

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

COMPETITIVE PRODUCT PRICES
ROYAL MAIL INBOUND AIR PARCEL POST AGREEMENT
NEGOTIATED SERVICE AGREEMENT

Docket No. MC2009-24

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ROYAL MAIL INBOUND AIR PARCEL POST AGREEMENT (MC2009-24)
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Docket No. CP2009-28

**UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE RESPONSE TO ORDER NO. 218
CONCERNING TERMINATION DATE OF ROYAL MAIL INBOUND AIR PARCEL
POST NEGOTIATED SERVICE AGREEMENT**

(June 2, 2009)

On May 29, 2009, the Postal Regulatory Commission (Commission) issued Order No. 218, adding the Royal Mail Inbound Air Parcel Post Agreement to the Competitive Products List.¹ In that Order, the Commission requested that the Postal Service give notice of the agreement's termination date. As indicated in the Postal Service's initial filing, this Agreement is set to take effect after the Postal Service notifies Royal Mail that all necessary approvals and reviews of the Agreement have been obtained, culminating with a favorable conclusion on review by the Commission, and the agreement is scheduled to remain in effect until terminated by the parties.²

The Postal Service notified Royal Mail on June 2, 2009, of the attainment of necessary approvals and reviews. According to the parties' correspondence, the agreement's start date will be July 1, 2009. Although scheduled termination is not a

¹ PRC Order No. 218, Order Concerning Royal Mail Inbound Air Parcel Post Negotiated Service Agreement, Docket Nos. MC2009-24 and CP2009-28, May 29, 2009, at 10.

² Request of the United States Postal Service to Add Royal Mail Inbound Air Parcel Post Agreement to the Competitive Products List, and Notice of Filing (Under Seal) Contract and Enabling Governors' Decision, Docket Nos. MC2009-24 and CP2009-28, April 21, 2009, at 2.

feature of the agreement, the Postal Service will provide the Commission with timely notification of any termination of the agreement, in accordance with Order No. 218.

Respectfully submitted,

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