak is a substantial user of Standard Mail, as well as other classes of mail, it believes that it may be affected by the Postal Service's request herein.

Service of documents relating to this proceeding should be made on each of the following:

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Valpak has an interest in the proposed Experimental Discounts and the procedures employed in consideration of such proposals, and could be significantly affected by the rate and classification proposals of the United States Postal Service.

At this stage of the proceedings, it is unknown whether the Postal Service's request for classification changes and rate increases, as proposed, is in accordance with the Postal Reorganization Act. *See* 39 U.S.C. sections 3622 and 3623.

Valpak takes no position at this time on the need for a hearing

Respectfully submitted,



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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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