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THE POSTAL AMENDING REGULATIONS 1964

BERNARD FERGUSSON, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 30th day of September
1964

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Post Office Act 1959, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

1. (1) These regulations may be cited as the Postal Amending Regulations 1964.

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the 1st day of October 1964.

2. (1) The rates of postage for postal articles and the charges for postal services and all other services referred to in the First Schedule hereto shall be the appropriate rates and charges specified in that Schedule.

(2) The regulations specified in the Second Schedule hereto are hereby revoked.

3. Notwithstanding the provisions of regulation 2 hereof, the Postmaster-General may, where multiple postings of one class of postal articles take place in circumstances approved by him, permit the payment of reduced rates or charges.

4. Subclause (1) of regulation 2 of the Postal Amending Regulations 1955 is hereby amended by omitting the words "of 4d.", and substituting the words "of 6d."

SCHEDULES

FIRST SCHEDULE

INLAND POSTAGE RATES AND FEES FOR OTHER SERVICES

1. LETTERS

Surface	4d. for first ounce; 1d. each additional ounce.
Air	5d. for first half ounce; 2d. each additional half ounce.

2. POSTCARDS

Surface	Single, 3d.; reply, 6d.
Air	Single, 4d.; reply, 8d.

3. PRINTED MATTER

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| (a) Ordinary | | | 3d. for each 8 oz up to 2 lb 8 oz. |
| (b) Government publications | 6d. per pound of separately addressed packages weighed together. Provided that, with the exception of the <i>School Journal</i> and the <i>Education Gazette</i> , each package weighs at least 4 oz. | | |
| (c) Library exchanges and books for lightkeepers | 3d. for each 8 oz up to 5 lb. | | |
| (d) Registered magazines up to 2 oz, publishers' rate
(Minimum posting at one time of 20 copies.) | Each copy—ordinary rate less 33½ per cent discount.
(The granting of the discount is conditional upon the sender complying with reasonable requests for the presentation of the articles in lots according to districts, towns, and other relevant considerations.) | | |
| (e) Registered newspapers, publishers' rate
(Minimum posting at one time of 20 copies.) | Each copy—ordinary rate up to 2 lb 8 oz less 33½ per cent discount.
(The granting of the discount is conditional upon the sender complying with reasonable requests for the presentation of the articles in lots according to districts, towns, and other relevant considerations.) | | |
| (f) Unregistered magazines and unregistered newspapers; and registered magazines over 2 oz.
(Minimum posting at one time of 100 copies.) | Each copy—ordinary rate up to 2 lb 8 oz less 20 per cent discount.
(The granting of the discount is conditional upon the sender complying with reasonable requests for the presentation of the articles in lots according to districts, towns, and other relevant considerations.) | | |
| (g) Householder circulars and samples: | | | |
| (i) Circulars and small flat samples | 1½d. per article not over 2 oz. | | |
| (ii) Sample packets | 2½d. per article not over 2 oz. | | |

4. LITERATURE FOR THE BLIND

Literature for the blind Free of postage up to 15 lb.

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*

5. PACKETS

3d. for each 8 oz up to 1 lb 8 oz.

6. EXPRESS DELIVERY PACKETS

Express delivery fee 6d. for each mile up to 3 miles for packets not over 3 lb. Double rates for packets over 3 lb but not over 6 lb.

7. BUSINESS REPLY POST

1d. per article in addition to postage at the rates prescribed for the appropriate category.

8. REGISTRATION

For all articles—	s.	d.
(i) Registered for an amount up to £10	1	0
(ii) Registered for an amount over £10 but not over £20	1	6
(iii) For each additional £20 of registered value or fraction thereof up to the maximum of £400	0	6

9. ADVICE OF DELIVERY OF REGISTERED ARTICLE

	s.	d.
(i) Ordinary	0	6
(ii) Addressee only	2	0

10. LATE FEE

For each letter or postcard 3d. in addition to postage.

11. PARCELS

The postage rates are assessed on a zonal basis as follows:

Postal Districts of

Zone 1 Whangarei, Auckland, Hamilton, Thames, Gisborne, Rotorua.

Zone 2 New Plymouth, Wanganui, Palmerston North, Napier, Masterton, Wellington.

Zone 3 Blenheim, Nelson, Westport, Greymouth, Christchurch, Timaru.

Zone 4 Oamaru, Dunedin, Invercargill.

(a) *Ordinary parcels*, that is, parcels not exceeding 3 ft 6 in. in length or 6 ft in length and girth combined, or where more than 1 in. thick, 4 ft 6 in. in length and girth combined:

	By Surface Transport				By Air Transport
	Within Zones or Between Zones 1 and 2 or Between Zones 3 and 4	Between Zones 2 and 3	Between Zones 1 and 3 or Between Zones 2 and 4	Between Zones 1 and 4*	Zonal Rates Do Not Apply
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Not over 3 lb	2 0	2 3	2 6	2 9	3 9
Over 3 lb but not over 7 lb ..	2 6	3 0	3 6	4 3	5 9
Over 7 lb but not over 14 lb ..	3 6	4 9	6 3	6 9	8 9
Over 14 lb but not over 21 lb ..	5 3	7 3	9 9	10 9	13 0
Over 21 lb but not over 28 lb ..	6 9	9 6	13 0	13 6	16 0

*The rates in this column are chargeable on parcels for the Cook Islands, Niue, the Tokelau Islands, and the Ross Dependency.

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*

(b) *Bulky parcels*, that is, parcels more than 1 in. in thickness, over 4 ft 6 in. in length and girth combined, but not over 6 ft in length and girth combined:

	By Surface Transport				By Air Transport
	Within Zones or Between Zones 1 and 2 or Between Zones 3 and 4	Between Zones 2 and 3	Between Zones 1 and 3 or Between Zones 2 and 4	Between Zones 1 and 4*	Zonal Rates Do Not Apply
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Not over 3 lb	5 3	7 3	9 9	10 9	13 0
Over 3 lb but not over 7 lb	5 3	7 3	9 9	10 9	13 0
Over 7 lb but not over 14 lb	5 3	7 3	9 9	10 9	13 0
Over 14 lb but not over 21 lb	5 3	7 3	9 9	10 9	13 0
Over 21 lb but not over 28 lb	6 9	9 6	13 0	13 6	16 0

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(c) *Rod-form parcels*, that is, parcels over 3 ft 6 in., in length but not over the allowable maximum of 4 ft 6 in., in length and not over 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ in. in diameter. The rates shown are, in this case inclusive of a "fragile" fee.

	By Surface Transport				By Air Transport
	Within Zones or Between Zones 1 and 2 or Between Zones 3 and 4	Between Zones 2 and 3	Between Zones 1 and 3 or Between Zones 2 and 4	Between Zones 1 and 4*	Zonal Rates Do Not Apply
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Not over 3 lb	6 0	6 3	6 9	7 0	8 9
Over 3 lb but not over 7 lb	6 9	7 0	7 9	9 0	10 6
Over 7 lb but not over 14 lb	7 6	8 3	10 6	11 3	12 3

NOTE—14 lb is maximum weight.

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FIRST SCHEDULE—continued

(d) *Parcels containing cinematograph films in fireproof containers; except "three-dimensional" films:*

	By Surface Transport				By Air Transport
	Within Zones or Between Zones 1 and 2 or Between Zones 3 and 4	Between Zones 2 and 3	Between Zones 1 and 3 or Between Zones 2 and 4	Between Zones 1 and 4	Zonal Rates Do Not Apply
Five-film receptacle containing five 11 lb films:					
Ordinary	s. d. 24 3	s. d. 33 3	s. d. 44 3	s. d. 47 3	s. d. 64 9
Express transit	29 3	38 3	49 3	52 3	..
Five-film receptacle containing under five 11 lb films:					
Ordinary	20 9	28 6	38 0	40 6	55 0
Express transit	24 9	32 6	42 0	44 6	..
Four-film receptacle containing four 11 lb films:					
Ordinary	20 9	28 6	38 0	40 6	55 0
Express transit	24 9	32 6	42 0	44 6	..
Three-film receptacle containing three 11 lb films:					
Ordinary	14 0	19 0	25 0	27 0	38 0
Express transit	17 0	22 0	28 0	30 0	..
Two-film receptacle containing two 11 lb films:					
Ordinary	10 6	14 3	18 9	20 3	28 3
Express transit	12 6	16 3	20 9	22 3	..
One-film receptacle containing one 11 lb film:					
Ordinary	7 0	9 6	12 6	13 6	18 6
Express transit	8 0	10 6	13 6	14 6	..
Receptacle containing two 5½ lb films:					
Ordinary	7 0	9 6	12 6	13 6	18 6
Express transit	8 0	10 6	13 6	14 6	..
Receptacle containing one 5½ lb film:					
Ordinary	3 6	4 9	6 3	6 9	12 6
Express transit	4 6	5 9	7 3	7 9	..
Empty receptacles					

Ordinary parcel rates.

NOTE—(1) A trailer film or advertising matter may be included in a container, and any such trailer film or advertising matter shall be charged for as an ordinary parcel, in addition to the postage on the films. Trailer films shall be enclosed in round tins 7 in. in diameter and about 2 in. in depth fitted with press-in lids.

(2) It shall be permissible to enclose in a film container, in addition to five films, up to two smaller films enclosed in tins each weighing approximately 5½ lb. When one film is enclosed, the charge shall be that for a 7 lb parcel; and when two films are enclosed, the charge shall be that for a 14 lb parcel, plus the "express transit" fee in each case if applicable.

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*(e) *Parcels containing "three-dimensional" cinematograph films in fireproof containers:*

	By Surface Transport			
	Within Zones or Between Zones 1 and 2 or Between Zones 3 and 4	Between Zones 2 and 3	Between Zones 1 and 3 or Between Zones 2 and 4	Between Zones 1 and 4
Four-film receptacle containing four 16 lb films:	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Ordinary	26 3	36 3	48 9	53 9
Express transit	34 3	44 3	56 9	61 9
Four-film receptacle containing three 16 lb films and one 11 lb film:				
Ordinary	24 6	33 9	45 3	49 9
Express transit	31 6	40 9	52 3	56 9
Three-film receptacle containing three 16 lb films:				
Ordinary	21 0	29 0	39 0	43 0
Express transit	27 0	35 0	45 0	49 0
Two-film receptacle containing two 24 lb films:				
Ordinary	18 9	26 3	35 9	37 9
Express transit	22 9	30 3	39 9	41 9

- (f) *Fragile fee:* s. d.
- (i) For parcels not over 4 ft 6 in. in length and girth combined 1 3
- (ii) For parcels over 4 ft 6 in. in length and girth combined 2 6
- (iii) For rod-shaped parcels not over 3 ft 6 in. in length: Fees as in (i) and (ii) according to measurement.

- (g) *Express transit fee:*
- (i) For parcels not over 14 lb in weight and not over 4 ft 6 in. in length and girth combined 1 0
- (ii) For parcels over the weight or measurement specified in (i) 2 0
- (iii) For cinematograph films in fireproof containers, for each film in the container:
- For films weighing up to 14 lb 1 0
- For films weighing over 14 lb 2 0

- (h) *Plaited ware from Cook Islands and Niue:*
- (i) In addition to the rates prescribed in such foregoing sections of this Schedule as may be applicable, on each parcel containing plaited ware posted in the Cook Islands or Niue to any address outside these islands, for each pound weight or part of a pound weight 0 1
- (ii) For the purposes of this paragraph "plaited ware" means plaited baskets, trays, table mats, hats, and grass skirts.

12. CUSTOMS CLEARANCE FEE

For each postal article 1s.

13. BRITISH COMMONWEALTH REPLY COUPON

For each coupon 4d.

SECOND SCHEDULE

REVOKED REGULATIONS

Title or Subject-matter	Published in Statutory Regulations	
	Year	Serial No.
The Postal Amending Regulations 1944	1944	1944/129
The Postal Amending Regulations 1961	1961	1961/100
The Postal Amending Regulations 1961, Amendment No. 1 ..	1961	1961/170
The Postal Amending Regulations 1961, Amendment No. 2 ..	1962	1962/202

T. J. SHERRARD,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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