

applicable to rates for competitive products in 39 U.S.C. § 3633(a) and 39 C.F.R. § 3015.7.

Baseline agreement. The Commission designates the Agreement as the baseline agreement for the GREP Contracts 3 product.⁷ Following current practice, in any future request to add a negotiated service agreement to the GREP Contracts 3 product, the Postal Service shall identify all significant differences between the new negotiated service agreement and the baseline agreement. Significant differences include terms and conditions that impose new obligations or new requirements on any party to the negotiated service agreement. The docket referenced in the caption of the request should be Docket No. MC2013-64. In conformity with current practice, a redacted copy of Governors' Decision No. 11-6 should be included with the request.

Effective date/term. The Postal Service will notify the customer of the effective date within 90 days of receipt of all necessary regulatory approvals. Request, Attachment 4 at 5. The Agreement is scheduled to expire 12 months after the effective date of the Agreement, unless either party terminates the Agreement earlier. *Id.* at 5-6.

Follow-up submissions. The Postal Service shall promptly notify the Commission of the effective date of the Agreement. Upon termination of the Agreement by either party, the Postal Service shall inform the Commission of this development and the date of termination. In addition, within 30 days of the termination of the Agreement, the Postal Service shall file costs, volumes, and revenues disaggregated by weight and country group associated with the Agreement, including any penalties paid.

In conclusion, the Commission approves GREP Contracts 3 as a new product and designates the Agreement as the baseline agreement for the GREP Contracts 3

⁷ The Postal Service asks that the Agreement "be considered as the new 'baseline' contract for future functional equivalency analysis concerning the Global Reseller Expedited Package Contracts product." Request at 5. Because baseline agreements are generally established for each product within a grouping, the Commission views this as a request to consider the Agreement as the baseline agreement for the GREP Contracts 3 product, not for the GREP Contracts group as a whole. See, e.g., section 2510.3.6 of the draft MCS (establishing separate baseline agreements for GEPS 3 and GEPS 4) and section 2510.6.6 of the draft MCS (establishing separate baseline agreements for Global Plus 1C and Global Plus 2C).