

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

POSTAL RATE AND FEE CHANGES, 2006

Docket No. R2006-1

**NOTICE OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
REGARDING FILING ORIGINAL DECLARATION OF AUTHENTICITY OF
WITNESS ELIANE VAN-TY-SMITH (USPS-T-11)**
(August 21, 2006)

The United States Postal Service hereby provides notice that today it has filed the original declarations of witness Eliane Van-Ty-Smith (USPS-T-11), supporting the authenticity of her direct testimony, designated interrogatory responses, and designated responses to Presiding Officer's Information Requests. Copies of these declarations (prior to signature) are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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**POSTAL RATE COMMISSION
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DECLARATION OF ELIANE VAN-TY-SMITH**

I hereby declare, under penalty of perjury, that:

The Direct Testimony of Eliane Van-Ty-Smith on Behalf of the United States Postal Service, USPS-T-11 was prepared by me or under my direction;

if I were to give this testimony before the Commission orally today, it would be the same;

the library reference marked as USPS-LR-L-55 was prepared by me or under my direction;

I sponsor Library Reference USPS-LR-L-55;

I prepared the interrogatory responses, and responses to the Presiding Officer's Information Requests, which were filed under my signature and which have been designated for inclusion in the record in this docket; and

If I were to respond to these interrogatories and Presiding Officer's Information Requests orally today, the responses would be the same.

ELIANE VAN-TY-SMITH

DATE _____

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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