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II. Background

Under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), the NRC recently submitted a request for renewal of an existing collection of information to OMB for review entitled, NUREG/BR-0254, “Payment Methods,” and NRC Form 629, “Authorization for Payment by Credit Card.” The NRC hereby informs potential respondents that an agency may not conduct or sponsor, and that a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

The NRC published a **Federal Register** notice with a 60-day comment period on this information collection on May 14, 2026, 91 FR 27376.

1. *The title of the information collection:* NUREG/BR-0254, “Payment Methods,” and “Authorization for Payment by Credit Card on Pay.gov.”

2. *OMB approval number:* 3150-0190.

3. *Type of submission:* Revision.

4. *The form number, if applicable:* Not applicable.

5. *How often the collection is required or requested:* As needed.

6. *Who will be required or asked to respond:* NRC Licensees.

7. *The estimated number of annual responses:* 700.

8. *The estimated number of annual respondents:* 700.

9. *The estimated number of hours needed annually to comply with the information collection requirement or request:* 116.

10. *Abstract:* The NRC bills licensees, applicants, and individuals for civil penalties, licensing fees, inspection fees, and other fees. The four methods used to pay bills owed to the NRC are: (1) Payment by Automated Clearinghouse Network (ACH); (2) Payment by Credit Card; (3) Payment by Electronic Funds Transfer/FedWire; and (4) Payment by Digital Wallet (PayPal and Venmo). NUREG/BR-0254, “Payment Methods” provides instructions on how to transfer monies owed to the NRC; no information is collected by the NRC in using this brochure. The NRC is discontinuing use of the pdf NRC Form 629, “Authorization for Payment by Credit Card” and will be exclusively collecting the same information using *Pay.gov* for future transactions.

Authority: 42 U.S.C. 2011 *et seq.*

Dated: September 17, 2026.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.
Heather Dempsey,
Acting NRC Clearance Officer, of the Chief Information Officer.

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POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. MC2026-387; Order No. 9732]

Competitive Postal Products

AGENCY: Postal Regulatory Commission.
ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Commission is recognizing a recent filing by the Postal Service to remove a section and to make accompanying classification changes to the Mail Classification Schedule. This notice informs the public of the filing, invites public comment, and takes other administrative steps.

DATES: *Comments are due:* October 16, 2026.

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

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David A. Trissell, General Counsel, at 202-789-6820.

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I. Introduction

On September 16, 2026, pursuant to 39 CFR 3040.180-.181, the Postal Service filed a request to remove *Mail Classification Schedule* (MCS) section 2615.2 Competitive International Registered Mail from the Competitive product list and make accompanying classification changes in MCS sections 2340.5 and 2600.2.¹ In addition, pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 3642 and 3622(c)(10) and 39 CFR 3040.130-.132 and 3040.220-.222, the Postal Service also requests to transfer the Inbound

¹ Request of the United States Postal Service to Remove Competitive International Registered Mail from the Competitive Product List and Make Accompanying Classification Changes, and Transfer the Inbound PRIME Registered Service Agreement 1 as Well as the PRIME-USPS Registered Agreement to the Market Dominant Product List, and Application for Non-Public Treatment, September 16, 2026, at 1, 3 n.4 (Request).

PRIME Registered Service Agreement 1 and the PRIME-USPS Registered Agreement from the Competitive product list to the Market Dominant product list, and add these two agreements to MCS section 1602.3.5 Inbound Market Dominant Multi-Service Agreements with Foreign Postal Operators 1. Request at 1-2.

II. Contents of Filing

The Postal Service states that at the Universal Postal Union (UPU) 2023 Riyadh Extraordinary Congress, the UPU amended the Universal Postal Convention (Convention) to require member countries to provide registered mail service for outbound and inbound airmail and priority letter-post items containing documents only, effective January 1, 2026.² The Postal Service states that at the UPU 2025 Dubai Congress, the UPU further amended the Convention to eliminate the bulky letters (E) format, effective January 1, 2027.³ The Postal Service states that therefore, effective January 1, 2027, international registered service will no longer be available for Inbound Letter Post Small Packets bulky letter items that contain documents. Request at 3. The Postal Service states that instead, international registered service will be available only for MCS sections 1125 Outbound Single-Piece First Class Mail International and 1130 Inbound Letter Post Letters and Flats, which are both on the Market Dominant product list. *Id.*

To align the Postal Service’s offerings with these amendments to the Convention, the Postal Service requests to remove MCS section 2615.2 Competitive International Registered Mail from the Competitive product list and make accompanying classification changes in MCS sections 2340.5 and 2600.2 that mention Competitive International Registered Mail, effective January 1, 2027. *Id.* at 3; 3 n.4. The Postal Service also requests to transfer the Inbound PRIME Registered Service Agreement 1 (the subject of Docket No. MC2020-73) and the PRIME-USPS Registered Agreement (the subject of Docket No. CP2022-65) from MCS

² *Id.* at 3; Decisions of the 2023 Riyadh Extraordinary Congress, First Additional Protocol to the Universal Postal Convention, Article II (Article 18 amended), paragraph 1.1 (page 28 of the PDF), available at [https://www.upu.int/UPU/media/upu/files/aboutUpu/acts/08-actsAndOtherDecisionsPreviousCongresses/CNG-ACTS%e2%94%80Doc-0-\(5\).pdf](https://www.upu.int/UPU/media/upu/files/aboutUpu/acts/08-actsAndOtherDecisionsPreviousCongresses/CNG-ACTS%e2%94%80Doc-0-(5).pdf).

³ Request at 3; Decisions of the 2025 Dubai Congress, Second Additional Protocol to the Universal Postal Convention, Article VII (Article 17 amended), paragraph 5 (page 40 of the PDF), available at <https://www.upu.int/UPU/media/upu/files/aboutUpu/acts/07-actsAndOtherDecisions2025DubaiCongress/2025DubaiCongressDecisionsEn.pdf>.

section 2515.10.5 Inbound Competitive Multi-Service Agreements with Foreign Postal Operators 1 on the Competitive product list to MCS section 1602.3.5 Inbound Market Dominant Multi-Service Agreements with Foreign Postal Operators 1 on the Market Dominant product list, effective January 1, 2027. *Id.* at 4.

With the Request, the Postal Service submits the following supporting documents: (1) Attachment 1, Governors' Decision No. 26–5; (2) Attachment 2, a copy of the MCS with the proposed changes in legislative format; (3) Attachment 3, a statement of supporting justification required by 39 CFR 3040.132; (4) Attachment 4, a redacted copy of the Inbound PRIME Registered Service Agreement 1; (5) Attachment 5, a redacted copy of the PRIME–USPS Registered Agreement; (6) Attachment 6, a redacted copy of the accession of an additional foreign postal operator to the PRIME–USPS Registered Agreement; and (7) Attachment 7, an application for non-public treatment of materials filed under seal. *Id.* at 4–5; *Id.* Attachments 1–7. In addition, the Postal Service submits a redacted copy of Annex 3 to the Inbound PRIME Registered Service Agreement 1. *Id.* at 6. Unredacted versions of Attachments 4 through 6, as well as Annex 3 to the Inbound PRIME Registered Service Agreement 1, are filed under seal. *Id.* The Postal Service also incorporates by reference the cost coverage information for the Inbound PRIME Registered Service Agreement 1 and the PRIME–USPS Registered Agreement filed in Docket No. ACR2025, Library Reference PRC–LR–ACR2025–NP2. *Id.*

The Postal Service provides a discussion of its compliance with 39 CFR 3040.180–.181 for the proposed removal of MCS section 2615.2 Competitive International Registered Mail from the Competitive product list and accompanying classification changes in MCS sections 2340.5 and 2600.2. *Id.* at 8–12. The Postal Service also provides a discussion of its compliance with 39 U.S.C. 3642 and 3622(c)(10) and 39 CFR 3040.130–.132 and 3040.220–.222 for the proposed transfer of the Inbound PRIME Registered Service Agreement 1 and the PRIME–USPS Registered Agreement from the Competitive product list to the Market Dominant product list. *Id.* at 12–24. The Postal Service further provides a discussion of the functional equivalence of the Inbound PRIME Registered Service Agreement 1 and the PRIME–USPS Registered Agreement to the baseline agreement for the umbrella product, MCS section 1602.3.5 Inbound Market Dominant Multi-Service

Agreements with Foreign Postal Operators 1. *Id.* at 24–27.

III. Commission Action

The Commission establishes Docket No. MC2026–387 for consideration of matters raised by the Request. The Commission invites comments on whether the Postal Service's filing is consistent with 39 U.S.C. 3642 and 3622(c)(10) and 39 CFR 3040.130–.132, 3040.180–.181, and 3040.220–.222. Comments are due October 16, 2026. The public portions of the filings can be accessed via the Commission's website (<https://www.prc.gov>).

The Commission appoints Samuel Robinson to represent the interests of the general public (Public Representative) in this docket, pursuant to 39 CFR 3010.101(q)(3). The Public Representative does not represent any individual person, entity, or particular point of view, and, when Commission attorneys are appointed, no attorney-client relationship is established.

IV. Ordering Paragraphs

It is ordered:

1. The Commission establishes Docket No. MC2026–387 for consideration of matters raised by the Postal Service's Request.

2. Pursuant to 39 CFR 3010.101(q)(3), Samuel Robinson is appointed to serve as an officer of the Commission (Public Representative) to represent the interests of the general public in this proceeding.

3. Comments are due October 16, 2026.

4. This Order, or an abstract thereof, shall be published in the **Federal Register**.

By the Commission.

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POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. MC2026–390 and K2026–379]

New Postal Products

AGENCY: Postal Regulatory Commission.
ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Commission is noticing a recent Postal Service filing for the Commission's consideration concerning a negotiated service agreement. This notice informs the public of the filing, invites public comment, and takes other administrative steps.

ADDRESSES: Submit comments electronically via the Commission's

Filing Online system at <https://www.prc.gov>. Those who cannot submit comments electronically should contact the person identified in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section by telephone for advice on filing alternatives.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
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I. Introduction

Pursuant to 39 CFR 3041.405, the Commission gives notice that the Postal Service filed request(s) for the Commission to consider matters related to Competitive negotiated service agreement(s). The request(s) may propose the addition of a negotiated service agreement from the Competitive product list or the modification of an existing product currently appearing on the Competitive product list.

The public portions of the Postal Service's request(s) can be accessed via the Commission's website (<http://www.prc.gov>). Non-public portions of the Postal Service's request(s), if any, can be accessed through compliance with the requirements of 39 CFR 3011.301.¹

Section II identifies the docket number(s) associated with each Postal Service request, if any, that will be reviewed in a public proceeding as defined by 39 CFR 3010.101(p), the title of each such request, the request's acceptance date, and the authority cited by the Postal Service for each request. For each such request, the Commission appoints an officer of the Commission to represent the interests of the general public in the proceeding, pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 505 and 39 CFR 3000.114 (Public Representative). The Public Representative does not represent any individual person, entity or particular point of view, and, when Commission attorneys are appointed, no attorney-client relationship is established. Section II also establishes comment deadline(s) pertaining to each such request.

The Commission invites comments on whether the Postal Service's request(s) identified in Section II, if any, are consistent with the policies of title 39. Applicable statutory and regulatory

¹ See Docket No. RM2018–3, Order Adopting Final Rules Relating to Non-Public Information, June 27, 2018, Attachment A at 19–22 (Order No. 4679).