

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

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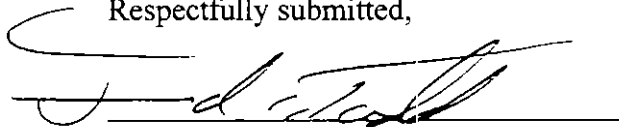
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Postal Rate and Fee Changes, 1997  
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POSTAL RATE COMMISSION  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY  
Docket No. R97-1

FIRST SET OF INTERROGATORIES  
OF THE MAIL ORDER ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA  
TO USPS WITNESS MOELLER  
(MOAA/USPS-T-36-1)

Pursuant to sections 25 and 26 of the rules of practice, the Mail Order Association of America hereby submits the attached interrogatory to USPS witness Moeller:  
MOAA/USPS-T-36-1. If the designated witness is unable to respond, we request a referral to another witness in possession of the requested information.

Respectfully submitted,

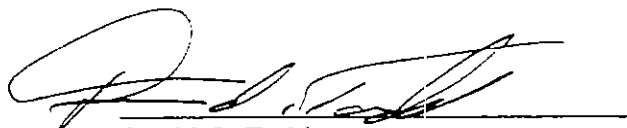


David C. Todd  
Attorney for the  
Mail Order Association of America

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have on this date served the attached interrogatory upon the Postal Service and all participants requesting service in accordance with Section 25 of the rules of practice.

DATE: September 17, 1997



David C. Todd

MOAA/USPS-T-36-1 Please refer to Charts 1 and 2 of LR-H-182.

- a. Please confirm that in both charts appear to show positive correlations between "Carrier Route" deviations from trend, (residuals) and "Other" deviation from trend, i.e., the highs and lows of the "saw teeth" appear together in the same weight increments.
- b. Were any studies performed to determine if the correlation of the residuals on the graph may have been induced by problems with design and/or data collection?
- c. If the answer to part a is affirmative, please provide all studies or analyses.