

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

RATE ADJUSTMENT DUE TO EXTRAORDINARY  
OR EXCEPTIONAL CIRCUMSTANCES

Docket No. R2013-11

**NOTICE OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OF FILING  
REVENUE COLLECTION REPORT FOR QUARTER 3 OF FISCAL YEAR 2014**  
(August 15, 2014)

In accordance with Order No. 2075, issued on May 2, 2014,<sup>1</sup> the Postal Service hereby submits its report on the amount of exigent surcharge revenue collected for the quarter ending June 30, 2014 (“Revenue Collection Report” or “Report”).<sup>2</sup> As set forth in the Report filed with this pleading, the Postal Service collected \$501.5 million in exigent surcharge revenue in Q3 of FY2014. Since the exigent surcharge was implemented, the Postal Service has collected \$855.8 million in cumulative surcharge revenue.<sup>3</sup>

Similar to its Revenue Collection Report for Q2 of FY2014, the Postal Service has rationally adjusted this quarter’s Report to reflect the effect of Postage In the Hands of the Public (“PIHOP Adjustment”). Consistent with the methodology outlined in the *Response of the United States Postal Service to Order No. 2075*, filed on May 15, 2015,

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<sup>1</sup> Docket No. R2013-11, Order No 2075: Order Denying Stay and Establishing Schedule for Reporting Requirements, at 11 (May 2, 2014).

<sup>2</sup> The Revenue Collection Report is being filed with this pleading as *ExigSrchgRevREPORT(3Q14).xls*. Supporting workpapers are also being filed as: *ExigSrchgRevFCM(3Q14).xls*; *ExigSrchgRevSTM(3Q14).xls*; *ExigSrchgRevPER(3Q14).xls*; *ExigSrchgRevSPEC-SERV(3Q14).xls*; and *ExigSrchgRevPACK-SERV(3Q14).xls*. Finally, an excel workbook showing the cumulative surcharge revenue for Q2 and Q3 of FY2014 is being filed as *ExigSrchgRevCUMULATIVE(2Q+3Q14).xls*.

<sup>3</sup> It is important to note that the cumulative surcharge revenue figure incorporates adjustments made in the Postal Service’s responses to questions 1-4 of Presiding Officer’s Information Request No. 13, filed on June 6, 2014. Accordingly, the cumulative surcharge revenue cannot be calculated by simply summing the total surcharge revenue reported in *ExigSrchgRevREPORT(2Q14).xls* and *ExigSrchgRevREPORT(3Q14).xls*.

the \$119.39 million PIHOP Adjustment is being evenly dividing across the six fiscal quarters during which the exigent surcharge is expected to remain in effect.<sup>4</sup>

Accordingly, in this Revenue Collection Report, the PIHOP Adjustment is shown as \$19.89 million.<sup>5</sup>

Respectfully submitted,

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<sup>4</sup> Docket No. R2013-11, Response of the United States Postal Service to Order No. 2075, at 2-3 (May15, 2014).

<sup>5</sup> As the Postal Service has previously stated, should the exigent surcharge be collected at a faster rate than anticipated, the Postal Service would include the remaining value of the \$119.39 million PIHOP Adjustment in the final Revenue Collection Report filed with the Commission.