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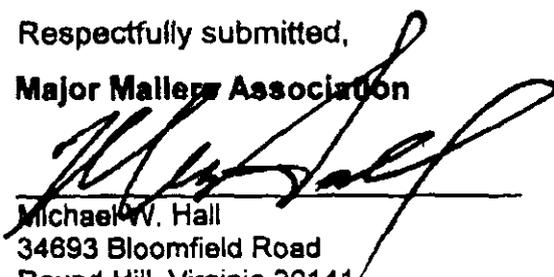
Docket No. R2000-1

**Major Mailers Association's Notice Of Intent To Conduct Oral Cross-Examination  
Of USPS Witnesses Richard L. Patelunas And Thomas E. Thress  
And Motion To File Notice One Day Out-Of-Time**

Pursuant to Rule 30 (e)(3) of the Commission's Rules of Practice, Major Mailers Association ("MMA") hereby gives notice that it intends to conduct oral cross-examination of USPS witnesses Richard L. Patelunas and Thomas E. Thress, both of whom are scheduled to appear on August 3 by direction of Presiding Officer's Ruling 103, issued July 31, 2000. MMA currently anticipates that such cross-examination will be directed toward interrogatories and a request for admissions filed by MMA and matters addressed by the witnesses in their prepared supplemental testimony. This notice is being filed one day out of time due to the press of other business. Doing so will not harm any party. Accordingly, good cause exists to accept this notice for filing.

Respectfully submitted,

**Major Mailers Association**

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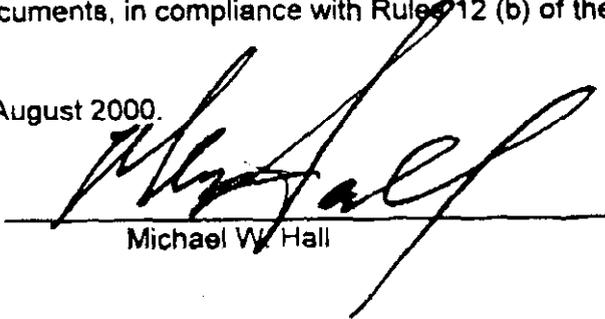
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Dated: Round Hill, VA  
August 1, 2000

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have served the foregoing document upon the United States Postal Service, Ted P. Gerarden, the Designated Officer of the Commission, and participants who requested service of all discovery documents, in compliance with Rule 12 (b) of the Commission's Rules of Practice.

Dated this 1st day of August 2000.

  
Michael W. Hall