

BEFORE THE  
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON DC 20268-0001

EXPERIMENTAL PRIORITY MAIL  
FLAT-RATE BOX, 2004

Docket No. MC2004-2

DAVID B. POPKIN  
INSTITUTIONAL INTERROGATORIES TO THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE  
[DBP/USPS-7-9]

July 27, 2004

I hereby submit interrogatories to the United States Postal Service. The instructions contained in the interrogatories DFC/USPS-1-18 dated May 19, 2001, are incorporated herein by reference. Respectfully submitted,

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DBP/USPS-7 Does the United States Postal Service believe that mailers, both sophisticated and unsophisticated, should be able to make educated decisions about their use of the various services provided by the Postal Service, including weight-zone and flat-rate Priority Mail, that will be in their own best interests? If not, please explain the reasons for this belief.

DBP/USPS-8 Does the United States Postal Service believe that mailers, both sophisticated and unsophisticated, will require sufficient information about the various rates and mailing criteria in order to be able to make educated decisions about their use of the various services provided by the Postal Service, including weight-zone and flat-rate Priority Mail, that will be in their own best interests? If not, please explain the reasons for this belief.

DBP/USPS-9 [a] Does the United States Postal Service believe that it has an obligation to provide sufficient information about the various rates and mailing criteria to mailers, both sophisticated and unsophisticated, in order to allow them to be able to make educated decisions about their use of the various services provided by the Postal Service, including weight-zone and flat-rate Priority Mail, that will be in their own best interests? [b] If not, please explain the reasons for this belief. If so, please provide the details of the methods

that are utilized by the Postal Service to fulfill this obligation. Please specify which of the methods will be utilized with respect to the flat-rate Priority Mail rate and service.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon the required participants of record in accordance with Rule 12.

July 27 2004

David B. Popkin