

**BEFORE THE  
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001**

**Evolutionary Network Development  
Service Changes**

**Docket No. N2006-1**

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INTERROGATORIES TO THE  
UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE  
(DFC/USPS-6-11)**

**May 1, 2006**

Pursuant to sections 25–27 of the *Rules of Practice*, I hereby submit interrogatories to the United States Postal Service. The instructions submitted with my interrogatories DFC/USPS-1–5 are incorporated herein by reference.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: May 1, 2006

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**DFC/USPS-6.** For each collection box in the 983, 984, or 985 ZIP Code area whose final weekday collection time was changed from 5:00 PM or later to a time earlier than 5:00 PM due in whole or in part to the consolidation of outgoing mail-processing operations from the Olympia P&DF to the Tacoma P&DC, please provide the location ID number, box address, city, average weekday volume of mail collected, and the date when the volume data were collected.

**DFC/USPS-7.** Please refer to the response to DFC/USPS-4. Please provide all documents, from any level in the Postal Service, relating to the Postal Service's consideration, evaluation, or assessment of the extent to which a change in any collection times from 5:00 PM to 4:00 PM in the 983, 984, or 985 ZIP Code area would or would not meet the needs or requirements of the community or conform to the Postal Service's national service standards for collections.

**DFC/USPS-8.** Please provide the date on which outgoing mail-processing operations for the 939 ZIP Code area were transferred from the Salinas P&DF to the San Jose P&DC.

**DFC/USPS-9.** Please confirm that the consolidation of outgoing mail-processing operations for the 939 ZIP Code area from the Salinas P&DF to the San Jose P&DC was one reason why final collection times in the 950 ZIP Code area were changed to an earlier hour in 2001 or 2002. If you do not confirm, please explain.

**DFC/USPS-10.** Please provide a list of the facilities that process outgoing mail on weekdays but not Saturdays. In this list, please identify the facility to which these facilities send their outgoing mail on Saturdays.

**DFC/USPS-11.** Suppose plant A processes outgoing mail on weekdays, but on Saturdays, plant A sends its mail to plant B for processing. Do any situations exist in which the First-Class Mail service standard from the service area of plant A to a particular three-digit ZIP Code is two days, but the First-Class Mail service standard to the same three-digit ZIP Code from the service area of plant B is three days?