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

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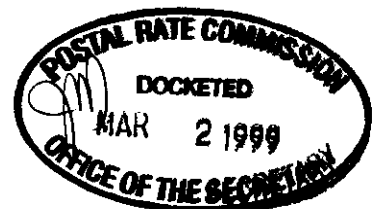
Docket No. MC98-1

OFFICE OF THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE
NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY
OF WITNESSES
(March 2, 1999)

Pursuant to P.O. Ruling MC98-1/18, setting forth the revised procedural schedule in this case, the Office of the Consumer Advocate ("OCA") hereby submits its report on the availability of its witnesses for oral cross-examination. Witnesses Callow and Collins are available throughout the period designated for hearings on participants' direct cases. The OCA notes, however, that no discovery has been directed to witness Collins. It may therefore be possible to dispense with her appearance for oral cross-examination.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the rules of practice.


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