

occur prior to communication of the rates to the UPU rather than filing rates with the Commission after August 31.<sup>5</sup>

The Postal Service indicates that it proposes no changes to the classification of Inbound International Expedited Services 2 included with its notice. Notice at 2. It acknowledges that it incorporates by reference the explanations of the Inbound International Expedited Services 2 contained in its Request in Docket Nos. MC2009–10 and CP2009–12 and other materials filed in Docket No. CP2009–57. In Docket No. CP2009–57, the Postal Service explained that “the two-tiered rate structure for Inbound Expedited Services exists as a result of the EMS Cooperative’s expectation that all of its members will participate in the Pay-for-performance Plan.” *Id.*

The Postal Service asserts that its filing demonstrates compliance with 39 U.S.C. 3633. *Id.* at 3.

### III. Supplemental Information

Pursuant to 39 CFR 3015.6, the Commission requests the Postal Service to provide the following supplemental information by August 19, 2010:

Please provide the Postal Service’s EMS Cooperative Report Cards, including performance measurements, for calendar year 2009.

### IV. Notice of Filing

The Commission establishes Docket No. CP2010–90 for consideration of matters related to the issues identified in the Postal Service’s Notice.

Interested persons may submit comments on whether the Postal Service’s contract is consistent with the policies of 39 U.S.C. 3632, 3633 or 3642. Comments are due no later than August 19, 2010. The public portions of these filings can be accessed via the Commission’s Web site (<http://www.prc.gov>).

The Commission appoints Paul L. Harrington as Public Representative in this proceeding.

### V. Ordering Paragraphs

*It is ordered:*

1. The Commission establishes Docket No. CP2010–90 for consideration of the issues raised in this docket.

2. Comments by interested persons in these proceedings are due no later than August 19, 2010.

3. Pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 505, Paul L. Harrington is appointed to serve as officer of the Commission (Public Representative) to represent the interest

of the general public in these proceedings.

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

By the Commission.

**Pamela Swegman,**

*Alternate Federal Register Liaison.*

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## POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION

### Sunshine Act Meetings

**DATE AND TIME:** Friday, September 10, 2010, at 2:30 p.m.

**PLACE:** Commission conference room, 901 New York Avenue, NW., Suite 200, Washington, DC 20268–0001.

**STATUS:** Open.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:**

Consideration and adoption of FY 2012 budget.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:**

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Dated: August 18, 2010.

**Shoshana M. Grove,**

*Secretary.*

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## POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. MC2010–31 and CP2010–76; Order No. 498]

### New Postal Product

**AGENCY:** Postal Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission is noticing a recently-filed Postal Service filing to add Priority Mail Contract 26 to the competitive product list. The Postal Service has also filed a related contract. This notice addresses procedural steps associated with the filing.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit comments electronically via the Commission’s Filing Online system at <http://www.prc.gov>. Commenters who cannot submit their views electronically should contact the person identified in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section by telephone for advice on alternatives to electronic filing.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

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### I. Introduction

Pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 3642 and 39 CFR 3020.30 *et seq.*, the Postal Service filed a formal request and associated supporting information to add Priority Mail Contract 26 to the competitive product list.<sup>1</sup> The Postal Service asserts that Priority Mail Contract 26 is a competitive product “not of general applicability” within the meaning of 39 U.S.C. 3632(b)(3). *Id.* at 1. The Postal Service states that prices and classification underlying this contract are supported by Governors’ Decision No. 09–6 in Docket No. MC2009–25. *Id.* The Request has been assigned Docket No. MC2010–31.

The Postal Service contemporaneously filed a contract related to the proposed new product pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 3632(b)(3) and 39 CFR 3015.5. The contract has been assigned Docket No. CP2010–76.

*Request.* In support of its Request, the Postal Service filed six attachments as follows:

- Attachment A—a redacted copy of the Governor’s Decision No. 09–6, originally filed in Docket No. MC2009–25, authorizing certain Priority Mail contracts;
- Attachment B—a redacted copy of the contract;
- Attachment C—a proposed change in the Mail Classification Schedule competitive product list;
- Attachment D—a Statement of Supporting Justification as required by 39 CFR 3020.32;
- Attachment E—a certification of compliance with 39 U.S.C. 3633(a); and
- Attachment F—an application for non-public treatment of materials to maintain redacted portions of the contract and supporting document under seal.

In the Statement of Supporting Justification, Brian G. Denny, Acting Manager, Sales and Communications, asserts that the service to be provided under the contract will cover its attributable costs, make a positive contribution to institutional costs, and increase contribution toward the requisite 5.5 percent of the Postal Service’s total institutional costs. *Id.*, Attachment D. Thus, Mr. Denny

<sup>1</sup> Request of the United States Postal Service to Add Priority Mail Contract 26 to Competitive Product List and Notice of Filing (Under Seal) of Contract and Supporting Data, July 21, 2010 (Request).

<sup>5</sup> Generally, 39 CFR 3015 requires that rates not of general applicability be filed at least 15 days prior to their effective date.