

Wednesday, May 27, 2009

1:30 p.m. Briefing on Internal Safety Culture (Public Meeting) (Contact: June Cai, 301-415-5192).

This meeting will be webcast live at the Web address—<http://www.nrc.gov>.

Thursday, May 28, 2009

9:30 a.m. Briefing on Fire Protection Closure Plan (Public Meeting) (Contact: Alex Klein, 301-415-2822).

This meeting will be webcast live at the Web address—<http://www.nrc.gov>.

### Week of June 1, 2009—Tentative

Wednesday, June 3, 2009

9:30 a.m. Briefing on New Reactor Issues—Component Fabrication and Oversight—Part 1 (Public Meeting).

1:30 p.m. Briefing on New Reactor Issues—Component Fabrication and Oversight—Part 2 (Public Meeting) (Contact for both parts: Roger Rihm, 301-415-7807).

Both parts of this meeting will be webcast live at the Web address—<http://www.nrc.gov>.

Thursday, June 4, 2009

9:30 a.m. Briefing on Digital Instrumentation and Control (Public Meeting) (Contact: Steve Arndt, 301-415-6502).

This meeting will be webcast live at the Web address—<http://www.nrc.gov>.

1:30 p.m. Meeting with the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (Public Meeting) (Contact: Tanny Santos, 301-415-7270).

This meeting will be webcast live at the Web address—<http://www.nrc.gov>.

### Week of June 8, 2009—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of June 8, 2009.

### Week of June 15, 2009—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of June 15, 2009.

\*The schedule for Commission meetings is subject to change on short notice. To verify the status of meetings, call (recording)—(301) 415-1292. Contact person for more information: Rochelle Baval, (301) 415-1651.

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Dated: May 7, 2009.

**Rochelle C. Baval,**

*Office of the Secretary.*

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## POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. CP2009-29; Order No. 210]

### Global Direct Contracts (MC2009-9) Agreement

**AGENCY:** Postal Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission is noticing a recently filed Postal Service request to add an additional Global Direct Contracts agreement to the Competitive Product List. This notice addresses procedural steps associated with this filing.

**DATES:** Comments are due May 13, 2009.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit comments electronically via the Commission's Filing Online system at <http://www.prc.gov>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Stephen L. Sharfman, General Counsel, 202-789-6820 and [stephen.sharfman@prc.gov](mailto:stephen.sharfman@prc.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

#### I. Background

On May 1, 2009, the Postal Service filed a notice announcing that it has entered into an additional Global Direct Contracts agreement.<sup>1</sup> Global Direct Contracts provide a rate for mail acceptance within the United States, transportation to a receiving country of mail that bears the destination country's indicia and payment by the Postal Service of the appropriate settlement charges to the receiving country. The Postal Service believes the instant

<sup>1</sup> Notice of United States Postal Service Filing of Functionally Equivalent Global Direct Contracts Negotiated Service Agreement, May 1, 2009 (Notice).

agreement is functionally equivalent to previously submitted Global Direct agreements, and supported by the Governors' Decision filed in Docket No. MC2008-7.<sup>2</sup> The Postal Service contends that the instant agreement should be included within the Global Direct Contracts product.

*The instant agreement.* The Postal Service filed the instant agreement pursuant to 39 CFR 3015.5. In addition, the Postal Service contends that the agreement is in accordance with PRC Order No. 153.<sup>3</sup> It submitted the agreement and supporting material under seal, and attached a redacted copy of the certified statement required by 39 CFR 3015.5(c)(2) to the Notice.

The Notice provides the Postal Service's rationale for concluding that the instant agreement is functionally equivalent to the agreements filed in Docket Nos. CP2009-10, CP2009-11 and CP2009-18. *Id.* at 2-6.

The Postal Service states that the instant agreement fits within the Mail Classification Schedule language for Global Direct Contracts, and indicates that this agreement is set to expire 1 year after its effective date which the Postal Service states will be within 30 days of completion of all regulatory approvals.<sup>4</sup>

The Postal Service asserts that “[i]n almost all substantive respects” the instant agreement “resembles the contract in Docket No. CP2009-11[.]” *Id.* at 4. It notes that the agreement contains a volume commitment, whereas the agreement in Docket No. CP2009-11 has a postage commitment. Notwithstanding any differences in prices, foreign services offered, foreign destinations, or volume or postage commitments, the Postal Service contends that the instant agreement is functionally equivalent to Global Direct agreements filed previously. *Id.* at 4-5. It characterizes other differences from previous Global Direct agreements as cosmetic or minor, having no effect on

<sup>2</sup> Notice at 1-2. See Docket No. MC2008-7, Request of the United States Postal Service To Add Global Plus 2 Negotiated Service Agreements to the Competitive Product List, and Notice of Filing (Under Seal) the Enabling Governors' Decision and Two Functionally Equivalent Agreements, August 8, 2008; Attachment A is a redacted version of Decision of the Governors of the United States Postal Service on the Establishment of Prices and Classifications for Global Direct, Global Bulk Economy, and Global Plus Contracts (Governors' Decision No. 08-10), July 16, 2008. The Postal Service also filed under seal an unredacted version of the Governors' Decision in that docket.

<sup>3</sup> PRC Order No. 153, Order Concerning Global Direct Contracts Negotiated Service Agreements, December 19, 2008.

<sup>4</sup> The Postal Service notes this agreement has the same one-year duration as the previously approved Global Direct Contract agreements. Notice at 5.

the agreement's "essential cost or market characteristics." *Id.* at 6.

Lastly, the Postal Service notes that the agreement contains provisions that provide certain automatic price changes triggered by objective, external factors. It argues that "[t]he formulaic, pre-established nature of such changes essentially removes them from the area of Postal Service discretion." *Id.* at 5, n.8. Consequently, the Postal Service asserts that such changes do not represent price changes under 39 CFR 3015.5. Thus, in lieu of filing under rule 3015.5, it "proposes to file such changes with the Commission on a notice-type basis, without the expectation that the filings should lead to further proceedings or review." *Id.*

## II. Notice of Filing

The Commission establishes Docket No. CP2009-29 for consideration of matters related to the agreement identified in the Postal Service's Notice.

Interested persons may submit comments on whether the Postal Service's agreement is consistent with the policies of 39 U.S.C. 3632, 3633, or 3642. Comments are due no later than May 13, 2009. The public portions of these filings can be accessed via the Commission's Web site (<http://www.prc.gov>).

The Commission appoints Michael J. Ravnitzky to serve as Public Representative in the captioned filings.

### *It Is Ordered:*

1. The Commission establishes Docket No. CP2009-29 for consideration of the matters raised in this docket.

2. Pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 505, Michael J. Ravnitzky is appointed to serve as officer of the Commission (Public Representative) to represent the interests of the general public in these proceedings.

3. Comments by interested persons in these proceedings are due no later than May 13, 2009.

4. The Secretary shall arrange for publication of this order in the **Federal Register**.

By the Commission.

**Steven W. Williams,**

*Secretary.*

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## POSTAL SERVICE

### Privacy Act of 1974, System of Records

**AGENCY:** Postal Service™.

**ACTION:** Notice of modification to existing systems of records.

**SUMMARY:** The United States Postal Service® is proposing to modify three of its Privacy Act Systems of Records: USPS 810.200, <http://www.usps.gov> Ordering, Payment, and Fulfillment; USPS 880.000, Post Office and Retail Services; and USPS 900.000, International Services. The proposed modifications reflect changes regarding how Customs declaration forms are collected, analyzed, and reported to appropriate Federal authorities. The proposed modifications to USPS 880.000, Post Office and Retail Services, reflect administrative updates as well as the sharing of certain claims data with foreign posts as a result of changes to title 39 of the United States Code.

**DATES:** Any interested party may submit written comments on the proposed modifications. The proposed modifications will become effective without further notice on June 22, 2009 unless comments received on or before that date result in a contrary determination.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments on this proposal should be mailed or delivered to the Records Office, U.S. Postal Service, 475 L'Enfant Plaza SW., Room 5801, Washington, DC 20260. Copies of all written comments will be available for public inspection and photocopying at the above address between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jane Eyre at 202-268-2608.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In this notice, USPS® is modifying three existing systems of records pursuant to the Privacy Act of 1974, 5 U.S.C. 552a: USPS 810.200, <http://www.usps.com> Ordering, Payment, and Fulfillment; USPS 880.000, Post Office and Retail Services; and USPS 900.000, International Services. These changes add a routine use to allow disclosure of certain Customs declaration information to the Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) and other entities charged with enforcing foreign asset control policies, and to the U.S. Census Bureau (Census) for trade reporting purposes. The changes also add a routine use to permit disclosure of claims payment information to foreign posts. These changes are proposed for the reasons discussed below.

## I. Background

Currently, USPS® provides Customs declaration information to U.S. Customs and Border Protection (Customs) pursuant to Federal law. The OFAC and the Census have advised the Postal Service™ of requirements to provide certain information collected on the Customs declaration forms and other

records to their agencies. Consequently, we have revised the notices for Systems of Records that relate to Customs declarations. We have added 39 U.S.C. 407 as an additional authority for collection of this information. Changes to USPS 880.000 include revisions to retention periods for records and reflect changes within the organization.

## II. Rationale for Changes to USPS Privacy Act Systems of Records

The OFAC is a regulatory office within the Department of the Treasury responsible for, among other things, promulgating, developing, and administering economic and trade sanctions against certain foreign countries. Some OFAC regulations apply to the Postal Service's handling of mail destined to these foreign countries.

The International Emergency Economic Powers Act (IEEPA), 50 U.S.C. 1701-1706, authorizes the President to identify and respond to unusual or extraordinary threats originating outside the United States. Under this authority, President William Clinton issued Executive Orders 12957, 12959, and 13059, each of which prohibits specific transactions (including shipments of certain goods) with respect to the designated countries. In response to these orders, OFAC issued comprehensive regulations governing such shipments and transactions (31 CFR Chapter V). The Postal Service™ is subject to these regulations and must implement procedures to ensure compliance. Procedures include the capture of Customs information for certain mailpieces, the transmission of information to the OFAC (31 CFR 501.602), and the retention of related records for at least 5 years (31 CFR 501.601).

A prior **Federal Register** notice, dated May 6, 2005 (70 FR 24128-24129), established that Customs information may be disclosed to appropriate U.S. Customs officials under Privacy Act System of Records USPS 900.000, International Services, and, to the extent necessary, USPS 810.200, <http://www.usps.com> Ordering, Payment, and Fulfillment. These systems of records have been modified to add a routine use allowing disclosure to the OFAC.

Pursuant to 13 U.S.C. 301-309, the Census is responsible for collecting statistical data on foreign trade. While the mail has historically been exempt from this program, the Foreign Relations Authorization Act of 2002 (Pub. L. 107-228) amended 13 U.S.C. 303 to end the exemption. As a result, the Postal Service™ and its customers are now subject to the filing requirements in