USPS Pricing Engine WS

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Summary

This is the Domestic and International Pricing Engine WS (version 11.10.7.0) for the October Peak Pricing 2021 Release. The following is a list of enhancements included in this release.

RCalc BNS 86483 - First-Class Package Service SSD

The Postal Service is considering implementing a Service Standard Change for First Class Packages. Expected benefits would be better aligning transportation capabilities with offered services, identifying areas of opportunity to extend the surface transportation's reach and potentially alleviating financial burden currently placed on the Postal Service by present standards in an evolving marketplace.

The considered change would extend the current 3-day standards of Packages to 5-days, depending on the SCF pairs.

Price Engine Impact
- Pass SDC mail class code for FCPS instead of just First-Class

Service Commitments now has 4 commitment codes for First Class
- 301 – First Class Letters
- 302 – First Class Flats
- 303 – First Class Cards
- 304 – First Class Packages

New Enumerations in PricingServices WSDL

<s:enumeration value="FirstClassMailLetters" />
<s:enumeration value="FirstClassMailFlats" />
<s:enumeration value="FirstClassMailCards" />
<s:enumeration value="FirstClassMailPS" />

RCalc BNS 86067 - Time-Limited Surge Pricing

Price Engine implemented new peak pricing for the dates of 10/03/2021 – 12/25/2021

Price Engine - Remove First-Class Package Service as an available mail service when selecting Day Old Poultry

Day old poultry is no longer an available mail service when selecting first class package service.

Impact on Existing Applications
You will **have** to rebuild your applications since the WSDL has changed.