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Canada Post Delivery Update

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Canada Post is facing short-term challenges as it processes the mail that accumulated at large volume mailers and foreign postal administrations during the recent work disruption. Since postal service resumed on June 27th, Canada Post's mail processing facilities have been operating at or near capacity in an attempt to process the accumulated mail as quickly as possible. During the week of June 27th, a shorter work week due to Canada Day, Canada Post processed more than two extra days worth of Lettermail in addition to the volumes normally processed. July is also typically a busy Lettermail month for large volume mailers as financial institutions and corporations issue mid-year and quarterly reports. It is expected that processed Lettermail volumes will be above normal levels for much of the month of July.

Parcels inventories are beginning to approach normal levels with only small delays being found in delivery standards. Parcel delivery is continuing to improve through this week.

Canada Post hopes to be operating normally within a few weeks. Brokers Worldwide continues to work closely with the USPS to monitor this situation and will provide our customers with updates as they become available.

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