

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

COMPETITIVE PRODUCT PRICES
INBOUND EXPRESS MAIL INTERNATIONAL (EMS)
ORIGINATING FROM FOREIGN POSTS

Docket No. MC2009-10

Docket No. CP2009-12

RESPONSE OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE TO ORDER NO. 162 GROUPING BY TIER
ALL FOREIGN POSTS WHO SEND INBOUND INTERNATIONAL EXPEDITED SERVICES 2 TO THE
POSTAL SERVICE FOR DELIVERY IN THE DOMESTIC SERVICE AREA
(January 14, 2009)

In Order No. 162, the Postal Regulatory Commission added *Inbound International Expedited Services 2* to the Competitive Product List.¹ That Order also directed the Postal Service to file a “public list organizing the instant agreements to be grouped under each of the three tiers” of service.² The three service tiers were identified in the Postal Service Request,³ as follows:⁴

- 1) Pay-for-performance: available to members of the Kahala Post Group and EMS Cooperative members who elect to comply with pay-for-performance provisions;
- 2) EMS Cooperative: EMS Cooperative members who elect not to comply with pay-for-performance provisions; and
- 3) All Others: International posts who choose not to be members of the EMS Cooperative.

¹ Order No. 162, Order Adding Inbound International Expedited Services 2 to Competitive Product List (December 31, 2008).

² *Id.* at 9-10.

³ Request of the United States Postal Service Regarding Inbound Express Mail International (EMS) from Foreign Posts to Add *Inbound International Expedited Services 2* (MC2009-10, CP2009-12) to Competitive Product List; and Notice of Establishment of Rates and Classifications Not of General Applicability, at (November 19, 2008).

⁴ *Id.* at 2.

For each of these three tiers, the countries whose posts send to the Postal Service *Inbound International Expedited Services 2*, also known as Inbound Express Mail International or EMS, for delivery in the domestic service area are identified in the Attachment.

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COUNTRIES WHOSE POSTS SEND USPS INBOUND EXPRESS MAIL INTERNATIONAL (EMS)

Tier 1: Pay-for-performance

Anguilla
 Aruba
 Australia
 Azerbaijan
 Bahamas
 Barbados
 Belarus
 Belize
 Brazil
 Burundi
 Cayman Islands
 Chile
 Costa Rica
 Cyprus
 Czech Republic
 El Salvador
 Finland
 France
 Ghana
 Great Britain
 Hong Kong
 Indonesia
 Israel
 Japan
 Korea
 Malaysia
 Maldives
 Malta
 Mexico
 Netherland Antilles
 New Zealand
 Peru
 Russia
 Rwanda
 Singapore
 Spain
 St. Christopher
 St. Lucia
 Taiwan
 Trinidad & Tobago
 Uganda
 Uruguay
 Viet Nam

Tier 2: EMS Cooperative

Afghanistan
 Albania
 Algeria
 Angola
 Antigua and Barbuda
 Argentina
 Armenia
 Bangladesh
 Belgium
 Bermuda
 Benin
 Bhutan
 Bosnia and Herzegovina
 Botswana
 Bulgaria
 Burkina Faso
 Cameroon
 Cape Verde
 Central Africa
 Chad
 Colombia
 Congo (Dem. Rep.)
 Congo (Rep.)
 Croatia
 Cuba
 Djibouti
 Dominica
 Ecuador
 Eritrea
 Estonia
 Ethiopia
 Fiji
 Gabon
 Gambia
 Georgia
 Gibraltar
 Greece
 Grenada
 Guinea
 Guyana
 Hungary (Rep.)
 India
 Iran (Islamic Rep.)
 Iraq
 Ireland
 Italy
 Jamaica
 Jordan
 Kazakhstan
 Kenya
 Kiribati
 Kosovo UNMIK*
 Kyrgyzstan
 Lao People's Dem Rep.
 Latvia
 Lesotho

Tier 3: All Others

Bolivia
 Brunei Darussalam
 Cambodia
 Comoros
 Cote d'Ivoire (Rep.)
 Dominica Republic
 Egypt
 Falkland Islands (Ma
 French Polynesia
 Guatemala
 Guinea-Bissau
 Honduras (Rep.)
 Iceland
 Kuwait
 Lebanon
 Liberia
 Libyan Jamahiriya
 Liechtenstein
 Luxembourg
 Mali
 Monaco
 Montserrat
 Nauru
 Nepal
 New Caledonia
 Nicaragua
 Oman
 Samoa
 San Marino
 Serbia
 Seychelles
 Sierra Leone
 Somalia
 Suriname
 Swaziland
 Tajikistan
 Turkmenistan

COUNTRIES WHOSE POSTS SEND USPS INBOUND EXPRESS MAIL INTERNATIONAL (EMS)

Tier 1: Pay-for-performanceTier 2: EMS CooperativeTier 3: All Others

Lithuania
Macedonia
Macao
Madagascar
Malawi
Mauritania
Mauritius
Moldova
Mongolia
Morocco
Mozambique
Myanmar
Namibia
Netherlands
Niger
Nigeria
Pakistan
Panama (Rep.)
Papua New Guinea
Paraguay
Philippines
Poland
Portugal
Qatar
Romania
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Sao Tome and Principe
Saudi Arabia
Senegal
Slovakia
Slovenia
Solomon Islands
South Africa
Sri Lanka
Sudan
Sweden
Switzerland
Syrian Arab Rep.
Tanzania (United Rep.)
Thailand
Togo
Tunisia
Turkey
Turks and Caicos Islands
Ukraine
United Arab Emirates
Uzbekistan
Vanuatu
Venezuela
Yemen
Zambia
Zimbabwe