

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

MARKET TEST OF EXPERIMENTAL PRODUCT-  
CUSTOMIZED DELIVERY

Docket No. MT2014-1

REQUEST OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE FOR  
EXTENSION OF CUSTOMIZED DELIVERY MARKET TEST  
(July 8, 2016)

Pursuant to 39 U.S.C. § 3641(d)(2) and Order No. 2224 (October 23, 2014), the United States Postal Service hereby requests an additional one year extension of the Customized Delivery market test. The Postal Service formally implemented the Customized Delivery market test on November 1, 2014, in the San Francisco metropolitan area, before expanding the test into the Los Angeles, San Diego, New York City, Sacramento, Stamford, and Las Vegas metropolitan areas over the past year. The market test is currently set to expire on October 31, 2016.

The Postal Service intends to expand the Customized Delivery market test to a number of additional markets over the next year, so that the Postal Service can examine the market in a wider range of metropolitan areas. Additionally, the Postal Service plans to continue to test in the markets it has entered into during 2016. The Postal Service has determined that it will be necessary to continue the market test in a variety of metropolitan areas over the next year, in order for the Postal Service to make

a final determination on the operational feasibility and the desirability of making Customized Delivery a permanent product.

Accordingly, the Postal Service respectfully requests to extend the Customized Delivery market test for one additional year, until October 31, 2017. All other aspects of the Customized Delivery market test as previously detailed in this docket will remain unchanged, and in compliance with 39 U.S.C. § 3641 and Commission Order No. 2224.

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