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GUERNSEY STATUTORY INSTRUMENT

1996 - No. 35

The Post Office (Overseas Letter Post) (Amendment) Order, 1996

Made December, 1996

Laid before the States ...

Coming into Operation ... 2nd January, 1997

THE STATES POST OFFICE BOARD, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 13, 14, 16 and 68 of the Post Office (Guernsey) Law, 1969, as amended (a), hereby orders:-

Amendments to Overseas Letter Post Order of 1993.

1. In the Post Office (Overseas Letter Post) Order, 1993 (b):
 - (a) in section 26 (a) and (b), for "£25" substitute "£28";
 - (b) in section 28 (d), for "£1000" substitute "£2200";
 - (c) in section 29 (b), for "£1000" substitute "£2200";
 - (d) in section 30 (a) and (b), for "£25" substitute "£26";
 - (e) for Schedules 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 substitute the Schedules to this Order.

Repeals.

2. The Post Office (Overseas letter post) (Amendment) Order, 1994 (c) and article 1 (c1) of the Post Office (Overseas letter post) (Amendment) (No 2) Order, 1994 (d), are repealed.

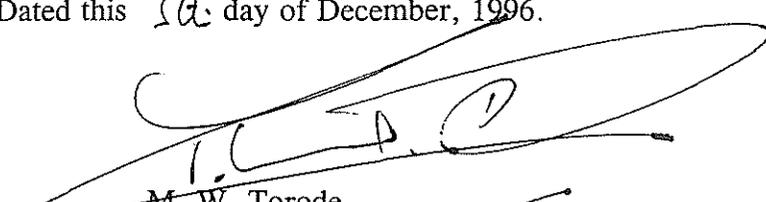
Citation.

3. This Order may be cited as the Post Office (Overseas Letter Post) (Amendment) Order, 1996.

Commencement.

4. This Order shall come into force on 2nd January, 1997.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1996.


 M. W. Torode
 President of the States Post Office Board
 for and on behalf of the Board

(a) Ordres en Conseil Vol. XXII, p.128; Vol. XXIII, p.511; Vol. XXVIII, p.5; No. X of 1988; No. III of 1990.
 (b) S.I. 1993 No. 5; S.I. 1994 No. 3; S.I. 1994 No. 9.
 (c) S.I. 1994 No 3.
 (d) S.I. 1994 No 9.

SCHEDULE

SCHEDULE 1

Section 1

Rates of postage on letters and postcards

PART 1

Rates of postage under Section 1 (1)

1. Forces Surface Letter (Europe only):

Weight not exceeding	60 g.	...	...	20p
Thereafter weight not exceeding	100 g.	...	...	31p
" " " "	150 g.	...	...	38p
" " " "	200 g.	...	...	45p
" " " "	250 g.	...	...	55p
" " " "	300 g.	...	...	64p
" " " "	350 g.	...	...	73p
" " " "	400 g.	...	...	83p
" " " "	450 g.	...	...	93p
" " " "	500 g.	...	...	£1.05
" " " "	600 g.	...	...	£1.25
" " " "	700 g.	...	...	£1.45
" " " "	750 g.	...	...	£1.55
" " " "	1 kg.	...	...	£2.05

2. Forces Surface Postcard 20p

PART 2

Rates of postage under Section 1 (2)

1. European all-up Letter:

Weight not exceeding	20 g.	...	...	31p
Thereafter weight not exceeding	40 g.	...	...	44p
" " " "	60 g.	...	...	56p
" " " "	80 g.	...	...	69p
" " " "	100 g.	...	...	82p
" " " "	120 g.	...	...	94p
" " " "	140 g.	...	...	£1.07
" " " "	160 g.	...	...	£1.19
" " " "	180 g.	...	...	£1.32
" " " "	200 g.	...	...	£1.44
" " " "	220 g.	...	...	£1.57
" " " "	240 g.	...	...	£1.69
" " " "	260 g.	...	...	£1.82
" " " "	280 g.	...	...	£1.95
" " " "	300 g.	...	...	£2.07
" " " "	320 g.	...	...	£2.20
" " " "	340 g.	...	...	£2.32
" " " "	360 g.	...	...	£2.45
" " " "	380 g.	...	...	£2.57
" " " "	400 g.	...	...	£2.70
" " " "	420 g.	...	...	£2.82
" " " "	440 g.	...	...	£2.95
" " " "	460 g.	...	...	£3.08
" " " "	480 g.	...	...	£3.20
" " " "	500 g.	...	...	£3.33
Each additional 20 g. up to a maximum weight of 2000 g.		...	...	13p

2. European all-up Postcard 31p

3. European all-up Concessionary Rate
for European Community destinations
(including postcards).

Weight not exceeding 20 g. 26p

Rates of postage on air mail packets

PART 1

Rates of postage on air mail packets other than under Part 2 of this Schedule

1. Letter

(a) To Zone 1:

Weight not exceeding	10 g.	...	...	43p
Thereafter weight not exceeding	20 g.	...	...	63p
" " " "	40 g.	...	...	96p
" " " "	60 g.	...	...	£1.30
" " " "	80 g.	...	...	£1.63
" " " "	100 g.	...	...	£1.97
" " " "	120 g.	...	...	£2.30
" " " "	140 g.	...	...	£2.64
" " " "	160 g.	...	...	£2.97
" " " "	180 g.	...	...	£3.31
" " " "	200 g.	...	...	£3.64
" " " "	220 g.	...	...	£3.97
" " " "	240 g.	...	...	£4.31
" " " "	260 g.	...	...	£4.64
" " " "	280 g.	...	...	£4.98
" " " "	300 g.	...	...	£5.31
" " " "	320 g.	...	...	£5.65
" " " "	340 g.	...	...	£5.98
" " " "	360 g.	...	...	£6.32
" " " "	380 g.	...	...	£6.65
" " " "	400 g.	...	...	£6.99
" " " "	420 g.	...	...	£7.32
" " " "	440 g.	...	...	£7.66
" " " "	460 g.	...	...	£7.99
" " " "	480 g.	...	...	£8.33
" " " "	500 g.	...	...	£8.66
Each additional 20 g. up to a maximum weight of 2000 g.		...	...	33p

(b) To Zone 2:

Weight not exceeding	10 g.	...	...	43p
Thereafter weight not exceeding	20 g.	...	...	63p
" " " "	40 g.	...	...	£1.07
" " " "	60 g.	...	...	£1.51
" " " "	80 g.	...	...	£1.95
" " " "	100 g.	...	...	£2.38
" " " "	120 g.	...	...	£2.82
" " " "	140 g.	...	...	£3.26
" " " "	160 g.	...	...	£3.70
" " " "	180 g.	...	...	£4.14
" " " "	200 g.	...	...	£4.58
" " " "	220 g.	...	...	£5.02
" " " "	240 g.	...	...	£5.46
" " " "	260 g.	...	...	£5.90
" " " "	280 g.	...	...	£6.34
" " " "	300 g.	...	...	£6.78
" " " "	320 g.	...	...	£7.22
" " " "	340 g.	...	...	£7.66
" " " "	360 g.	...	...	£8.10
" " " "	380 g.	...	...	£8.54
" " " "	400 g.	...	...	£8.97
" " " "	420 g.	...	...	£9.41
" " " "	440 g.	...	...	£9.85
" " " "	460 g.	...	...	£10.29
" " " "	480 g.	...	...	£10.73
" " " "	500 g.	...	...	£11.17
Each additional 20 g. up to a maximum weight of 2000 g.		...	...	44p

2. Postcard (to all zones) 37p
3. Air Letter Form (to all zones) 36p
4. Printed Packet/Small Packet

(a) To Zone 1:

Weight not exceeding	100 g.	...	...	£1.06
Thereafter weight not exceeding	120 g.	...	...	£1.21
" " " "	140 g.	...	...	£1.37
" " " "	160 g.	...	...	£1.53
" " " "	180 g.	...	...	£1.68
" " " "	200 g.	...	...	£1.84
" " " "	220 g.	...	...	£2.00
" " " "	240 g.	...	...	£2.15
" " " "	260 g.	...	...	£2.31
" " " "	280 g.	...	...	£2.47
" " " "	300 g.	...	...	£2.63
" " " "	320 g.	...	...	£2.78
" " " "	340 g.	...	...	£2.94
" " " "	360 g.	...	...	£3.10
" " " "	380 g.	...	...	£3.25
" " " "	400 g.	...	...	£3.41
" " " "	420 g.	...	...	£3.57
" " " "	440 g.	...	...	£3.72
" " " "	460 g.	...	...	£3.88
" " " "	480 g.	...	...	£4.04
" " " "	500 g.	...	...	£4.19
Each additional 20 g. up to a maximum weight of 2000 g.		...	...	16p

(b) To Zone 2:

Weight not exceeding	100 g.	...	...	£1.18
Thereafter weight not exceeding	120 g.	...	...	£1.37
" " " "	140 g.	...	...	£1.56
" " " "	160 g.	...	...	£1.75
" " " "	180 g.	...	...	£1.94
" " " "	200 g.	...	...	£2.12
" " " "	220 g.	...	...	£2.31
" " " "	240 g.	...	...	£2.50
" " " "	260 g.	...	...	£2.69
" " " "	280 g.	...	...	£2.88
" " " "	300 g.	...	...	£3.06
" " " "	320 g.	...	...	£3.25
" " " "	340 g.	...	...	£3.44
" " " "	360 g.	...	...	£3.63
" " " "	380 g.	...	...	£3.82
" " " "	400 g.	...	...	£4.01
" " " "	420 g.	...	...	£4.19
" " " "	440 g.	...	...	£4.38
" " " "	460 g.	...	...	£4.57
" " " "	480 g.	...	...	£4.76
" " " "	500 g.	...	...	£4.95

Each additional 20 g. 19p
up to a maximum weight of 2000 g.

5. Registered Newspapers and Printed Papers

(a) To Zone 1:

Weight not exceeding	100 g.	...	...	£1.06
Thereafter weight not exceeding	120 g.	...	...	£1.21
" " " "	140 g.	...	...	£1.37
" " " "	160 g.	...	...	£1.53
" " " "	180 g.	...	...	£1.68
" " " "	200 g.	...	...	£1.84
" " " "	220 g.	...	...	£2.00
" " " "	240 g.	...	...	£2.15
" " " "	260 g.	...	...	£2.31
" " " "	280 g.	...	...	£2.47
" " " "	300 g.	...	...	£2.63
" " " "	320 g.	...	...	£2.78
" " " "	340 g.	...	...	£2.94
" " " "	360 g.	...	...	£3.10
" " " "	380 g.	...	...	£3.25
" " " "	400 g.	...	...	£3.41
" " " "	420 g.	...	...	£3.57
" " " "	440 g.	...	...	£3.72
" " " "	460 g.	...	...	£3.88
" " " "	480 g.	...	...	£4.04
" " " "	500 g.	...	...	£4.19

Each additional 20 g. 16p
up to a maximum weight of 2000 g.

(b) To Zone 2:

Weight not exceeding	100 g.	...	...	£1.18
Thereafter weight not exceeding	120 g.	...	...	£1.37
" " " "	140 g.	...	...	£1.56
" " " "	160 g.	...	...	£1.75
" " " "	180 g.	...	...	£1.94
" " " "	200 g.	...	...	£2.12
" " " "	220 g.	...	...	£2.31
" " " "	240 g.	...	...	£2.50
" " " "	260 g.	...	...	£2.69
" " " "	280 g.	...	...	£2.88
" " " "	300 g.	...	...	£3.06
" " " "	320 g.	...	...	£3.25
" " " "	340 g.	...	...	£3.44
" " " "	360 g.	...	...	£3.63
" " " "	380 g.	...	...	£3.82
" " " "	400 g.	...	...	£4.01
" " " "	420 g.	...	...	£4.19
" " " "	440 g.	...	...	£4.38
" " " "	460 g.	...	...	£4.57
" " " "	480 g.	...	...	£4.76
" " " "	500 g.	...	...	£4.95

Each additional 20 g. ... 19p
up to a maximum weight of 2000 g.

6. Literature for the blind (consisting of or containing only literature for the blind)

(a)	to zones 1 and 2:	Up to 500 g	...	10p
		Over 500 g up to 1 kg	...	20p
		Over 1 kg up to 7 kg	...	20p per kg
(b)	to Europe			
	(i)	Up to 1 kg	...	Free
	(ii)	Thereafter for each 50 g or part thereof up to 7 kg	...	1p

PART 2

Air mail packets posted for transmission to a person at either of the destinations referred to in paragraph (a) or (b) (as appropriate) of Section 1 (1) shall be charged as follows

1. Forces Letter

(a) to Europe:

Weight not exceeding	60 g.	...	...	26p
Thereafter weight not exceeding	100 g.	...	...	39p
" " " "	150 g.	...	...	49p
" " " "	200 g.	...	...	60p
" " " "	250 g.	...	...	70p
" " " "	300 g.	...	...	80p
" " " "	350 g.	...	...	92p
" " " "	400 g.	...	...	£1.04
" " " "	450 g.	...	...	£1.17
" " " "	500 g.	...	...	£1.30
" " " "	600 g.	...	...	£1.60
" " " "	700 g.	...	...	£2.00
" " " "	750 g.	...	...	£2.15
" " " "	800 g.	...	...	£2.30
" " " "	900 g.	...	...	£2.55
" " " "	1000 g.	...	...	£2.75
" " " "	1250 g.	...	...	£3.45
" " " "	1500 g.	...	...	£4.15
" " " "	1750 g.	...	...	£4.85
" " " "	2000 g.	...	...	£5.55

(b) to anywhere other than Europe:

Weight not exceeding	60 g.	...	...	26p
Thereafter weight not exceeding	80 g.	...	...	48p
Each additional 20 g.	...	...	...	20p
up to a maximum of 2000 g.				

2. Postcard 26p

3. Printed Packet (to anywhere other than Europe):

Weight not exceeding	60 g.	...	...	26p
Thereafter weight not exceeding	80 g.	...	...	48p
Each additional 20 g.	...	...	...	20p
up to a maximum of 2000 g.				

4. Small Packet (to anywhere other than Europe):

Weight not exceeding	60 g.	...	...	26p
Thereafter weight not exceeding	80 g.	...	...	48p
Each additional 20 g.	...	...	...	20p
up to a maximum of 1000 g.				

5. Forces Air Letter Form 20p

Other rates of postage

Part 1

Rates of postage under section 2 and section 3 (2)

Surface Printed Packet (other than an All-up Newspaper):

Weight not exceeding	100 g.	...	...	50p
Thereafter weight not exceeding	150 g.	...	...	67p
" " " "	200 g.	...	...	84p
" " " "	250 g.	...	...	£1.00
" " " "	300 g.	...	...	£1.17
" " " "	350 g.	...	...	£1.34
" " " "	400 g.	...	...	£1.51
" " " "	450 g.	...	...	£1.67
" " " "	500 g.	...	...	£1.84
" " " "	550 g.	...	...	£2.01
" " " "	600 g.	...	...	£2.18
" " " "	650 g.	...	...	£2.34
" " " "	700 g.	...	...	£2.51
" " " "	750 g.	...	...	£2.68
" " " "	800 g.	...	...	£2.85
" " " "	850 g.	...	...	£3.01
" " " "	900 g.	...	...	£3.18
" " " "	950 g.	...	...	£3.35
" " " "	1000 g.	...	...	£3.51
Each additional 50 g. up to a maximum weight of 2000 g.		...	...	17p

Part 2

Rates of postage under section 3 (1)

Forces Surface Printed Packet:

Weight not exceeding	60 g.	...	...	20p
Thereafter weight not exceeding	100 g.	...	...	31p
" " " "	150 g.	...	...	38p
" " " "	200 g.	...	...	45p
" " " "	250 g.	...	...	55p
" " " "	300 g.	...	...	64p
" " " "	350 g.	...	...	73p
" " " "	400 g.	...	...	83p
" " " "	450 g.	...	...	93p
" " " "	500 g.	...	...	£1.05
" " " "	600 g.	...	...	£1.25
" " " "	700 g.	...	...	£1.45
" " " "	750 g.	...	...	£1.55
" " " "	1000 g.	...	...	£2.05

Part 3

Rates of postage under section 3 (3) and 3 (4)

(a) European All-up Newspaper (Printed Papers):

Weight not exceeding	100 g.	...	...	61p
Thereafter weight not exceeding	120 g.	...	...	67p
"	140 g.	...	...	73p
"	160 g.	...	...	79p
"	180 g.	...	...	86p
"	200 g.	...	...	92p
"	220 g.	...	...	98p
"	240 g.	...	...	£1.05
"	260 g.	...	...	£1.11
"	280 g.	...	...	£1.17
"	300 g.	...	...	£1.23
"	320 g.	...	...	£1.30
"	340 g.	...	...	£1.36
"	360 g.	...	...	£1.42
"	380 g.	...	...	£1.49
"	400 g.	...	...	£1.55
"	420 g.	...	...	£1.61
"	440 g.	...	...	£1.67
"	460 g.	...	...	£1.74
"	480 g.	...	...	£1.80
"	500 g.	...	...	£1.86

Each additional 20 g. 7p
up to a maximum weight of 5000 g.

(b) European All-up Small Packet:

Weight not exceeding	100 g.	...	...	75p
Thereafter weight not exceeding	120 g.	...	...	83p
"	140 g.	...	...	90p
"	160 g.	...	...	97p
"	180 g.	...	...	£1.05
"	200 g.	...	...	£1.12
"	220 g.	...	...	£1.19
"	240 g.	...	...	£1.27
"	260 g.	...	...	£1.34
"	280 g.	...	...	£1.41
"	300 g.	...	...	£1.49
"	320 g.	...	...	£1.56
"	340 g.	...	...	£1.63
"	360 g.	...	...	£1.70
"	380 g.	...	...	£1.78
"	400 g.	...	...	£1.85
"	420 g.	...	...	£1.92
"	440 g.	...	...	£2.00
"	460 g.	...	...	£2.07
"	480 g.	...	...	£2.14
"	500 g.	...	...	£2.22

Each additional 20 g. 8p
up to a maximum weight of 2000 g.

Part 4

Rates of postage under section 3 (5)

Surface Small Packet:

Weight not exceeding	100 g.	...	...	50p
Thereafter weight not exceeding	150 g.	...	...	67p
" " " "	200 g.	...	...	84p
" " " "	250 g.	...	...	£1.00
" " " "	300 g.	...	...	£1.17
" " " "	350 g.	...	...	£1.34
" " " "	400 g.	...	...	£1.51
" " " "	450 g.	...	...	£1.67
" " " "	500 g.	...	...	£1.84
" " " "	550 g.	...	...	£2.01
" " " "	600 g.	...	...	£2.18
" " " "	650 g.	...	...	£2.34
" " " "	700 g.	...	...	£2.51
" " " "	750 g.	...	...	£2.68
" " " "	800 g.	...	...	£2.85
" " " "	850 g.	...	...	£3.01
" " " "	900 g.	...	...	£3.18
" " " "	950 g.	...	...	£3.35
" " " "	1000 g.	...	...	£3.51
Each additional 50 g. up to a maximum weight of 2000 g.		...	...	30p

Countries in Air Mail Postage Rate Zones referred to in Part 'I' of
Schedule 2 to this Order

PART 1

Zone 1

Afghanistan
Algeria
Angola
Anguilla
Antigua and Barbuda
Aruba
Argentina
Ascension
Bahamas
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belize
Benin
Bermuda
Bhutan
Bolivia
Botswana
Brazil
British Indian Ocean Territories
British Virgin Is.
Brunei Darussalam
Burkina Faso
Burma (now Myanmar)
Burundi
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada
Cape Verde
Cayman Islands
Central African Republic
Chad
Chile
Christmas Island (Indian Ocean)
Cocos (Keeling Is.)
Colombia
Comoros
Congo
Costa Rica
Cuba
Curacao
Djibouti
Dominica
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Egypt (Arab Rep. of)
El Salvador
Equatorial Guinea
Eritrea
Ethiopia
Falkland Islands and Dependencies

PART 1 (continued)

Zone 1 Continued

French Guiana
French West Indies
Gabon
Gambia
Gaza and Khan Yunis
Ghana
Grenada
Guatemala
Guinea
Guinea-Bissau
Guyana
Haiti
Honduras
Hong Kong
India
Indonesia
Iran
Iraq
Israel
Ivory Coast
Jamaica
Jordan
Kenya
Kuwait
Laos
Lebanon
Lesotho
Liberia (Rep. of)
Libya
Macao
Madagascar (Dem. Rep. of)
Malawi
Malaysia
Maldives (Rep. of)
Mali
Mauritania
Mauritius
Mexico
Montserrat
Morocco
Mozambique
Myanmar
Namibia (S.W. Africa)
Nepal
Netherlands Antilles and Aruba
Nicaragua
Nigeria
Niger Republic
Oman
Pakistan
Panama
Paraguay
Peru
Puerto Rico
Qatar (State of)
Reunion
Rwanda
St. Helena

PART 1 (continued)

Zone 1 Continued

St. Christopher (St. Kitts) and Nevis
St. Lucia
St. Pierre and Miquelon
Samoa
Sao Tome and Principe
Saudi Arabia
Senegal
Seychelles
Sierra Leone
Singapore
Solomon Islands
Somalia (Dem. Rep.)
South Africa
South Georgia
South Sandwich Islands
Spanish Territories of
North Africa (Ceuta, Chafarinas,
Jadu and Melilla)
Sri Lanka
Sudan
Suriname
Swaziland
Taiwan
Tanzania
Thailand
Togo (Rep. of)
Tonga
Trinidad and Tobago
Tristan da Cunha
Turks and Caicos Is.
Tuvalu
Uganda
United Arab Emirates
United States of America
Uruguay
Vanuatu
Venezuela
Vietnam
Yemen
Zaire
Zambia
Zimbabwe

PART 2

Zone 2

Australia
Belau (Palau)
China (People's Rep. of)
East Timor
Fiji
French Polynesia
French Southern and Antarctic Territories
Guam
Japan
Kiribati

PART 2 (continued)

Zone 2 Continued

Korea (Rep. of)
Korea (Democratic People's Republic of)
Marshall Islands
Mongolia
Nauru Islands
New Caledonia
New Zealand
New Zealand Island Territories
Norfolk Island
Northern Mariana Islands
Papua New Guinea
Philippines
Pitcairn Island
Samoa (U.S.A. Territory)
St. Vincent and Grenadines
Syria
Taiwan
Tibet
Tunisia
Uruguay
Vanuatu
Virgin Islands
Wake Island
Wallis and Fortuna Islands

Maximum limits of weight and size of postal packets

The limits of weight and size specified in this Schedule apply to postal packets for all overseas destinations.

Description of postal packet	Maximum weight	Maximum size
1. Letter	2 kg.	Length, breadth and depth combined - 900 mm. Length - 600 mm. Breadth - 600 mm. Depth - 600 mm.
2. Postcard	-	Length - 148 mm. Breadth - 105 mm.
3. Printed Packet	2 kg.	As item 1 in this column
4. Small Packet	2 kg.	As item 1 in this column
5. Packet consisting of literature for the blind	7 kg.	As item 1 in this column

Registered letters - Compensation fees and
maximum compensation

Compensation fees	Maximum compensation
£ 3.00 4.00	£ 500 2200

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This Order amends the Post Office (Overseas Letter Post) Order, 1993:

- (i) by increasing the rates of postage for overseas letters, printed papers and small packets;
- (ii) by increasing the rate of compensation for ordinary and registered overseas letters.