

The FPA Portal will send status updates and reminders when a response or additional action is required. The enrollee will use online forms and document-upload features within the FPA Portal to enter requested information and submit supporting eligibility documents. The documents required depend on the family member's relationship to the enrollee and include records used to establish a spouse's or child's eligibility. The list of these records can be found in the FEHB Handbook at <https://www.opm.gov/healthcare-insurance/healthcare/reference-materials/reference/family-members/>. The FPA Portal will use automated document-verification capabilities to review the submitted information and documentation and determine whether the submission is sufficient to support an eligibility decision. If a case cannot be resolved through the automated review process, it will be referred to the contracted vendor and OPM. The results of that review will be returned to the FPA Portal for continued processing.

Analysis

Agency: Office of Personnel Management.

Title: FEHB Protection Act Portal.
OMB Number: 3206-NEW.

Frequency: Annually.

Affected Public: Eligible individuals or household members.

Number of Respondents: ~2.7 million.

Estimated Time per Respondent: 30 minutes.

Total Burden Hours: 1.4 million hours.

Alexys Stanley,

Federal Register Liaison.

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POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. MC2027-4 and K2027-4]

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.

DATES: *Comments are due:* October 20, 2026.

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: David A. Trissell, General Counsel, at 202-789-6820.

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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).

requirements include 39 U.S.C. 3632, 39 U.S.C. 3633, 39 U.S.C. 3642, 39 CFR part 3035, and 39 CFR part 3041. Comment deadline(s) for each such request, if any, appear in Section II.

Section III identifies the docket number(s) associated with each Postal Service request, if any, to add a standardized distinct product to the Competitive product list or to amend a standardized distinct product, the title of each such request, the request's acceptance date, and the authority cited by the Postal Service for each request. Standardized distinct products are negotiated service agreements that are variations of one or more Competitive products, and for which financial models, minimum rates, and classification criteria have undergone advance Commission review. See 39 CFR 3041.110(n); 39 CFR 3041.205(a). Such requests are reviewed in summary proceedings pursuant to 39 CFR 3041.325(c)(2) and 39 CFR 3041.505(f)(1). Pursuant to 39 CFR 3041.405(c)-(d), the Commission does not appoint a Public Representative or request public comment in proceedings to review such requests.

II. Public Proceeding(s)

1. *Docket No(s).*: MC2027-4 and K2027-4; *Filing Title:* USPS Request to Add Priority Mail Express International, Priority Mail International & First-Class Package International Service Contract 128 to Competitive Product List and Notice of Filing Materials Under Seal; *Filing Acceptance Date:* October 8, 2026; *Filing Authority:* 39 U.S.C. 3642, 39 CFR 3035.105, and 39 CFR 3041.310; *Public Representative:* Maxine Bradley; *Comments Due:* October 20, 2026.

III. Summary Proceeding(s)

None. See Section II for public proceedings.

This Notice will be published in the **Federal Register**.

Danielle LeFlore,

Legal Assistant.

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POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. MC2026-387; Order No. 9766]

Competitive Postal Products

AGENCY: Postal Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Commission is recognizing a recent filing by the Postal Service of filing a motion for an extension of time to respond to

Chairman's Information Request No. 1, and extension of time for comments. This notice informs the public of the filing, invites public comment, and takes other administrative steps.

DATES: *Response to Chairman Information Request No. 1* due: October 21, 2026; *Comments are due:* October 26, 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 October 13, 2026, the Postal Service filed a motion for extension of time to submit its response to Chairman's Information Request No. 1 (CHIR No.1), seeking to extend the current deadline of October 14, 2026, to October 21, 2026.¹ For the reasons discussed below, the Commission grants the Motion. In addition, the Commission extends the deadline for comments from October 16, 2026, to October 26, 2026.

II. Background

On September 16, 2026, 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, effective January 1, 2027.² In addition, the Postal Service also requests to transfer the Inbound 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, effective January 1, 2027. Request at 1–2, 4.

On September 17, 2026, the Commission established the instant docket, appointed a Public Representative, and set October 16, 2026 as the deadline for comments.³ On October 7, 2026, CHIR No. 1 was issued.⁴ The deadline for responding to CHIR No. 1 is October 14, 2026. CHIR No. 1 at 1.

On October 13, 2026, the Postal Service filed the Motion. The Postal Service states that it is preparing its response to CHIR No. 1 but needs additional time to finalize its response. Motion at 1. The Postal Service requests an extension of 7 days until October 21, 2026 to submit its response to CHIR No. 1. *Id.* The Postal Service notes that it would not object if any interested party requests a brief extension of the comment deadline or seeks to file supplement comments. *Id.*, n.2.

III. Commission Analysis

The proposed effective date for the proposed classification changes is January 1, 2027. Request at 3, 4. Therefore, extending the deadline for the Postal Service to respond to CHIR No. 1 by 7 calendar days would not have any adverse impact on the overall procedural schedule of this docket, nor would it have any adverse impact on other participants. Accordingly, the Commission grants the Motion and extends the deadline for responding to CHIR No. 1 to October 21, 2026. 39 CFR 3010.162(c).

In addition, the Commission extends the deadline set in Order No. 9732 for comments from October 16, 2026 to October 26, 2026, so that interested participants will have sufficient time to review the Postal Service's response to CHIR No. 1 and consider it in preparing their comments.

IV. Ordering Paragraphs

It is ordered:

1. The United States Postal Service Motion for Extension of Time to File Response to Chairman's Information

Request No. 1, filed October 13, 2026, is granted.

2. The response to Chairman's Information Request No. 1 is due October 21, 2026.

3. Comments are due October 26, 2026.

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

By the Commission.

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Senior Paralegal Specialist.

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POSTAL SERVICE

Privacy Act of 1974; System of Records

AGENCY: Postal Service.

ACTION: Notice of creation of new system of records.

SUMMARY: The United States Postal Service (USPS) is proposing to create one Customer Privacy Act Systems of Records, USPS 830.100, Customer Call Center. The creation of this System of Records will centralize USPS' call center operations to support enhanced agent analytics and facilitate improved customer service operations.

DATES: These revisions will become effective without further notice on November 18, 2026, unless, in response to comments received on or before that date result in a contrary determination.

ADDRESSES: Comments may be submitted via email to the Privacy and Records Management Office, United States Postal Service Headquarters (uspsprivacyfedregnotice@usps.gov). Arrangements to view copies of any written comments received, to facilitate public inspection, will be made upon request.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Janine Castorina, Chief Privacy and Records Management Officer, Privacy and Records Management Office, 202–268–2000 or uspsprivacyfedregnotice@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. The Postal Service is proposing to create one new system of records (SOR).

I. Background

This notice is in accordance with the Privacy Act requirement that agencies

¹ United States Postal Service Motion for Extension of Time to File Response to Chairman's Information Request No. 1, October 13, 2026, at 1 (Motion).

² 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).

³ Notice and Order Concerning Removal of Competitive International Registered Mail from the Competitive Product List and Accompanying Classification Changes, and 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, September 17, 2026, at 5 (Order No. 9732).

⁴ Chairman's Information Request No. 1, October 7, 2026 (CHIR No. 1).