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Priority Mail postage may be paid with postage stamps (see 604.1.0), or meter stamps (see 604.4.0).

1.2 Affixing Postage - Single-Piece Mailings

In a postage-affixed mailing, the mailer must apply enough value in adhesive stamps or meter stamps equal to the postage required (including any surcharges). A mailer also may use precanceled stamps on Priority Mail.

1.3 Forever Prepaid Flat Rate Packaging

Priority Mail Forever Prepaid Flat Rate packaging must be purchased by credit card online at *www.usps.com* and bears a shipping label with affixed Forever Prepaid postage. Mailers adding extra services must take packages to a retail Post Office location for payment of the associated fees for each extra service added. Delivery Confirmation (electronic option) is included at no additional cost.