

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

MODIFICATION OF MAIL CLASSIFICATION SCHEDULE FOR  
EXPRESS MAIL INTERNATIONAL FLAT RATE ENVELOPES

Docket No.  
MC2012-30

**NOTICE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OF  
CLASSIFICATION CHANGES**  
(June 25, 2012)

Pursuant to 39 C.F.R. §§ 3020.90 and 3020.91, the United States Postal Service (Postal Service) hereby gives notice of a minor change in classification governing Express Mail International (EMI). The change adds the EMI Padded Flat Rate Envelope as another Flat Rate Envelope option in the EMI product category. The dimensions (12.5 inches by 9.5 inches) of the EMI Padded Flat Rate Envelope are the same dimensions as the EMI Flat Rate Envelope. In addition, the price for the EMI Padded Flat Rate Envelope (\$29.25 to Canada and \$38.00 to all other countries that offer EMI service) is the same as the price for the current EMI Flat Rate Envelope and EMI Legal Flat Rate Envelope. Finally, all other standards (e.g., maximum weight limit of 20 pounds) that apply to the EMI Flat Rate Envelope and EMI Legal Flat Rate Envelope, also apply to the EMI Padded Flat Rate Envelope. The minor change is designed to increase customer Flat Rate Envelope options.

The Postal Service is filing this notice one business day after the filing of a related notice of changes in rates of general applicability and of concomitant classification changes for a competitive product – specifically, Express Mail.<sup>1</sup>

The Postal Service hereby submits to the Commission the attached conforming changes in the Mail Classification Schedule. The Postal Service believes that the changes are consistent with 39 U.S.C. § 3642 and should be incorporated by the Commission into the Mail Classification Schedule.

Respectfully submitted,

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<sup>1</sup> Notice of the United States Postal Service of Changes in Rates of General Applicability for a Competitive Product, Established in Governors' Decision No. 12-1, PRC Docket No. CP2012-39, June 22, 2012.

## **PART B**

### **COMPETITIVE PRODUCTS**

**2000 COMPETITIVE PRODUCT LIST**

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**2001 COMPETITIVE PRODUCT DESCRIPTIONS**

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**2300 International Products**

**2305 Outbound International Expedited Services**

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**2305.2 Size and Weight Limitations**

*Express Mail International<sup>1</sup>*

	<b>Length</b>	<b>Height</b>	<b>Thickness</b>	<b>Weight</b>
Minimum	Large enough to accommodate postage, address, and other required elements on the address side			none
Maximum	79 inches			70 pounds
	108 inches in combined length and girth			
Flat Rate Envelopes	Nominal Sizes: Regular: 9.5 x 12.5 inches Legal: 9.5 x 15 inches Padded: 9.5 x 12.5 inches			20 pounds
Flat Rate Boxes	Sizes: Various sizes as defined in the IMM. – not to exceed .35 cu. ft.			20 pounds

**Notes**

1. Country-specific restrictions may apply as specified in the International Mail Manual.

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