

POST OFFICE

SCHEME P7/1974

NOTE:—The Scheme which follows this note is made under section 28 of the Post Office Act 1969 and amends the Post Office Overseas Parcel Post Scheme 1971. The amending Scheme, which comes into operation on 2nd September 1974, provides for rates of postage to be fixed for parcels over the weight limit of 22 lbs and for payment of compensation.

(This note is not part of the Scheme)

THE POST OFFICE OVERSEAS PARCEL POST AMENDMENT (No. 7) SCHEME 1974

Made 1st August 1974

Coming into operation 2nd September 1974

The Post Office, by virtue of the powers conferred upon it by Section 28 of the Post Office Act 1969, and of all other powers enabling it in this behalf, hereby makes the following Scheme:

Commencement, citation and interpretation

1.—(1) This Scheme shall come into operation on the 2nd day of September 1974, and may be cited as the Post Office Overseas Parcel Post Amendment (No. 7) Scheme 1974.

—(2) This Scheme shall be read as one with the Post Office Overseas Parcel Post Scheme 1971 (Post Office Scheme P8/1971) (hereinafter called “the Scheme”) as amended by the Post Office Overseas Parcel Post Amendment (No. 1) Scheme 1972 (Post Office Scheme P3/1972), the Post Office Overseas Parcel Post Amendment (No. 2) Scheme 1972 (Post Office Scheme P5/1972), the Post Office Overseas Parcel Post Amendment (No. 3) Scheme 1972 (Post Office Scheme P9/1972), the Post Office Overseas Parcel Post Amendment (No. 4) Scheme 1973 (Post Office Scheme P3/1973), the Post Office Overseas Parcel Post Amendment (No. 5) Scheme 1973 (Post Office Scheme P7/1973) and the Post Office Overseas Parcel Post Amendment (No. 6A) Scheme 1974 (Post Office Scheme P3A/1974).

—(3) The Interpretation Act 1889 applies for the interpretation of this Scheme as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Rates of postage

2.—(1) In sub-paragraph (1) of paragraph 5 of the Scheme delete “sub-paragraph (2)” and insert instead “sub-paragraphs (2) and (3)”.

—(2) After sub-paragraph (2) of paragraph 5 of the Scheme, there shall be inserted the following:

“(3) In the case of outgoing parcels which exceed the limits of weight specified in paragraph 8(1) and which the Post Office allows to be posted, there shall be charged and paid thereon postage at rates to be fixed by the Post Office”.

Insurance and Compensation

3. At the end of the scale in Part 2 of Schedule 2 to the Scheme there shall be added the following:—

“Where allowed:

Exceeding 22 lb. but not exceeding 33 lb.	11.00
Exceeding 33 lb. but not exceeding 44 lb.	14.00 ”

Dated 1st August 1974.

Signed on behalf of the Post Office by A. G. Brown (a person authorised by the Post Office to act in that behalf).

SCHEME T6/1974

NOTE: The Scheme which follows this Note has been made under Section 28 of the Post Office Act 1969 and will come into operation on 1st September 1974. It amends the Post Office International Telegram Scheme 1973 (Post Office Scheme T10/1973). The principal changes are:

- (i) certain detailed provisions concerning types of language admitted in telegrams and the counting of words which were prescribed in the principal Scheme are no longer so prescribed but fall to be determined under a general authority in the Scheme.
 - (ii) certain services and facilities are withdrawn.
- (This Note is not part of the Scheme)

THE POST OFFICE INTERNATIONAL TELEGRAM AMENDMENT (No. 1) SCHEME 1974

Made 14th August 1974

Coming into operation 1st September 1974

The Post Office, by virtue of the powers conferred upon it by section 28 of, and paragraph 3(1) of Schedule 9 to, the Post Office Act 1969, and of all other powers enabling it in this behalf, hereby makes the following Scheme:

Commencement, Citation and Extent

1.—(1) This Scheme shall come into operation on the 1st

day of September 1974 and may be cited as the Post Office International Telegram Amendment (No. 1) Scheme 1974.

(2) This Scheme shall extend to the United Kingdom and the Isle of Man.

Interpretation

2.—(1) This Scheme shall be read as one with the Post Office International Telegram Scheme 1973 (Post Office Scheme T10/1973), hereinafter called “the principal Scheme”.

(2) In paragraph 3(1) of the principal Scheme:

- (a) the definitions of “European telegram” and “extra European telegram” shall be deleted;
- (b) for the definition of “letter telegram” there shall be substituted:
““letter telegram” means a telegram accepted at a reduced rate on the conditions that it may be deferred in transmission or delivery or both and that it may be delivered by post, instead of by telegraph, and includes a ship letter telegram”;
- (c) for the definition of “plain language” there shall be substituted:
““plain language” means language consisting of words, figures or letters, combined into sentences or phrases conveying an intelligible meaning in one or more of the languages