

## Petition to the House of Commons

**Whereas** there is an urgent need for postal banking because thousands of rural towns and villages do not have a bank and nearly two million Canadians desperately need alternatives to payday lenders.

**Whereas** postal banking helps keep post offices viable and financial services accessible in many parts of the world.

**Whereas** postal banking has the support of over 600 municipalities and close to two-thirds of Canadians (Stratcom poll, 2013).

We the undersigned call upon Parliament to instruct Canada Post:

- 1) To add postal banking, with a mandate for financial inclusion.
- 2) To release the secret study it conducted on postal banking.

### Signature

(Sign your name. Do not print.)

### Address

(Give your full home address or your city and province.)


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