

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

POSTAL RATE AND FEE CHANGES, 2006

Docket No. R2006-1

ERRATA TO RESPONSES OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
TO INTERROGATORIES OF DAVID POPKIN
(DBP/USPS-550 AND 551) [ERRATA]

The United States Postal Service hereby files revised versions of the institutional responses to the above-listed interrogatories. As originally filed on August 28, 2006, the two interrogatories and their responses were inadvertently formatted to appear on the same page, when they should have appeared on separate pages. That formatting error has been corrected by the provision of the attached revised responses on separate pages to supersede the original responses. There are no substantive changes to the interrogatory responses.

Respectfully submitted,

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**RESPONSE OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
TO INTERROGATORY OF DAVID POPKIN**

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DBP/USPS-550. Please refer to your response to Interrogatory DBP/USPS-299. In Question 1a of the Small Business Version, the interview will be terminated if the person is not the one using the U.S. Postal Service for mailing and shipping needs. Please explain why this did not refer to the purchasing of stamps rather than mailing and shipping needs.

RESPONSE:

The survey targeted decision-makers about mailing and shipping needs, which includes purchasing stamps. Someone who simply purchases stamps may be doing so at another's direction.

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DBP/USPS-551. Please refer to your response to Interrogatory DBP/USPS-299. In questions 18 through 24 and 29 through 30 of the Small Business Version and questions 18 through 24 of the Consumer Version, there were different scenarios supposed to be asked to different small business owners. What method was utilized to randomly assign different respondents to different groups?

RESPONSE:

The randomization is a built-in function of the CATI (Computer Assisted Telephone Interviewing) software which is produced by Computers for Marketing Corporation (CfMC).