

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

Rate and Service Changes to Implement  
Baseline Negotiated Service Agreement  
With Washington Mutual Bank

Docket No. MC2006-3

PRESIDING OFFICER'S RULING DESIGNATING  
MATERIALS AND ESTABLISHING  
PROCEDURAL DATES

(Issued October 11, 2006)

During hearings on July 31, 2006, Washington Mutual Bank witness Rapaport responded to a series of questions from the Presiding Officer concerning a "targeting engine." Tr. 2/236-41. On September 1, 2006, Washington Mutual Bank filed a response to a Presiding Officer's request that this targeting engine be provided subject to protective conditions. The September 1 response is designated for admission into the evidentiary record in this case.

The Postal Service has indicated its intent to file surrebuttal testimony in this case. The hearing date for Postal Service surrebuttal testimony will be November 9. Briefs will be due November 20, and reply briefs will be due December 1.

## RULING

1. The Washington Mutual Bank Response to Request of the Presiding Officer filed September 1, 2006, is received in evidence.
2. The hearing date for Postal Service surrebuttal testimony is November 9, 2006.
3. Briefs are due November 20, 2006.
4. Reply briefs are due December 1, 2006.