POSTAL SERVICE

Product Change—Priority Mail Negotiated Service Agreement

AGENCY: Postal Service™.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Postal Service gives notice of filing a request with the Postal Regulatory Commission to add a domestic shipping services contract to the list of Negotiated Service Agreements in the Mail Classification Schedule’s Competitive Products List.

DATES: Date of required notice: December 13, 2018.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Elizabeth Reed, 202–268–3179.


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Privacy Act of 1974; System of Records

AGENCY: Postal Service™.

ACTION: Notice of a modified system of records.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974, the United States Postal Service® (Postal Service) is revising the notice for Privacy Act System of Records USPS 910.000, Identity and Document Verification Services.

DATES: These revisions will become effective without further notice on January 14, 2019 unless comments received on or before that date result in a contrary determination.

ADDRESSES: Comments may be mailed or delivered to the Privacy and Records Management Office, United States Postal Service, 475 L’Enfant Plaza SW, Room 1P830, Washington, DC 20260–1101. Copies of all written comments will be available at this address for public inspection and photocopying between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Janine Castorina, Chief Privacy and Records Management Officer, Privacy and Records Management Office, 202–268–3069 or privacy@usps.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice is in accordance with the Privacy Act requirement that agencies publish their systems of records in the Federal Register when there is a revision, change, or addition, or when the agency establishes a new system of records. As detailed below, the Postal Service has determined that USPS 910.000, Identity and Document Verification Services should be revised to modify Categories of Individuals Covered by the System, Categories of Records in the System, Purpose(s), and Retention and Disposal. The changes are being made to:

a. Support the new Address Matching Database, which will be used to identify, prevent and mitigate fraudulent activity within the Change of Address and Hold Mail processes.

b. Allow for the scanning of Government issued IDs at retail locations for the purposes of verifying identity for customers who need postal products and services.

c. To enhance the Postal Service’s existing remote identity proofing with a Phone Validation and One-Time Passcode solution.

The new Address Matching Database is being implemented to identify, prevent and mitigate fraudulent activity within the Change of Address and Hold Mail processes. The Postal Service is establishing a dataflow between existing customer systems and the Address Matching Database. This dataflow will allow the Address Matching Database to: confirm if there is an address match when a new Hold Mail request is submitted; confirm the presence of a Change of Address request when a Hold Mail request is submitted during a 30 day time frame; and confirm the presence of a Hold Mail request when a Change of Address request is submitted during a 30 day time frame. The Address Matching Database will also send confirmation notifications to customers who submit a Hold Mail request.

The capability to scan Government issued IDs is being implemented to verify identity when requesting government-issued ID to reduce fraudulent cases surrounding USPS programs and the disposition of certain customer mail services. This will provide the Postal Service the ability to capture and store information provided in the 2-Dimensional barcode on government issued photo IDs (e.g. State-issued driver or non-driver licenses and military IDs).

The Phone Validation and One-Time Passcode solution is being implemented to enhance the Postal Service’s existing remote identity proofing solution and to detect, to the best extent possible, the presentation of fraudulent identities by a malicious user. The Postal Service’s objective in implementing the Phone Validation and One-Time Passcode solution is to ensure the user is who they claim to be at a stated level of certitude. The validation and verification of the minimum attributes necessary is used to accomplish identity proofing.

Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552a(e)(11), interested persons are invited to submit written data, views, or arguments on this proposal. A report of the proposed revisions has been sent to Congress and to the Office of Management and Budget for their evaluations. The Postal Service does not expect these amended systems of records to have any adverse effect on individual privacy rights. The notice for USPS 910.000, Identity and Document Verification Services, provided below in its entirety, is as follows:

SYSTEM NAME AND NUMBER: USPS 910.000, Identity and Document Verification Services.

SYSTEM CLASSIFICATION: None.

SYSTEM LOCATION: USPS Marketing, Headquarters; Integrated Business Solutions Services Centers; and contractor sites.

SYSTEM MANAGER(S): Chief Information Officer and Executive Vice President, United States Postal Service, 475 L’Enfant Plaza SW, Washington, DC 20260–1500; (202) 268–6900.


PURPOSE(S) OF THE SYSTEM:
1. To provide services related to identity and document verification services.
2. To issue and manage public key certificates, user registration, email addresses, and/or electronic postmarks.
3. To provide secure mailing services.
4. To protect business and personal communications.
5. To enhance personal identity and privacy protections.
6. To improve the customer experience and facilitate the provision of accurate and reliable delivery information.
7. To identify, prevent, or mitigate the effects of fraudulent transactions.
8. To support other Federal Government Agencies by providing authorized services.