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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

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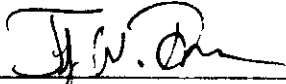
  
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Attachment to Response to MMA/USPS-T32-15(B) et al. p 1 (revised 10-23-97)  
SUMMARY OF ESTIMATED FISCAL YEAR 1998 AFTER RATES FINANCES  
(Dollars in Thousands) PRC-308

| Line No. | Description                       | Attributable Costs<br>(1) | Revenues<br>(2) | Percent of Costs<br>(Col 2/Col 1)<br>(3) | Contribution To Other Costs<br>(Col 2 - Col 1)<br>(4) |
|----------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|--|---|
| 1        | First-Class Mail                  |                           |                 |  |   |
| 2        | Single-piece Letters              | 15,494,399                | 22,148,759      | 142.95%                                  | 6,654,360   |
| 3        | Worksharing Letters               | 4,755,649                 | 11,466,010      | 241.10%                                  | 6,710,361   |
| 4        | Total Letters                     | 20,250,048                | 33,614,769      | 166.00%                                  | 13,364,721  |
| 5        | Single-piece Cards                | 557,638                   | 661,012         | 118.54%                                  | 103,374   |
| 6        | Worksharing Postcards             | 197,982                   | 427,967         | 216.16%                                  | 229,984   |
| 7        | Total Cards                       | 755,620                   | 1,088,979       | 144.12%                                  | 333,358   |
| 8        | Total                             | 21,005,668                | 34,703,748      | 165.21%                                  | 13,698,079  |
| 9        | Priority Mail                     | 2,307,317                 | 4,352,693       | 188.65%                                  | 2,045,376   |
| 10       | Express Mail                      | 720,028                   | 841,217         | 116.83%                                  | 121,189   |
| 11       | Mailgrams                         | 310                       | 4,676           | 1508.16%                                 | 4,366   |
| 12       | Periodicals                       |                           |                 |  |   |
| 13       | In County                         | 81,866                    | 83,665          | 102.20%                                  | 1,799   |
| 14       | Outside County                    |                           |                 |  |   |
| 15       | Nonprofit                         | 333,086                   | 342,631         | 102.87%                                  | 9,545   |
| 16       | Classroom                         | 11,635                    | 10,540          | 90.59%                                   | (1,095)   |
| 17       | Regular-Rate                      | 1,573,326                 | 1,688,045       | 107.35%                                  | 115,619   |
| 18       | Total                             | 1,999,913                 | 2,125,781       | 106.29%                                  | 125,868   |
| 19       | Standard Mail A                   |                           |                 |  |   |
| 20       | Single Piece                      | 0                         | 0               | 0.00%                                    | 0   |
| 21       | Commercial Regular                | 5,741,425                 | 8,022,045       | 139.72%                                  | 2,280,620   |
| 22       | Commercial Enhanced Carrier Route | 2,038,198                 | 4,304,004       | 211.17%                                  | 2,265,806   |
| 23       | Total Commercial                  | 7,779,622                 | 12,326,049      | 158.44%                                  | 4,546,427   |
| 24       | Nonprofit                         | 1,222,679                 | 1,351,433       | 110.53%                                  | 128,754   |
| 25       | Nonprofit Enhanced Carrier Route  | 127,079                   | 201,408         | 158.49%                                  | 74,329  |
| 26       | Total Nonprofit                   | 1,349,758                 | 1,552,841       | 115.05%                                  | 203,083   |
| 27       | Total Standard Mail A             | 9,129,381                 | 13,878,890      | 152.02%                                  | 4,749,509   |
| 28       | Standard Mail B                   |                           |                 |  |   |
| 29       | Parcel Post                       | 719,927                   | 782,916         | 108.75%                                  | 62,989  |
| 30       | Bound Printed Matter              | 329,563                   | 524,608         | 159.18%                                  | 195,045   |
| 31       | Special Rate                      | 278,431                   | 352,330         | 126.54%                                  | 73,899  |
| 32       | Library Rate                      | 52,475                    | 52,427          | 99.91%                                   | (48)  |
| 33       | Total                             | 1,380,396                 | 1,712,281       | 124.04%                                  | 331,885   |
| 34       | Free-for-the-Blind, etc.          | 34,619                    | 0               | 0.00%                                    | (34,619)  |
| 35       | International Mail                | 1,369,844                 | 1,643,844       | 120.00%                                  | 274,000   |
| 36       | Special Services                  |                           |                 |  |   |
| 37       | Registry                          | 70,029                    | 122,606         | 175.08%                                  | 52,577  |
| 38       | Certified                         | 341,619                   | 448,962         | 131.42%                                  | 107,343   |
| 39       | Insurance                         | 47,385                    | 74,453          | 157.12%                                  | 27,068  |
| 40       | COD                               | 20,825                    | 18,024          | 86.55%                                   | (2,801)   |
| 41       | Money Orders                      | 217,763                   | 237,240         | 108.94%                                  | 19,477  |
| 42       | Stamped Envelopes                 | 10,088                    | 16,008          | 158.69%                                  | 5,921   |
| 42a      | Stamped Cards                     | 4,585                     | 11,660          | 254.29%                                  | 7,075   |
| 42b      | Delivery Confirmation             | 22,139                    | 23,563          | 106.43%                                  | 1,424   |
| 42c      | BPRS                              | 5,410                     | 8,370           | 154.71%                                  | 2,960   |
| 42d      | Packaging Service                 | 28,098                    | 34,705          | 123.52%                                  | 6,607   |
| 43       | Special Handling                  | 1,332                     |                 |  | (1,332)   |
| 44       | Post Office Boxes                 | 634,958                   | 683,362         | 107.62%                                  | 48,404  |
| 45       | Other                             |                           | 370,652         |  | 370,652   |
| 46       | Total                             | 1,404,232                 | 2,049,606       | 145.96%                                  | 645,373   |
| 47       | Other Costs                       | 245,457                   |                 |  | (245,457)   |
| 48       | Other Income                      |                           | 217,242         |  | 217,242   |
| 49       | Attributable Costs and Revenues   | 39,597,165                | 61,529,977      | 155.39%                                  | 21,932,813  |
| 50       | Total Other Costs                 | 21,617,178                |                 |  | (21,617,178)  |
| 51       | Prior Years Loss Recovery         | 446,933                   |                 |  | (446,933)   |
| 52       | Continuing Appropriations         |                           | 67,498          |  | 67,498  |
| 53       | Investment Income                 |                           | 54,371          |  | 54,371  |
| 54       | GRAND TOTAL                       | 61,661,275                | 61,651,846      | 99.98%                                   | (9,429)   |

Sources: Attributable Costs: PRC-30F, column (6) times 1.01 (adds 1% contingency);  
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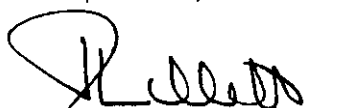
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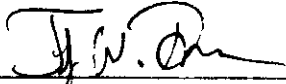
  
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