

Enitrea	St Christopher (St Kitts) & Nevis
Ethiopia	St Helena
Falkland Islands	St Lucia
French Guiana	St Pierre & Miquelon
Gabon	St Vincent & Grenadines
Gambia, The	Sudan
Gaza & Khan Yunis	Suriname
Ghana	Swaziland
Grenada	Syria
Guadeloupe	Tajikistan
Guatemala	Tanzania
Guinea	Togo
Guinea-Bissau	Trinidad & Tobago
Guyana	Tristan da Cunha
Haiti	Tunisia
Honduras	Turkmenistan
India	Turks & Caicos Islands
Iran (Islamic Republic)	Uganda
Iraq	United Arab Emirates
Israel	Uruguay
Ivory Coast	Uzbekistan
Jamaica	Venezuela
Jordan	Virgin Islands (USA)
Kazakhstan	Yemen
	Zambia
	Zimbabwe

- (3) Part 9 of Schedule 1 to the Scheme as subsequently amended shall be deleted and the following substituted as Part II:

"Postage chargeable under paragraph 5(2) on certain outgoing parcels according to the weight.

Weight not exceeding	£
1kg	2.70
1.5kg	3.40
2 kg	3.65
4kg	5.65
6kg	6.15
8kg	7.05
10kg	7.55
30kg	8.85"

Signed on behalf of the
Post Office by
Mary Rowley
(a person authorised by the Post
Office to act in that behalf).

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POST OFFICE

POST OFFICE SCHEME L1/1998

Note: The Scheme which follows this note is made under Section 28 of the Post Office Act 1969 and amends the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Scheme 1982. The Scheme, which comes into operation on 6th April 1998 revises certain postal charges, lists of overseas destinations and introduces definitions of Airpacks, together with a scale of fees for this facility. Additionally, the Scheme introduces a reference to international response service licenses and revises references to undeliverable packets.

(This note is not part of the Scheme)

THE POST OFFICE OVERSEAS LETTER POST AMENDMENT (NO 17) SCHEME 1998

Made	1st April 1998
Coming into operation	6th April 1998

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

Commencement & Citation

- (1) The Scheme shall come into operation on 6th April 1998, and may be cited as the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No 17) Scheme 1998.
- (2) This Scheme shall be read as one with the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Scheme 1982 (Post Office Scheme P1/1982) (hereinafter called "the Scheme") as amended by the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No 1) Scheme 1982 (Post Office Scheme P6/1982), the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No 2) Scheme 1983 (Post Office Scheme P4/1983), the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No 3) Scheme 1984 (Post Office Scheme 3/1985), the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No 4) Scheme 1985 (Post Office Scheme 4/1985), the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No 5) Scheme 1986 (Post Office Scheme 2/1986), the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No 7) Scheme 1987 (Post Office Scheme 2/1987) the post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No 8) Scheme 1988 (Post Office Scheme 3/1988), the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No 9) Scheme 1989 (Post Office Scheme L2/1989), the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No 10) Scheme 1990 (Post Office Scheme L1/1990) the Post Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No 11) Scheme 1991 (Post Office Scheme L1/1991), the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No 12) Scheme 1991 (Post Office Scheme L1/1991), the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No 13) Scheme 1991 (Post Office Scheme L3/1991), the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No 14) Scheme 1993 (Post Office Scheme L2/1993), the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No 15) Scheme 1993 (Post Office Scheme L8/1993) and the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No 16) Scheme 1996 (Post Office Scheme L2/1996).

Interpretation

- (1) In sub-paragraph (1) of paragraph 3 of the Scheme as subsequently amended, the definition "Airmail Newspaper (HM Forces)" shall be deleted.
- (2) in sub-paragraph (1) of paragraph 3 of the Scheme as subsequently amended, the following definition shall be inserted after "Airmail Service":

"Airpack" means a prepaid outgoing postal packet consisting of a specially designated plastic envelope provided by the Post Office, use of which indicates the desire of the sender that the packet should be transmitted as a small packet."

Letters and postcards other than airmail packets

- Paragraph 5 of the Scheme, as subsequently amended, shall be deleted and the following shall be substituted:

"Airmail letters and postcards

- (1) Postage at the rates specified in Part 2A of Schedule 1 shall be, charged and paid on all European Airmail letters and Postcards for transmission to European Union destinations.
- (2) Postage at the rates specified in Part 2B of Schedule I shall be charged and paid on all European Airmail Letters and Postcards for transmission to European destinations other than those of the European Union".

Mail to HM Forces and Royal Navy Ships

4. The following shall be inserted as paragraph 6 of the Scheme:

"Mail to HM Forces and Royal Navy Ships

6(1) Postage at the rates specified in Part 1 of Schedule 1 shall be charged and paid on all letters, postcards, printed packets and small packets, other than airmail packets, posted in the British postal area, or, on board a ship registered in any part of the British postal area while the ship is on the high seas, for transmission, not within Europe.

(i) to a person on board a ship of the Royal Navy (whether on the high seas or in any part or place outside the British postal area), or

(ii) to a member of the armed forces of the United Kingdom or of any other Commonwealth country (except Australia) serving outside the British postal area with the armed forces of the United Kingdom or of any other Commonwealth country, being transmitted through a British Forces Post Office or a civilian postal administration in any Commonwealth or foreign country which has agreed to deliver without surcharge letters and postcards at the said rates.

(2) Postage at the rates specified in Part 3 of Schedule 3 shall be charged and paid on airmail packets posted in the British postal area, or on board a ship registered in any part of the British postal area while the ship is on the high seas, for transmission by airmail.

(i) to a person on board a ship of the Royal Navy (whether on the high seas or in any port or place outside the British postal area), or

(ii) to a member of the armed forces of the United Kingdom or of any other Commonwealth country (except Australia) serving outside the British postal area with the armed forces of the United Kingdom or of any other Commonwealth country, being transmitted through a British Forces Post Office or a civilian postal administration in any Commonwealth or foreign country which has agreed to deliver without surcharge letters and postcards at the said rates.

(3) Postage at the rates specified in Part 1 of Schedule 1 (for letters, postcards, printed packets and small packets, other than airmail packets) and Part 3 of Schedule 3 (for airmail packets) shall be charged and paid on all postal packets posted

(i) by a member of the forces referred to in paragraph 6(1)(ii) serving as therein mentioned, for transmission through a British Forces Post Office at which British postage stamps are issued, to a person in the British postal area; or

(ii) on board a ship of the Royal Navy (whether on the high seas or in any port or place outside the British postal area) for transmission to a person in the British postal area.

(4) Any postal packets for delivery to a person referred to in sub-paragraphs (1) and (2) above are delivered by the Post Office to the Ministry of Defence, who arrange for their onward transmission.

(5) Any postal packets referred to in sub-paragraph (3) above are handed to the Post office in the British postal area, for onward transmission within that area, by the Ministry of Defence who arranges for the transmission of such postal packets to the British postal area."

"Posting on board a ship

5. Paragraph 7 of the Scheme, as subsequently amended, shall be deleted and the following shall be substituted:

Posting on board a ship

7(1) For letters and postcards posted on board a ship registered in any part of the British postal area while the ship is on the high seas to the British postal area.

(i) postage at the rates specified in Part 5 of Schedule 2 shall be, charged and paid for first class delivery in the British Postal area, and

(ii) postage at the rates specified in Part 1 of Schedule 2 shall be charged and paid for second class delivery in the British postal area.

(2) The class of delivery referred to in sub-paragraph (1) above only applied from the time when the letters and postcards are handed to the Post Office in the British postal area.

(3) Postage at the rates specified in Part 3 of Schedule 1 shall be charged and paid on other letters and postcards (other than airmail letters or postcards) posted on board a ship registered in any part of the British postal area while the ship is on the high seas for transmission to a person anywhere in the world, unless paragraph 6 of this Scheme applies."

Air Mail Packets

6. Sub-paragraph (c) of paragraph 9 of the Scheme as subsequently amended shall be deleted and the following shall be substituted:

"(c) on other airmail packet, postage at the rate specified in Parts 1 and 2 of Schedule 3"

Other printed packets and small packets

7. The following paragraph shall be inserted as paragraph 10 of the Scheme, as subsequently amended:

"10(1) Postage at the rates specified in Part 2 of Schedule 2 shall be charged and paid on European Airmail Printed Packets.

(2) Except as otherwise provided by sub-paragraph (1) of this paragraph and paragraph 6 postage at the rates specified in Part 3 of Schedule 2 shall be charged and paid on outgoing printed packets and on outgoing small packets.

(3) Postage at the rates specified in Part 4 of Schedule 2 shall be charged and paid on European Airmail Small Packets.

(4) Upon every Airpack, there shall be charged and paid the fees specified in Schedule 5B.

(5) This paragraph does not apply to airmail packets:

Prohibitions

8. The following shall be added as sub-paragraph (2)(j) of paragraph 11 of the Scheme, as subsequently amended:

"(j) of a type referred to in sub-paragraphs (3)(a) and 5(a) of this paragraph."

9. Sub-paragraphs 3(a) and (b) of paragraph 11 of the Scheme, as subsequently amended, shall be deleted and replaced by the following:

"(3)(a) This sub-paragraph applies to incoming postal packets addressed to persons at addresses within the British postal area which were posted outside that area by or on behalf of any one person resident or carrying on business in that area, not being packets addressed to that person or to an agent of that person, and having been produced and made ready for sending within the British postal area.

(b) if the Post Office receives an incoming postal packet(s) to which this subparagraph applies, being a packet(s) posted by or on behalf of any one person, all or any of such packets so received within that period may, if the Post Office so determines, be either:

- (i) detained or returned to the country or place of origin, or (at the discretion of the Post Office)
- (ii) forwarded charged, in the case of each packet, with such amount of postage as the Post Office may in the particular case determine (not exceeding the amount of postage which would have been prepayable thereon if it had been originally posted in the British postal area (singly) as a first class letter); and if packet shall be so forwarded, the amount charged thereon shall be payable on or before the delivery of the packet, and the Post Office may withhold the packet from delivery until such amount has been paid."

10 Sub-paragraph (5)(b) of paragraph 11 of the Scheme, as shall be subsequently amended, shall be deleted and replaced by the following:

"(b) If within any period of 30 days the Post Office receives more than 50 incoming postal packets to which this subparagraph applies, all or any of such packets so received may, at the discretion of the Post Office, be detained and returned to the country in which they were posted or to the country in which the sender resides or carries on business."

Undeliverable packets

11. Paragraph 19 of the Scheme shall be deleted and the following shall be substituted:

"19(1) Where for any reason an incoming postal packet cannot be delivered, it may at the discretion of the Post Office either be returned to the sender or be destroyed or otherwise disposed of as the Post Office may think fit.

(2) Where an incoming postal packet is received by the Post Office as an undeliverable return item, and that postal packet was not originally posted in the British postal area, then the Post Office may as its discretion, either:

(a) Forward the postal packet to the address in the British postal area marked as the return address, and may charge the return address

(i) in the case of any postal packet(s) weighing up to and including 750gs, the appropriate second class letter post tariff for a postal packet of that weight, and such additional amount as the Post Office in its discretion may determine from time to time;

(ii) in the case of any postal packet weighing in excess of 750gs the appropriate first class letter tariff for a postal packets of that weight and such additional amount as the post Office in its discretion may determine from time to time;

or

(b) Return the postal packet to the postal administration of sending or to the postal administration who forwarded the postal packet to the Post Office".

International Response Services

12 The following shall be added to the Scheme, as subsequently amended, as a new paragraph 27A.

"International Response Services

27A(1) A person who proposes to invite others to post International Response Service packets, to him or to his agent

may apply to the Post Office for a licence authorising the posting of International Response Service packets to an address of the applicant or of his agent specified therein (being an address within the British postal area) or to an address provided by the Post office outside the British postal area without prepayment of postage, the provision by the applicant and the use for the purpose of the necessary cards, folders, letter cards, envelopes or labels.

(2) A licence conferring such authority as is mentioned in subparagraph (1) is hereinafter referred to as an "International Response Service Licence" and the person on whose application any such licence was granted is hereinafter referred to in relation to that licence as "the licensee".

(3) Every advertisement, notice, letter or other communication published, displayed, broadcast, issued, given, sent or made by, for or with the authority of the licensee, which includes an invitation to post International Response Service packets to an address of the licensee or his agent shall state that address precisely in the terms authorised in writing by Royal Mail, according to provisions in User Guide which may be amended from time to time.

(4) No card, folder, letter card, envelope, wrapper or label shall be made available by the licensee for use by any person as or with an International Response Service packet (or being a label shall be incorporated in an advertisement published by or for the licensee) unless:

(a) it has printed thereon in such position and manner as have been approved by the Post Office special distinguishing characters (if any) allocated for the purpose by the Post office and an address specified in writing by the Post Office and in accordance with the provisions of the User Guide;

(b) it meets the prescribed specifications and is similar in all respects to a specimen thereof which has been submitted to and approved by the Post Office.

(5) Every international Response Service Licence granted pursuant to an application made under subparagraph (1) shall be so granted on and subject to

(a) a condition that the licensee shall make provision (by way of deposit and other payments in advance) at such times, in such manner, and to such extent as the Post Office shall think fit with respect to the payment of postage payable by him on postal packets posted by authority of the Post Office without prepayment of postage to him or to his agent;

(b) such other terms and conditions (including conditions as to revocation and variation) as the Post Office may think fit.

(6) Postage charged and payable under this Scheme on International Response Service packets shall be paid by the licensee in respect of an International Response Service Licence, on all such packets which are posted in accordance with that licence without prepayment of postage and are received by him or by his agent.

(7) There shall be charged and paid by the licensee in respect of every year or part of a year in which each such licence is in force such amount as the Post Office may determine from time to time in respect of an International Response Services licence. The fee shall be paid (in respect to the first year) by the applicant for the licence before it is granted, and shall be due and payable on every anniversary of the day when it was granted and on which it remains in force (hereinafter referred to in relation to such a licence as a "relevant Anniversary").

(8) On the surrender by the licensee or revocation by the Post Office of an International Response Services Licence the Post

Office, if it thinks fit, may refund to the licensee such proportion as it thinks just of the annual fee paid in respect of the year in which the surrender or revocation takes effect or may appropriate that proportion of the fee in or towards payment of any postage which is or may become due and payable by the licensee in respect of packets posted to the licensee or his agent without prepayment of postage."

Postal packets posted on ships or by Forces abroad

13 In sub-paragraph (2)(c) of paragraph 42 of the Scheme as subsequently amended, the words "(except Australia)" shall be added after the words "Commonwealth country" on each occasion that they occur.

14 The following shall be added as a new sub-paragraph (3) to paragraph 42 of the Scheme, as subsequently amended:

"(3) Any postal packets posted to or from

(b) on board a ship of the Royal Navy (whether on the high seas or in any port or place outside the British postal area); or

(c) a member of the armed forces of the United Kingdom or of any other Commonwealth country (except Australia) serving outside the British postal area, or a member of the armed forces of any State allied with the United Kingdom serving outside the British postal area with the armed forces of the United Kingdom or of any other Commonwealth country, for transmission through a British Forces Post Office at which British postage stamps are issued,

which is or is required to be sent as a registered packet or insured packet, will be posted under the relevant provisions of the Post Office Inland Letter Post Scheme 1989 (as amended), as a recorded delivery packet or a Registered Plus packet as appropriate."

Rates of Postage on Letters and Postcards other than Airmail Packets

15 In Part 1 of Schedule 1 to the Scheme, as subsequently amended, the reference to paragraph "5(1)" shall be changed to "6(1)", and the sub-heading "1 Letter" shall be changed to "1 Letter, printed packets and small packets".

16 Part 2A of Schedule 1 to the Scheme shall be deleted and the following substituted:

"PART 2A

Rates of postage under paragraph 5(1)

1 Letter

not exceeding 20g in weight	30p
exceeding 20g but not exceeding 40g in weight	44p
exceeding 40g but not exceeding 60g in weight	56p
exceeding 60g but not exceeding 80g in weight	69p
exceeding 80 but not exceeding 100g in weight	82p
exceeding 100g but not exceeding 120g in weight	94p
exceeding 120g but not exceeding 140g in weight	£1.07
exceeding 140g but not exceeding 160g in weight	£1.19
exceeding 160g but not exceeding 180g in weight	£1.32
exceeding 180g but not exceeding 200g in weight	£1.44
exceeding 200g but not exceeding 220g in weight	£1.57
exceeding 220g but not exceeding 240g in weight	£1.69
exceeding 240g but not exceeding 260g in weight	£1.82
exceeding 260g but not exceeding 280g in weight	£1.95
exceeding 280g but not exceeding 300g in weight	£2.07
exceeding 300g but not exceeding 320g in weight	£2.20
exceeding 320g but not exceeding 340g in weight	£2.32
exceeding 340g but not exceeding 360g in weight	£2.45
exceeding 360g but not exceeding 380g in weight	£2.57
exceeding 380g but not exceeding 400g in weight	£2.70
exceeding 400g but not exceeding 420g in weight	£2.82

exceeding 420g but not exceeding 440g in weight	£2.95
exceeding 440g but not exceeding 460g in weight	£3.08
exceeding 460g but not exceeding 480g in weight	£3.20
exceeding 480g but not exceeding 500g in weight	£3.33
each additional 20g or part of 20g (up to a maximum weight of 2kg)	13p

2 Postcard 30p"

17 Part 2B of Schedule 1 to the Scheme shall be deleted and replaced by the following:

"PART 2B

Rates of postage under paragraph 5(2)

not exceeding 20g in weight	30p
exceeding 20g but not exceeding 40g in weight	44p
exceeding 40g but not exceeding 60g in weight	56p
exceeding 60g but not exceeding 80g in weight	69p
exceeding 80 but not exceeding 100g in weight	82p
exceeding 100g but not exceeding 120g in weight	94p
exceeding 120g but not exceeding 140g in weight	£1.07
exceeding 140g but not exceeding 160g in weight	£1.19
exceeding 160g but not exceeding 180g in weight	£1.32
exceeding 180g but not exceeding 200g in weight	£1.44
exceeding 200g but not exceeding 220g in weight	£1.57
exceeding 220g but not exceeding 240g in weight	£1.69
exceeding 240g but not exceeding 260g in weight	£1.82
exceeding 260g but not exceeding 280g in weight	£1.95
exceeding 280g but not exceeding 300g in weight	£2.07
exceeding 300g but not exceeding 320g in weight	£2.20
exceeding 320g but not exceeding 340g in weight	£2.32
exceeding 340g but not exceeding 360g in weight	£2.45
exceeding 360g but not exceeding 380g in weight	£2.57
exceeding 380g but not exceeding 400g in weight	£2.70
exceeding 400g but not exceeding 420g in weight	£2.82
exceeding 420g but not exceeding 440g in weight	£2.95
exceeding 440g but not exceeding 460g in weight	£3.08
exceeding 460g but not exceeding 480g in weight	£3.20
exceeding 480g but not exceeding 500g in weight	£3.33

each additional 20g or part of 20g

(up to a maximum weight of 2kg) 13p

2 Postcard 30p"

18 In Part 3 of Schedule 1 to the Scheme, as subsequently amended, the reference to paragraph "5(3)" shall be amended to "7(3)".

19 In Part 2 of Schedule 2 to the Scheme, as subsequently amended, the reference to paragraph "7(2)" shall be changed to "10(1)".

20 In Part 3 of Schedule 2 to the Scheme, as subsequently amended, the reference to paragraph "7(3)" shall be amended to "10(2)".

21 In Part 4 of Schedule 2 to the Scheme, as subsequently amended, the reference to paragraph "7(4)" shall be changed to "10(3)".

22 In Part 5 of Schedule 2 to the Scheme, as subsequently amended, the reference to paragraph "7(1)" shall be amended to "7(1)(ii)", and the words "Airmail Newspaper (HM Forces)" shall be deleted.

23 In Schedule 3, Part 1 (Sections 1, 2 and 3) and Part 2 (sections 1, 2, 3 and 4) of the Scheme, as subsequently amended, the word "Airmail" shall be added before each section heading.

24 In Part 3 of Schedule 3 to the Scheme, as subsequently amended, the reference to paragraph "5(1)(i) or (ii)" shall be

changed to "6(2)(i) or (ii)", and the section heading "I Letter to Europe" shall be amended to "I To Europe".

Countries and Airmail Postage Rate Zones

25 For Schedule 4 to the Scheme, as subsequently amended, there shall be substituted the following:

"SCHEDULE 4

Paragraph 3(2), 9 (c) and Schedule 3

PART 1

Zone 1 Countries in Airmail Postage Rate Zones

Abu Dhabi	Djibouti	Mexico	Sri Lanka
Afghanistan	Dominica	Montserrat	Sudan
Ajman	Dominican Rep.	Morocco	Suriname
Algeria	Dubai	Mozambique	Swaziland
Angola	Ecuador	Myanmar (formerly Burma)	Syria
Anguilla	Egypt	Nambia	Tanzania
Antigua & Barbudo	El Salvador	Nepal Guinea	Thailand
Argentina	Equatorial	Netherlands	Tibet
Aruba	Eritrea	Netherlands	Togo
Ascension	Ethiopia	Antilles	Trinidad & Tobago
Bahamas	Falkland Islands	Nicaragua	Tristan da Cunha
Bahrain	French Guiana	Nigeria	Tunisia
Bangladesh	Fr. West Indies	Niger Rep.	Turks & Caicos Islands
Barbados	Fujairah	Oman	Uganda
Belize	Gabon	Pakistan	Umm al Qaiwan
Benin	Gambia	Panama	United Arab Emirates
Bermuda	Gaza&Khan Yunis	Paraguay	USA
Bhutan	Ghana	Peru	Uruguay
Bolivia	Grenada	Puerto Rico	Venezuela
Bonwana	Guatemala	Qatar	Vietnam
Brazil	Guinea	Ras al Khaima	Virgin Islands (USA)
British Islands	Guinea-Bissau	Reunion	Yemen
Ocean Territories	Guyana	Rwanda	Zambia
British Virgin Islands	Haiti	Sabah	Zimbabwe
Brunei Darussalam	Honduras	St Christopher (St Kitts)&Nevis	
Burkina Faso	Hong Kong	St Helena	
Burundi	India	St Lucia	
Cambodia	Indonesia	St Pierr & Miquelon	
Cameroon	Iran	St Vincent & Grenadines	
Canada	Iraq	Sao Tome & Principe	
Cape Verde	Israel	Sarawak	
Cayman Islands	Jamaica	Saudi Arabia	
Central African Republic	Jordan	Senegal	
Chad	Kenya	Seychelles	
Chile	Kuwait	Sharjah	
Christmas Islands	Laos	Sierra Leone	
Cocos Islands (Keeling Island)	Lebanon	Singapore	
Columbia	Lesotho	Somalia	
Comoros	Liberia	South Africa	
Congo	Libya	South Georgia	
Congo Dem Rep	Macao	South Sandwich Islands	
Costa Rica	Madagascar	Spanish North African Territories	
Cote D'Ivoire	Malawi		
Cuba	Malaysia		
Curacao	Maldives		
	Mali		
	Mauritania		
	Mauritius		

PART 2

Zone 2

Australia	New Caledonia
Belau (Palau)	New Zealand
China	New Zealand Island

(Peoples Republic)	Territories
East Timor	Norfolk Island
Fiji	Northern Mariana Island
French Polynesia	Papua New Guinea
French Southern & Antarctic Territories	Philippines
Guam	Pitcairn Island
Japan	Samoa (American)
Kiribati	Solomon Islands
Korea (Democratic People's Republic)	Taiwan
Korea (Republic of)	Tonga
Marshall Islands	Tuvalu
Micronesia (Federated States)	Vanuatu
Mongolia	Wake Island
Nauru Island	Wallis & Futuna Islands
	Western Samoa

European Union Destinations

26 For Schedule 4A to the Scheme, there shall be substituted the following:

"SCHEDULE 4A

Paragraphs 3(1) and 5(1)

EUROPEAN UNION DESTINATIONS

Andora	Irish Republic
Austria	Italy
Azores	Luxembourg
Balearic Islands	Madeira
Belgium	Monaco
Canary Islands	Netherlands
Corsica	Portugal
Denmark	San Marino
Finland	Spain
France	Sweden
Germany	Vatican City State"
Gibraltar	
Greece	

Swiftair Packet, Swiftair Plus Registered Packet, Swiftair Plus Recorded Packets and Swiftpacks - Fees

27 For Schedule 5A to the Scheme, as subsequently amended, there shall be substituted the following:

"SCHEDULE 5A

Paragraph 29

Swiftair Plus Registered Packet, Swiftair Plus Recorded Packets and Swiftpacks - Fees

<i>Part 1 Swiftair Plus Registered Packets</i>	<i>Fee when packets posted at a post office</i>	<i>Fee when packets are collected by an officer of the Post Office</i>
(insured for compensation not exceeding £500)	3.80	3.40
(insured for compensation not exceeding £2200)	4.50	4.00
Part 2 Swiftair Plus Recorded Packets	3.30	3.00
Part 3 Swiftpacks	Fee	
C4 size, prepaid up to 300g to all destinations	£5.99	
C4 size, prepaid up to 300g to all destinations	£4.99	

C5 size, prepaid up to £4.99
150g to all destinations

DL size, prepaid up to £3.99"
50g to all destinations

other printed packets and small packets

28 The following Schedule shall be inserted after Schedule 5A:

SCHEDULE 5B

Paragraph 10(4)

AIRPACKS - FEES

	<i>Fee</i>
C3 size, prepaid up to 500g to all destinations	£5.99
C3 size, prepaid up to 500g to European Destinations	£3.50
C4 size, prepaid up to 300 g to all destinations	£3.99
C4 size, prepaid up to 300g to all destinations	£2.99"

Signed on behalf of the
Post Office by
R L Trundell
(a person authorised by the Post
Office to act in that behalf)
(146)

1st April 1998

WILDLIFE AND COUNTRYSIDE ACT 1981: SECTION 29

**RIVER SPEY INSH MARSHES: SITE OF SPECIAL
SCIENTIFIC INTEREST (BADENOCH AND STRATHSPEY)
NATURE CONSERVATION REVOCATION ORDER 1998**

NOTICE is hereby given under paragraph 6(2)(b) of Schedule 11 to the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 that the Secretary of State has considered the above Order and has decided to confirm it.

The general effect of the Revocation Order is to revoke the River Spey Insh Marshes Site of Special Scientific Interest (Badenoch and Strathspey) Nairn Conservation Order 1987 ("the 1987 Order").

Copies of the Revocation Order and of the 1987 Order and the map referred to in it have been deposited at the offices of Highland Council Planning Office, 100 High Street, Kingussie and may be inspected there free of charge at all reasonable hours.

Any person who is aggrieved by the Order and desires to question its validity on the grounds that it is not within the power of Section 29 of the said Act of 1981 or that the requirements of Schedule 11 to the Act have not been complied with in relation to it, may within 6 weeks from the date of this notice make an application to the Court of Session under paragraph 7 of Schedule 11 to the Act.

J N Randall
An Assistant Secretary in
The Scottish Office
authorised by the Secretary of State
for Scotland to sign in that behalf

30th March 1998

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ABERDEEN CITY COUNCIL

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (LISTED BUILDINGS
AND BUILDINGS IN CONSERVATION AREAS) (SCOTLAND)
REGULATIONS 1987**

NOTICE is hereby given that applications for Listed Building/Conservation Area Consent and for Planning Permission with respect to the undernoted subjects, have been submitted to the Aberdeen City Council.

The applications and relative plans are available for inspection within the Planning and Strategic Development Department, St Nicholas House, Aberdeen, during normal office hours, and any representations in connection therewith should be made in writing, to the Director of Planning and Strategic Development, St Nicholas House, Aberdeen AB10 1BW, within 21 days of this advertisement

Proposals Requiring Listed Building/Conservation Area Consent

Period for lodging representations - 21 days

9 Union Street Aberdeen (Category A Listed Building within Con- servation Area 2)	Erection of external signage	Po Na Na Trading Limited	98/0450
9 Union Street Aberdeen (Category A Listed Building within Con- servation Area 2)	Alterations to public bar/restaurant	Po Na Na Trading Limited	98/0451
8 Bayview Road Aberdeen (Conservation Area 4)	Demolition of part of boundary wall and the erection of a garage	A Juroszek	98/0438
Former Town House Little Belmont Street Aberdeen (Category A Listed Building within Con- servation Area 2)	Clean the south granite elevation	Jarlaw The Academy	98/0536
Former Town House Little Belmont Street Aberdeen (Category A Listed Building within Con- servation Area 2)	Clear the east and north elevations	Jarlaw The Academy	98/0538

(Would Community Councils, Conservation Groups and Societies, applicants and members of the public please note that the Aberdeen City Council as District Planning Authority intend to accept only those representations which have been received within the above period as prescribed in terms of Planning Legislation).

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ABERDEENSHIRE COUNCIL

PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

NOTICES UNDER THE PLANNING ACTS

THE following applications have been submitted for the consideration of Aberdeenshire Council. Plans can be inspected during normal office hours at the locations specified. Any person wishing to make representations should do so in writing (quoting the reference number and stating clearly the grounds of their representation) to the Head of Planning Services at the relevant divisional office within the specified period.