

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

POSTAL RATE AND FEE CHANGES, 2006

Docket No. R2006-1

MOTION OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE FOR LATE ACCEPTANCE OF
COMPELLED RESPONSE TO DOUGLAS CARLSON REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION
OF DOCUMENTS (DFC/USPS-49)
(August 21, 2006)

Pursuant to Presiding Officer's Ruling No. R2006-1/38 (August 9, 2006), August 16 was the scheduled date to provide a compelled response to DFC/USPS-49. This schedule was not met because of the unfortunate combination of two factors: miscommunication regarding the electronic location of a copy of the files provided previously, and absence from the office on official travel of the personnel necessary to untangle this miscommunication. Since the files, however, are nothing more than a duplicate copy of files already provided, there would seem to be no basis for any possible prejudice to be caused by this short delay. The Postal Service hereby moves for late acceptance of the compelled response.

Respectfully submitted,

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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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