

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

POSTAL RATE AND FEE CHANGES, 2006

Docket No. R2006-1

RESPONSE OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
TO INTERROGATORY OF DAVID B. POPKIN
(DBP/USPS-545)

The United States Postal Service hereby provides its response to the following interrogatory of David B. Popkin, filed on August 14, 2006: DBP/USPS-545.

The interrogatory is stated verbatim and is followed by the response.

Respectfully submitted,

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DBP/USPS-545 Please refer to footnote 2 on page 6 of the Testimony USPS-T-38 revised on August 10, 2006 and Witness Yeh's oral testimony on August 11, 2006.

[a] Please confirm, or explain if you are unable to confirm, that presently a mailer who is aware of the regulations for the preparation of Bound Printed Matter and the postage that is required for the mailpiece will be able to bring the mailpiece to an Automated Postal Center [APC], obtain the required postage from the APC, and deposit the mailpiece into the APC mail deposit drop.

[b] Please confirm, or explain if you are unable to confirm, that the same capability will be available under the proposed regulations.

RESPONSE:

(a) Confirmed.

(b) No changes are planned to APC programming with respect to the change discussed in footnote 2.