

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

POSTAL RATE AND FEE CHANGES
PURSUANT TO PUBLIC LAW 108-18

Docket No. R2005-1

RESPONSE OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE TO
PRESIDING OFFICER'S INFORMATION REQUEST
NO. 7, QUESTION 3
(July 1, 2005)

The United States Postal Service hereby provides its institutional response to Presiding Officer's Information Request (POIR) No. 7, Question 3, issued June 10, 2005.

The question is stated verbatim and is followed by the response.

Respectfully submitted,

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3. Please refer to the response to POIR 4, question 6. The table included in the response contains productivities adjusted to TY 2006 for sack activities. Refer also to USPS-LR-K-85, worksheet "Table 1." Please explain and reconcile the differences in productivities for the same activities.

Response:

In developing the cost savings from the elimination of less than 24 piece sacks in Periodicals, an error was made in adjusting the productivities to TY 2006. This error was corrected in USPS-LR-K-85. The response to POIR 4, question 6 should have used the same productivities found in USPS-LR-K-85. Errata to POIR 4, question 6 will be filed to reflect this.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served the foregoing document in accordance with Section 12 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure.

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