

**BEFORE THE
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION**

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**NOTICE OF INTERVENTION OF
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF LETTER CARRIERS, AFL-CIO**

Pursuant to 39 C.F.R. §3001.20, the National Association of Letter Carriers, AFL-CIO (“NALC”) hereby submits this notice of intervention in the above-referenced case.

NALC designates the following two individuals to receive service on its behalf:

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- (2) James Holland, National Association of Letter Carriers, AFL-CIO, 100 Indiana Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20001-2144, Email: Holland@nalc.org; Telephone: 202-393-4695

NALC respectfully requests permission to file this notice of intervention one day after the January 21, 2014 deadline. NALC’s late filing is the result of yesterday’s snowstorm, which caused early office closings in both Washington, DC, where NALC has its headquarters, and in New York City, where NALC’s counsel is based. NALC submits that the snowstorm constitutes good cause within the meaning of Section 3001.20(c) and that neither the United States Postal Service nor any other party would be prejudiced were the Commission to permit NALC to intervene one day after the January 21 deadline.

NALC, which is the collective bargaining representative of city letter carriers employed by the Postal Service, has an interest in the issues to be decided in the above-referenced case because the changes proposed by the Postal Service may directly or indirectly impact letter carrier work hours and work schedules. In addition, both NALC and its members are mail users, and have an interest as mail users in any changes to mail processing and mail delivery schedules.

NALC has not yet determined its position regarding the Postal Service's proposed changes, nor whether it seeks a hearing, nor whether, if there is a hearing, it will actively participate. NALC's determination on these questions may turn, among other things, on the evidence presented by the Postal Service and other parties in the proceeding.

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Respectfully submitted,

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