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USPS Announces 2011 Rate Increase

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Last week the USPS proposed new prices for the majority of Market Dominant products. The new pricing will take effect on January 2, 2011. Below is a brief overview of the average price increases by product:

Average Price Changes	
Product	% Change
Special Services	5.2
Package Services	6.7
Periodicals	8.0
Standard Mail	5.6
First-Class Mail	5.4

Proposed pricing can be viewed online on Postal Explorer® at <http://pe.usps.com/>. Click on the links in the left frame under “*New* Jan. 2, 2011 Proposed Pricing Information.” The PRC has 90 days to review and make a final ruling on the filing. The PRC can accept or reject all price requests or modify the prices as it deems appropriate.

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