

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

POSTAL RATE AND FEE CHANGES, 2006

Docket No. R2006-1

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE MOTION FOR LATE ACCEPTANCE
OF THE FILING OF RESPONSES OF POSTAL SERVICE
WITNESS MCCRERY TO POSTCOM/USPS-T42-1-9
(July 31, 2006)

The United States Postal Service hereby moves for late acceptance of the responses of Postal Service witness Marc D. McCrery to the above-listed interrogatories of POSTCOM. The need to address the flood of discovery filed at the close of the initial discovery period regarding the Postal Service's case-in-chief made it difficult for the undersigned counsel to review every response in time for filing. Therefore, these responses are being filed one business day late. Considering the minimal delay involved, the Postal Service does not believe that any party has been prejudiced.

Respectfully submitted,

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