

## II. Docketed Proceeding(s)

## I. Introduction

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

Section II identifies the docket number(s) associated with each Postal Service request, the title of each Postal Service request, the request's acceptance date, and the authority cited by the Postal Service for each request. For each 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 (Public Representative). Section II also establishes comment deadline(s) pertaining to each request.

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.<sup>1</sup>

The Commission invites comments on whether the Postal Service's request(s) in the captioned docket(s) are consistent with the policies of title 39. For request(s) that the Postal Service states concern market dominant product(s), applicable statutory and regulatory requirements include 39 U.S.C. 3622, 39 U.S.C. 3642, 39 CFR part 3030, and 39 CFR part 3040, subpart B. For request(s) that the Postal Service states concern competitive product(s), applicable statutory and regulatory 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 3040, subpart B. Comment deadline(s) for each request appear in section II.

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1. *Docket No(s)*: MC2023–21 and CP2023–20; *Filing Title*: USPS Request to Add Priority Mail Express, Priority Mail, First-Class Package Service & Parcel Select Contract 71 to Competitive Product List and Notice of Filing Materials Under Seal; *Filing Acceptance Date*: October 19, 2022; *Filing Authority*: 39 U.S.C. 3642, 39 CFR 3040.130

<sup>1</sup> 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).

through 3040.135, and 39 CFR 3035.105; *Public Representative*: Jethro Dely; *Comments Due*: October 27, 2022.

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

**Erica A. Barker**,  
*Secretary*.

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**POSTAL SERVICE****Product Change—Priority Mail Express, Priority Mail, First-Class Package Service, and Parcel Select Service 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*: October 26, 2022.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**: Sean Robinson, 202–268–8405.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**: The United States Postal Service® hereby gives notice that, pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 3642 and 3632(b)(3), on October 21, 2022, it filed with the Postal Regulatory Commission a *USPS Request to Add Priority Mail Express, Priority Mail, First-Class Package Service, and Parcel Select Service Contract 73 to Competitive Product List*. Documents are available at [www.prc.gov](http://www.prc.gov), Docket Nos. MC2023–25, CP2023–24.

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**POSTAL SERVICE****Product Change—Priority Mail and First-Class Package Service 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*: October 26, 2022.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**: Sean Robinson, 202–268–8405.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**: The United States Postal Service® hereby gives notice that, pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 3642 and 3632(b)(3), on October 20, 2022, it filed with the Postal Regulatory Commission a *USPS Request to Add Priority Mail & First-Class Package Service Contract 222 to Competitive Product List*. Documents are available at [www.prc.gov](http://www.prc.gov), Docket Nos. MC2023–24, CP2023–23.

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**POSTAL SERVICE****Product Change—Priority Mail Express, Priority Mail, First-Class Package Service, and Parcel Select Service 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*: October 26, 2022.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**: Sean Robinson, 202–268–8405.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**: The United States Postal Service® hereby gives notice that, pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 3642 and 3632(b)(3), on October 19, 2022, it filed with the Postal Regulatory Commission a *USPS Request to Add Priority Mail Express, Priority Mail, First-Class Package Service, and Parcel Select Service Contract 71 to Competitive Product List*. Documents are available at [www.prc.gov](http://www.prc.gov), Docket Nos. MC2023–21, CP2023–20.

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**POSTAL SERVICE****Product Change—Priority Mail Express, Priority Mail, First-Class Package Service, and Parcel Select Service 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:* October 26, 2022.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Sean Robinson, 202–268–8405.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The United States Postal Service® hereby gives notice that, pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 3642 and 3632(b)(3), on October 20, 2022, it filed with the Postal Regulatory Commission a *USPS Request to Add Priority Mail Express, Priority Mail, First-Class Package Service, and Parcel Select Service Contract 72 to Competitive Product List*. Documents are available at [www.prc.gov](http://www.prc.gov), Docket Nos. MC2023–23, CP2023–22.

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## OFFICE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY POLICY

### Request for Information; Clinical Research Infrastructure and Emergency Clinical Trials

**AGENCY:** Office of Science and Technology Policy (OSTP).

**ACTION:** Notice of Request for Information (RFI) on clinical research infrastructure and emergency clinical trials.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the 2022 National Biodefense Strategy for Countering Biological Threats, Enhancing Pandemic Preparedness, and Achieving Global Health Security (National Biodefense Strategy) and the American Pandemic Preparedness Plan (AP3), the White House Office of Science and Technology Policy (OSTP), in partnership with the National Security Council (NSC), is leading efforts to ensure that coordinated and large-scale clinical trials can be efficiently carried out across a range of institutions and sites to address outbreaks of disease and other emergencies. Efforts in this area could include the establishment of a U.S.-level governance structure and outreach to a wide range of institutions, clinical trial networks, and other potential trial sites that can participate in emergency research, both domestically and internationally. A further goal of this emergency clinical trials initiative is to

support the expansion of clinical research into underserved communities, and increase diversity among both trial participants and clinical trial investigators. Building U.S. capacity to carry out emergency clinical trials will enlarge and strengthen the U.S. clinical trials infrastructure overall.

**DATES:** Interested persons and organizations are invited to submit comments on or before 5 p.m. ET on December 27, 2022.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested individuals and organizations should submit comments electronically to [emergencyclinicaltrials@ostp.eop.gov](mailto:emergencyclinicaltrials@ostp.eop.gov) and include “Emergency Clinical Trials RFI” in the subject line of the email. Due to time constraints, mailed paper submissions will not be accepted, and electronic submissions received after the deadline cannot be ensured to be incorporated or taken into consideration.

### Instructions

Response to this RFI is voluntary. Each responding entity (individual or organization) is requested to submit only one response. Please feel free to respond to one or as many prompts as you choose.

Please be concise with your submissions, which must not exceed 8 pages in 12-point or larger font, with a page number on each page. Responses should include the name of the person(s) or organization(s) filing the comment.

OSTP invites input from all stakeholders, including members of the public, representing all backgrounds and perspectives. In particular, OSTP is interested in input from research institutions, clinical trialists, health care providers interested in clinical research, contract research organizations (CROs) and other clinical trial service providers, pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies, and community health care organizations. *Please indicate which of these stakeholder types, or what other description, best fits you as a respondent.* If a comment is submitted on behalf of an organization, the individual respondent's role in the organization may also be provided on a voluntary basis.

Comments containing references, studies, research, and other empirical data that are not widely published should include copies or electronic links of the referenced materials. No business proprietary information, copyrighted information, or personally identifiable information should be submitted in response to this RFI. Please

be aware that comments submitted in response to this RFI may be posted on OSTP's website or otherwise released publicly.

In accordance with FAR 15.202(3), responses to this notice are not offers and cannot be accepted by the Federal Government to form a binding contract. Additionally, those submitting responses are solely responsible for all expenses associated with response preparation.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For additional information, please direct questions to Grail Sipes at 202–456–4444 or [emergencyclinicaltrials@ostp.eop.gov](mailto:emergencyclinicaltrials@ostp.eop.gov).

### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Background:* Currently, the U.S. clinical trials infrastructure is not well prepared to carry out coordinated, large-scale clinical research in the event of an outbreak of infectious disease or other public health emergency. As was seen in the initial stages of the COVID–19 outbreak, different institutions and networks tend to implement their own research protocols and capture and store their own data. The lack of a coordinated approach to clinical trials research in emergency settings has slowed the development of actionable information, which has in turn delayed the availability of vaccines, therapeutics, and diagnostics; and may also impede the tracking of the outbreaks themselves. Without some mechanism to coordinate and organize research on a larger scale in an emergency setting, researchers and decisionmakers are left with a series of relatively small, often inconclusive studies, and assembling data for larger-scale analysis is challenging. In addition, and very significantly, our current approach to clinical research in the emergency setting excludes many patients and health care providers in underserved areas, and has contributed to a lack of diversity among clinical trial participants and among the investigators who lead clinical trials.

The National Biodefense Strategy calls for the U.S. government to maintain and build upon the domestic clinical trials infrastructure, with the addition of international sites as appropriate, to ensure readiness to “expedite the evaluation of safe and effective vaccines, therapeutics, and diagnostics for all segments of the population during a nationally or internationally significant biological incident.”<sup>1</sup> In addition, establishing an

<sup>1</sup> 2022 National Biodefense Strategy for Countering Biological Threats, Enhancing Pandemic Preparedness, and Achieving Global Health Security. Continued