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In the matter of

Registration of DHL Worldwide Express, Inc.
as a Foreign Air Freight Forwarder Pursuant
to 14 C.F.R. 297

Docket OST-2001-8732-14

**NOTICE GRANTING MOTION TO FILE AN OTHERWISE
UNAUTHORIZED DOCUMENT**

On January 18, 2001, United Parcel Service Co. (UPS) filed a Petition for Review of Staff Action and Motion to File an Otherwise Unauthorized Document concerning approval of the registration of DHL Worldwide Express, Inc. as a foreign air freight forwarder.

Answers in support of UPS' petition were subsequently filed by the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, the American Trucking Associations, Inc., and the Transportation Trades Department, AFL-CIO. An answer in opposition to UPS' petition was subsequently filed by DHL Worldwide Express. On February 15, 2001, UPS filed a Motion to File an Otherwise Unauthorized Document and Reply of United Parcel Service Co.

The pleadings in this proceeding raise complex issues that need to be considered. Therefore, we believe that it is in the public interest to grant the UPS Motion to File an Otherwise Unauthorized Document and Petition for Review, enabling us to accept and consider the pleading on its merits.

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