

BEFORE THE
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON DC 20268-0001

EXPERIMENTAL PREMIUM
FORWARDING SERVICE

Docket No. MC2005-1

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INTERROGATORIES TO THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
[DBP/USPS-T1-38-48]

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I hereby submit interrogatories to the United States Postal Service. The instructions contained in the interrogatories DFC/USPS-1-18 filed May 21, 2001, in Docket C2001-1, are incorporated herein by reference. Respectfully submitted,

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DBP/USPS-T1-38 Please refer to your response to DBP/USPS-T1-35 and add a third subpart, namely, If not, why not?

DBP/USPS-T1-39 [a] May a customer enroll and/or terminate early and/or extend the service in PFS by telephone [using a credit or debit card for payment]? [b] May a customer enroll and/or terminate early and/or extend the service in PFS by facsimile [using a credit or debit card for payment]? [c] May a customer enroll and/or terminate early and/or extend the service in PFS by an e-mail message [using a credit or debit card for payment]? [d] If not, why not?

DBP/USPS-T1-40 [a] You have indicated that the maximum time for PFS service is one year. Can a customer sign up for seven months this winter and another seven months next winter? [b] If the service is made permanent, can a customer sign up for six months every winter for an unlimited number of years? [c] If not, why not?

DBP/USPS-T1-41 [a] When signing up for PFS, may a customer indicate different addresses to be utilized for shipping the mail to on different Wednesdays during the service period? [b] If not, why not?

DBP/USPS-T1-42 [a] When signing up for PFS, may a customer indicate a General Delivery address as the receiving address for the weekly shipment? [b] If not, why not?

DBP/USPS-T1-43 [a] If after signing up for PFS for a period of time, may the customer change the address to be utilized for shipping the mail to? [b] If not, why not? [c] If so, can the change be arranged by [1] mail, [2] visiting a post office other than the office that processed the original PFS request, [3] telephone, [4] facsimile, and/or [5] e-mail? [d] If the answer to any of the five sub-subparts is no, why not?

DBP/USPS-T1-44 [a] After signing up for PFS from address A to address B, may a customer file a Change of Address Order at the post office servicing address B to forward the mail to Address C? [b] If not, why not? [c] If so, will there be no additional postage due for any of the mail that is processed, namely, any mail arriving postage due at address A will be paid for at address C at the same rate as would have been paid at address B and any parcels and packages that were sent Priority Mail postage due from address A to address B will be forwarded free of additional postage due from address B to address C? [d] If not, why not?

DBP/USPS-T1-45 [a] May a customer who receives delivery at General Delivery establish PFS? [b] If not, why not?

DBP/USPS-T1-46 [a] If a customer signs up for PFS with forwarding to start on a specific Wednesday, will they be allowed and/or even be required to specify the day on which normal mail delivery will be suspended and the holding of mail to begin for processing on the specific Wednesday? [b] If not, why not? [c] If so, may the day be more than six days prior to the specific Wednesday? [d] If not, why not?

DBP/USPS-T1-47 [a] Will the post office and/or can the customer request that any delivered mail that is still accessible to the post office [such as may still be in a curbside mailbox or an apartment mailbox] be retrieved and included in the first PFS shipment? [b] If not, why not?

DBP/USPS-T1-48 [a] If a customer who receives mail delivery at a post office box or General Delivery establishes PFS, will all mail physically in the box [or being held for claim] or at General Delivery be included in the first shipment? [b] If not, why not?

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.

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