(a) It is in the interests of consumers in respect of prices and continuity of supply; and
(b) BG will be better able to finance the carrying on of the Transco business,
if the proposed modifications are made; this reason is more fully set out and explained in Annex 1.
5. Representations or objections with respect to the proposed modifications may be made within 29 days of the date of this notice and should be addressed to -
The Office of Gas and Electricity Markets
Stockley House
130 Wilton Road
London SW1V 1LQ
and marked for the attention of Justin Coombs.

## SCHEDULE 1

Paragraph 5 of Special Condition 2 of the Licence shall be modified by the addition of:
(d) This sub-paragraph applies where the Licensee, with the consent of the Director pursuant to this paragraph, enters into any agreement or arrangement incorporating a Cross-Default Obligation. In those circumstances, unless the Director otherwise consents, the Licensee shall:
(i) procure that a related person of the Licensee shal indemnify the Licensee in respect of its liabilities and potential liabilities under the Cross-Default Obligation on terms approved in writing by the Director;
(ii) procure that the terms of that indemnity shall include an obligation that the person granting the indemnity shall maintain, at all relevant times, an investment grade credit rating; and
(iii) enforce the terms of the indemnity if so directed in writing by the Director.

Annex 1
Use of gas-related infrastructure for telecommunications purposes BG Transco plc has advised Ofgem of proposals for the transfer to Transco Telecommunications Asset Development Company Limited of certain assets which would be used by to Transco Telecommunications Asset Development Company Limited to provide telecommunications services to third parties: The proposed transactions include leasehold and freehold transfers of land and the rights to use buildings and structures for telecoms purposes.
Cross-default obligations may arise out of the transfer of these interests in land, including cross default obligations of a type that Special Condition 2 of Transco's licence prohibits Transco entering into, other than with the Director's consent. In order to safeguard the interest of transportation customers, Transco has agreed to procure Deeds of Undertaking and Indemnities in relation to the transfers in question, similar to those described in Special Condition 2(5)(b).
In order to further protect the interests of customers, Ofgem considers that the party giving the indemnity should maintain an investment grade credit rating and that Transco should enforce the indemnity if so directed by the Director General of Gas Supply.
To implement these safeguards a modification to the Transco PGT licence is required under Section 23 of the Gas Act 1986. The Director is minded, once these modifications have been made, to consent to Transco entering into certain cross default obligations arising out of the transfer of assets to Transco Telecommunications Asset Development Company Limited.
(2101/82)

## OFFICE OF GAS SUPPLY

## NOTICE OF PROPOSAL TO GRANT AN EXTENSION TO

 A PUBLIC GAS TRANSPORTERS LICENCE1. The Director General of Gas Supply, pursuant to section 7(5) of the Gas Act 1986, hereby gives notice that he proposes to grant a licence under that section to British Gas Connections, whose registered office is situated at Charter Court, 50 Windsor Road, Slough, Berkshire, SL1 2HA.

The extension, if awarded, will authorise the above-named to convey gas through pipes to any premises in the areas briefly
described below and shown on maps previously submitted to the Director General.

## AREAS

Benston Park, Dalrymple, Scotland
Copies of these maps are available for inspection at the Office of Gas Supply at the address shown below.
2. The Director General is of the opinion that the above-named applicant intends to carry on the activities which may be authorised by its licence under section 7 of the Act in the areas named, and that the granting of the licence will be calculated:
(a) to secure that reasonable demands for gas in Great Britain are met, and
(b) to secure effective competition in the supply of gas conveyed through pipes.
3. Any representations or objections with respect to the proposed extensions may be made in writing and delivered to $G$. Batty, Office of Gas Supply, 16 Palace Street, London, SW1E 5JD, no later than 4th May 2000.
(2101/83)

## OFFICE OF GAS SUPPLY

## NOTICE OF PROPOSAL TO GRANT AN EXTENSION TO

 A PUBLIC GAS TRANSPORTERS LICENCE1. The Director General of Gas Supply, pursuant to section 7(5) of the Gas Act 1986, hereby gives notice that he proposes to grant an extension to a licence under that section held by Elf Pipelines Limited whose registered office is situated at Ocean Park House, East Tyndall Street; Cardiff, CF1 5GT.
The extension, if awarded, will authorise the above-named to convey gas through pipes to any premises in the areas briefly described below and shown on maps previously submitted to the Director General,

## AREAS

Dundonald Road, Kilmarnock, East Ayrshire
Eliburn East 6, Eliburn Road, Livingston, West Lothian
Copies of these maps are available for inspection at the Office of Gas Supply at the address shown below.
2. The Director General is of the opinion that the above-named applicant intends to carry on the activities which may be authorised by its licence under section 7 of the Act in the areas named, and that the granting of the extension will be calculated
(a) to secure that reasonable demands for gas in Great Britain are met, and
(b) to secure effective competition in the supply of gas conveyed through pipes.
3. Any representations or objections with respect to the proposed extensions may be made in writing and delivered to Miss Selina Johnson, Office of Gas Supply, 5th Floor, 16 Palace Street, London, SW1E 5JD, no later than 4th May 2000.
(2101/84)


## Post Office

## POST OFFICE SCHEME OL1/2000

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 27 April 2000 makes certain amendments consequential to the Post Office Inland Letter Post Scheme 2000 (IL 1/2000) and the Post Office Scheme for Franking Letters and Parcels 2000 (F 1 / 2000), revises certain postal charges to international destinations, introduces definitions of Airletters and Forces Airletters and makes certain other minor amendments. (This note is not part of the Scheme)

## THE POST OFFICE OVERSEAS LETTER POST AMENDMENT (NO. 20) SCHEME 2000

Made ................................................................................... 14 April 2000
Coming into operation .................................................... 27 April 2000

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 makes the following Scheme:

## Commencement and citation

1. (1) This Scheme shall come into operation on 27 April 2000 and may be cited as the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No.20) Scheme 2000.
(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 Office 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 L2/1991), 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), the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No. 16) Scheme 1996 (Post Office Scheme L2/1996), the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No.17) Scheme 1998 (Post Office Scheme L1/1998), the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No.18) Scheme 1999 (Post Office Scheme L1/ 1999) and the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No. 19) Scheme 1999 (Post Office Scheme L2/1999).

## Arrangement of Paragraphs

2. In Part VI of the Arrangement of Paragraphs, the description of paragraph 45 shall be deleted and the description "Application of Post Office Inland Letter Post Scheme 2000". inserted in its place.

## Interpretation

3. (1) In paragraph 3(1) of the Scheme the definition "aerogramme" shall be deleted and the following substituted in its place:
" "aerogramme" means an air mail packet (not being a Forces aerogramme) consisting of a letter written on a special aerogramme form provided or approved by the Post Office and which facility is advertised under the trading name of "Airletter";"
(2) In paragraph 3(1) of the Scheme the definition "Forces aerogramme" shall be deleted and the following substituted in its place:
""Forces aerogramme" means an air mail packet consisting of a letter written on a special Forces aerogramme form provided by the Post Office, which facility is advertised under the trading name of "Forces Airletter" and which is addressed to, or sent to the British postal area by, a member of the armed forces of the United Kingdom serving abroad or on board a ship of the Royal Navy on the high seas or in any port or place outside the British postal area, or a member of the armed forces of any other Commonwealth country or of any state allied with the United Kingdom serving with British units or using a British Forces address;"
(3)

In paragraph 3(1) of the Scheme the following definitions shall be added after the definition "Forces aerogramme":
" "Franking equipment" has the meaning set out in the Post Office Scheme for Franking Letters and Parcels 2000 as amended from time to time;
"Franking mark" has the meaning set out in the Post Office Scheme for Franking Letters and Parcels 2000 as amended from time to time;"

## Application

4. In paragraph 4(1) of the Scheme the words "Post Office Inland Post Scheme 1982" shall be deleted and replaced with: "Inland Letter Post Scheme 2000".

## Air mail packets

5. In paragraph 9 (a) of the Scheme, the amount " 37 p " shall be deleted and replaced with: "40p".

## Prohibitions

6. (1) In paragraph 11(2)(b) of the Scheme the words "or any counterfeit impression of a postal franking machine used under the direction or with the authority of the Post Office or any counterfeit of any other impression" shall be deleted and replaced with: "or any counterfeit of any impression".
(2) In paragraph $11(2)(g)$ of the Scheme the words "impression of a postal franking machine, press or device" shall be deleted and replaced with: "franking mark or other impression".
(3) In paragraph 11(2)(j) of the Scheme the words "any stamp or impression" shall be deleted and replaced with: "any stamp or franking mark or other impression".
(4) The following shall be added as paragraph 11 (2)(n) of the Scheme:
"(n) containing or bearing any franking mark which has been made by franking equipment used otherwise than in accordance with the terms of the Post Office Scheme for Franking Letters and Parcels 2000 as amended from time to time or any franking mark which does not in any other respect comply with that Scheme".

## Payment of Postage and Fees

7. (1) Paragraph $16(3)(c)$ of the Scheme shall be deleted and the following substituted:
"(c) by franking marks which have been made by franking equipment used in accordance with the Post Office Scheme for Franking Letters and Parcels 2000 as amended from time to time and which comply in all other respects with that Scheme."
(2) Paragraphs 16(5) and 16(6) of the Scheme shall be deleted and the following substituted:
"(5) The Post Office Scheme for Franking Letters and Parcels 2000 as amended from time to time shall be read as one with this Scheme and shall apply with respect to the use of franking equipment to pay postage or fees and with respect to the posting of postal packets bearing franking marks."

## Undeliverable Packets

8. Paragraph 19(2) of the Scheme shall be deleted and the following substituted:
"(2) Where an incoming postal packet is received by the Post Office as an undeliverable item and that postal packet was not originally posted with the Post Office in the British postal area, then the Post Office may at its discretion, either
(a) Forward the postal packet to the sender or (at the Post Office's discretion) to an address agreed with the sender, and may charge the sender,
(i) in the case of any postal packet(s) weighing up to and including 750 g , the appropriate second class letter post tariff for postal packets of that weight; or
(ii) in the case of any postal packet(s) weighing in excess of 750 g the appropriate first class letter tariff for postal packets of that weight; or
(iii) where a number of postal packets are forwarded on the same occasion and the packets together are in the opinion of the Post Office of sufficient weight and size to be a parcel and the Post Office considers it appropriate to forward the postal packets as a parcel, the appropriate charge for that parcel in accordance with the Post Office Inland Parcel Post Scheme 1989;
and in any case, such additional administrative charge per postal packet as the Post Office in its discretion may determine from time to time; or
(b) Permit the sender to collect the postal packet from Post Office premises, on such conditions and at such times as the Post Office may in its discretion specify, and may charge the sender such administrative charge per postal packet as the Post Office in its discretion may determine from time to time; or
(c) Return the postal packet to the postal administration of sending or to the postal administration which forwarded the postal packet to the Post Office.
(3) For the purposes of paragraphs 19(2), 19(4) and 19(5) of the Scheme, "sender" shall mean the person or persons shown on a return address or addresses on a postal packet or a person indicated on the postal packet as the sender by markings agreed with the Post Office.
(4) Where there is more than one possible sender of a postal packet, the Post Office may elect, at its discretion, which person to treat as the sender for the purposes of paragraph 19(2) above. If a sender is approached and that person declines to pay the charges referred to in paragraph 19(2), then the Post Office may at its discretion in accordance with paragraph 19(2) approach any other person considered to be a sender under the definition in paragraph 19(3) above.
(5) If a sender approached in accordance with paragraph 19(2) above declines to pay the charges referred to in paragraph $19(2)$ then at the discretion of the Post Office the postal packet may be destroyed or otherwise disposed of as the Post Office thinks fit."

## Postcards

9. (1) In paragraph 21(1)(e) of the Scheme the words "or impressions of postal franking machines, presses or devices" shall be deleted and replaced with: "franking marks or other impressions".
(2) In paragraph 21(3) of the Scheme the word "impression" shall be deleted and replaced with:
"or franking mark or other impression".
Compensation for Special Delivery packets for transmission through a British Forces Post Office or sent to a British Forces Post Office numbered address through an ordinary post office
10. In paragraph 33A(3) of the Scheme the words "Post Office Inland Scheme 1989" shall be deleted and replaced with: "Post Office Inland Letter Post Scheme 2000".

## Compensation for certain other postal packets

11. In paragraph $37(2)$ of the Scheme, the amount ' 126 ' shall be deleted and replaced with:
"£27".

## Redirection

12. In paragraphs $40(2), 40(7), 40(7)(b)$ and $40(7)$ (c) of the Scheme, the words "Post Office Inland Letter Post Scheme 1989" shall be deleted and replaced with: "Post Office Inland Letter Post Scheme 2000".

## Postal packets posted on ships or by Forces abroad

13. In paragraph $42(3)(\mathrm{d})$ of the Scheme the words "Post Office Inland Letter Post Scheme 1989" shall be deleted and replaced with: "Post Office Inland Letter Post Scheme 2000".

## Application of Post Office Inland Post Scheme

14. In paragraph 45 of the Scheme the description "Application of Post Office Inland Post Scheme" shall be deleted and the description "Application of Post Office Inland Letter Post Scheme $2000^{\prime \prime}$ inserted in its place.

Schedule 1-Rates of postage on Letters and Postcards other than Airmail Packets
15. Schedule 1 to the Scheme shall be deleted and the following substituted:
"SCHEDULE 1
Rates of Postage on Letters and Postcards other than Airmail Packets

## Paragraph 5

## PART I

Rates of postage under paragraph 6(1)

1. Letter, printed packet and small packet. $\qquad$ $\boldsymbol{f}$
not exceeding 60 g in weight exceeding 60 g but not exceeding 100 g in weight ...... 0.33 exceeding 100 g but not exceeding 150 g in weight .... 0.44 exceeding 150 g but not exceeding 200 g in weight .... 0.54 exceeding 200 g but not exceeding 250 g in weight .... 0.66 exceeding 250 g but not exceeding 300 g in weight.... 0.76 exceeding 300 g but not exceeding 350 g in weight.... 0.87 exceeding 350 g but not exceeding 400 g in weight .... 1.00 exceeding 400 g but not exceeding 450 g in weight .... 1.14 exceeding 450 g but not exceeding 500 g in weight .... 1.30 exceeding 500 g but not exceeding 600 g in weight.... 1.52 exceeding 600 g but not exceeding 700 g in weight .... 1.74 exceeding 700 g but not exceeding 750 g in weight .... 1.85 exceeding 750 g but not exceeding $I \mathrm{~kg}$ in weight ..... 2.45
2. Postcard ........................................................................... 0.19

PART 2A
Rates of postage under paragraph 5(1)

1. Letter.
f
not exceeding 20 g in weight ..... 0.36
exceeding 20 g but not exceeding 40 g in weight ..... 0 .50
exceeding 40 g but not exceeding 60 g in weight. ..... 0.65
exceeding 60 g but not exceeding 80 g in weight ..... 0 .80
exceeding 80 g but not exceeding 100 g in weight ..... 0.95
each additional 20 g or part 20 g
(up to a maximum weight of 2 kg ) ..... 0.15
2 Postcard ..... 0.36
PART 2B
Rates of postage under paragraph 5(2)
1 Letter ..... £
not exceeding 20 g in weight ..... 0.36
exceeding 20 g but not exceeding 40 g in weight ..... 0.50
exceeding 40 g but not exceeding 60 g in weight. ..... 0.65
exceeding 60 g but not exceeding 80 g in weight ..... 0.80
exceeding 80 g but not exceeding 100 g in weight ..... 0.95
each additional 20 g or part 20 g(up to a maximum weight of 2 kg ) ............................... 0.15
2. Postcard ..... 0.36
PART 3
Rates of postage under paragraph 7(3)
1 Letter ..... $\boldsymbol{£}$
not exceeding 20 g in weight ..... 0.36
exceeding 20 g but not exceeding 60 g in weight ..... 0.58
exceeding 60 g but not exceeding 100 g in weight ..... 0 .83
each additional 50 g or part of 50 g(up to a maximum weight of 2 kg )0.33
3. Postcard ..... $0.36 "$
Schedule 2 - Other rates of postage16. Schedule 2 to the Scheme shall be deleted and the followingsubstituted:
"SCHEDULE 2
Paragraph 7
PART I
Rates of postage under paragraph 7(1)
4. Letter ..... $£$
not exceeding 60 g in weight ..... 0.19exceeding 60 g but not exceeding 100 g in weight ...... 0.33exceeding 150 g but not exceeding 200 g in weight.... 0.54exceeding 200 g but not exceeding 250 g in weight .... 0.66exceeding 250 g but not exceeding 300 g in weight .... 0.76exceeding 300 g but not exceeding 350 g in weight .... 0.87exceeding 350 g but not exceeding 400 g in weight .... 1.00exceeding 400 g but not exceeding 450 g in weight .... 1.14exceeding 450 g but not exceeding 500 g in weight.... 1.30exceeding 500 g but not exceeding 600 g in weight.... 1.52exceeding 600 g but not exceeding 700 g in weight .... 1.74exceeding 700 g but not exceeding 750 g in weight .... 1.85
PART 2
Rates of postage under paragraph 10(1)
5. European Airmail Printed Packet ..... £
not exceeding 100 g in weight ..... 0.75
exceeding 100 g but not exceeding 120 g in weight. ..... 0.83
each additional 20 g or part of 20 g(up to a maximum weight of 2 kg )0.08
6. European Airmail Printed Packet complying with paragraph 14(1)(b)
exceeding 2 kg but not $2,020 \mathrm{~g}$ in weight ..... 8.43
each additional 20 g or part of 20 g(up to a maximum weight of 5 kg )0.08
PART 3Rates of postage under paragraph 10(2)
7. (a) Printed Packet: ..... $\boldsymbol{f}$
not exceeding 100 g in weight ..... 0.57
exceeding 100 g but not exceeding 150 g in weight ..... 0.76
each additional 50 g or part of 50 g
(up to a maximum weight of 2 kg )
(b) Printed Packet complying with paragraph 14(l)(b)
exceeding 2 kg but not exceeding $2,050 \mathrm{~g}$ in weight .. 7.98 each additional 50 g or part of 50 g
(up to a maximum weight of 5 kg ) ............................... 0.19
8. Small Packet: £
not exceeding 100 g in weight ........................................ 0.57 .
exceeding 100 g but not exceeding 150 g in weight .... 0.76
each additional 50 g or part of 50 g
(up to a maximum weight of 2 kg ) . 0.19

## PART 4

Rates of postage under paragraph 10(3)

1. European Airmail Small Packet: £

Not exceeding 100 g in weight ......................................... 0.87
exceeding 100 g but not exceeding 120 g in weight ............................. 0.9
each additional 20 g or part of 20 g
(up to a maximum weight of 2 kg ) 0.09

PART 5
Rates of postage under paragraph 7(1) (ii)


#### Abstract

not exceeding 60 g in weight 0.27 exceeding 60 g but not exceeding 100 g in weight ................................... 0.41 exceeding 100 g but not exceeding 150 g in weight .... 0.57 exceeding 150 g but not exceeding 200 g in weight .... 0.72 exceeding 200 g but not exceeding 250 g in weight .... 0.84 exceeding 250 g but not exceeding 300 g in weight .... 0.96 exceeding 300 g but not exceeding 350 g in weight .... 1.09 exceeding 350 g but not exceeding 400 g in weight .... 1.24 exceeding 400 g but not exceeding 450 g in weight .... 1.41 exceeding 450 g but not exceeding 500 g in weight .... 1.58 exceeding 500 g but not exceeding 600 g in weight .... 1.90 exceeding 600 g but not exceeding 700 g in weight .... 2.39 exceeding 700 g but not exceeding 750 g in weight .... 2.56 exceeding 750 g but not exceeding 800 g in weight .... 2.77 exceeding 800 g but not exceeding 900 g in weight .... 3.05 exceeding 900 g but not exceeding I kg in weight ..... 3.32 each subsequent 250 g or part of 250 g (up to a maximum weight of 2 kg ) ............................... 0.81


## Schedule 3-Rates of Postage on Airmail Packets

17. Schedule 3 to the Scheme shall be deleted and the following substituted:

## "SCHEDULE 3 <br> RATES ON POSTAGE OF AIRMAIL PACKETS

## Paragraph 9

## Rates of Postage on Airmail Packets

## PART I

1. Airmail Letter to Zone 1:
$\boldsymbol{f}$
not exceeding 10 g in weight ......................................... 0.45
exceeding 10 g but not exceeding 20 g in weight ........ 0.65
each additional 20 g or part of 20 g
(up to a maximum weight of 2 kg ) .............................. 0.35
2. Airmail Letter to Zone 2: £
not exceeding 10 g in weight .......................................... 0.45
exceeding 10 g but not exceeding 20 g in weight ........ 0.65
each additional 20 g or part of 20 g
(up to a maximum weight of 2 kg ) ............................... 0.42
3. Airmail Postcard to Zone 1 or Zone 2 ........................0.40

## PART 2

1 Airmail Printed Packet to Zone 1. E
not exceeding 100 g in weight $\qquad$ 1.15
exceeding 100 g but not exceeding 120 g in weight .... 1.32
each additional 20 g or part of 20 g
(up to a maximum weight of 5 kg ) $\qquad$0.17
2. Airmail Printed Packet, to Zone 2: ..... £
not exceeding 100 g in weight ..... 1.15
exceeding 100 g but not exceeding 120 g in weight ..... 1.34each additional 20 g or part of 20 g(up to a maximum weight of 5 kg )0.19
3. Airmail Small Packet to Zone 1: ..... $\boldsymbol{£}$
not exceeding 100 g in weight ..... 1.15
exceeding 100 g but not exceeding 120 g in weight ..... 1.32each additional 20 g or part of 20 g
(up to a maximum weight of 2 kg ) ..... 0.17
4. Airmail Small Packet to Zone 2: ..... $£$
not exceeding 100 g in weight

$\qquad$ ..... 1.15
exceeding 100 g but not exceeding 120 g in weight ..... 1.34each additional 20 g or part of 20 g(up to a maximum weight of 5 kg )0.19
5. Packet consisting of or containing only literature for the blind to:
(a) Europe:
Not exceeding 1 kg in weight..................... postage free
Exceeding 1 kg but not
exceeding 7 kg in weight............................ $£ 0.01$ for each

50 g or part of
(b) Zone 1 or Zone 2

Not exceeding 500 g in weight ................... $£ 0.10$
Exceeding 500 g but not exceeding
1 kg in weight
0
Exceeding 1 kg but not exceeding
7 kg in weight
£0. 20 per kg or part thereof
PART 3
Postal Packets posted for Transmission to those persons mentioned in the paragraph 6(2) (i) or (ii)

1. To Europe ..... $\boldsymbol{£}$
not exceeding 60 g in weight ..... 0 .27
exceeding 60 g but not exceeding 100 g in weight...... ..... 0 .41exceeding 100 g but not exceeding 150 g in weight .... 0.57exceeding 150 g but not exceeding 200 g in weight .... 0.72exceeding 200 g but not exceeding 250 g in weight .... 0.84exceeding 250 g but not exceeding 300 g in weight .... 0.96exceeding 300 g but not exceeding 350 g in weight .... 1.09exceeding 350 g but not exceeding 400 g in weight .... 1.24exceeding 400 g but not exceeding 450 g in weight .... 1.41exceeding 450 g but not exceeding 500 g in weight .... 1.58exceeding 500 g but not exceeding 600 g in weight .... 1.90exceeding 600 g but not exceeding 700 g in weight .... 2.39exceeding 700 g but not exceeding 750 g in weight .... 2.56exceeding 750 g but not exceeding 800 g in weight .... 2.77exceeding 800 g but not exceeding 900 g in weight .... 3.05exceeding 900 g but not exceeding 1000 g in weight .. 3.32each subsequent 250 g or part of 250 g(up to a maximum weight of 2 kg )
$\qquad$
2. Postcard ..... 0.27
3. To anywhere other than Europe ..... £
not exceeding 60 g in weight ..... 0.27
exceeding 60 g but not exceeding 80 g in weight ..... 0.50
exceeding 80 g but not exceeding 100 g in weight ..... 0.71
exceeding 100 g but not exceeding 120 g in weight .... 0.96
exceeding 120 g but not exceeding 140 g in weight .... 1.17
exceeding 140 g but not exceeding 160 g in weight .... 1.41
exceeding 160 g but not exceeding 180 g in weight .... 1.62
exceeding 180 g but not exceeding 200 g in weight .... 1.83
exceeding 200 g but not exceeding 220 g in weight .... 2.05
exceeding 220 g but not exceeding 240 g in weight .... 2.26
exceeding 240 g but not exceeding 260 g in weight .... 2.48
exceeding 260 g but not exceeding 280 g in weight .... 2.68
exceeding 280 g but not exceeding 300 g in weight .... 2.85
exceeding 300 g but not exceeding 320 g in weight .... 3.00
exceeding 320 g but not exceeding 340 g in weight .... 3.17
exceeding 340 g but not exceeding 360 g in weight .... 3.36
exceeding 360 g but not exceeding 380 g in weight .... 3.52
exceeding 380 g but not exceeding 400 g in weight .... 3.69
exceeding 400 g but not exceeding 420 g in weight .... 3.89
exceeding 420 g but not exceeding 440 g in weight .... 4.04
exceeding 440 g but not exceeding 460 g in weight .... 4.23
exceeding 460 g but not exceeding 480 g in weight .... 4.40
exceeding 480 g but not exceeding 500 g in weight .... 4.56 each additional 20 g or part of 20 g
(up to a maximum weight of 2 kg ) ............................... 0.17

## 4. Postcard

0.27"

Schedule 6A-Special Delivery Packets for Transmission Through a British Forces Post Office or to a British Forces Post Office Numbered Address through a Ordinary Post Office - Compensation Fees and Maximum Compensation
18. Schedule 6A to the Scheme shall be deleted and the following substituted:

## "SCHEDULE 6A <br> Paragraph 33 A

## SPECIAL DELIVERY PACKETS FOR TRANSMISSION THROUGH A BRITISH FORCES POST OFFICE OR TO A BRITISH FORCES POST OFFICE NUMBERED ADDRESS THROUGH AN ORDINARY POST OFFICE COMPENSATION FEES AND MAXIMUM COMPENSATION.

Fee, including postage $£$
Compensation not exceeding $£ 250$
Weight not over 100 g to European destinations ...... 3.50
Weight not over 100 g to destinations outside
Europe ............................................................................. 3.96
Weight not over 500 g to European destinations ...... 3.80
Weight not over 500 g to destinations
outside Europe $\qquad$ 4.99

Weight not over $1,000 \mathrm{~g}$ to European destinations ... 4.95
Weight not over $1,000 \mathrm{~g}$ to destinations
outside Europe
.. 9.17
Weight not over $2,000 \mathrm{~g}$ to European destinations ... 6.20
Weight not over 2,000g to destinations outside Europe14.25
Fee, including postage $£$
Compensation not exceeding $£ 1,000$
Weight not over 100 g to European destinations ...... 3.95
Weight not over 100 g to destinations
outside Europe .. 4.42
Weight not over 500 g to European destinations .............................................25
Weight not over 500 g to destinations
outside Europe.. 5.44

Weight not over $1,000 \mathrm{~g}$ to European destinations ............................................. 40
Weight not over $1,000 \mathrm{~g}$ to destinations
outside Europe
Weight not over 2,000g to European destinations ... 6.65
Weight not over $2,000 \mathrm{~g}$ to destinations
outside Europe
Fee, including postage $\boldsymbol{f}$
Compensation not exceeding $£ 2,500$
Weight not over 100 g to European destinations ...... 4.85
Weight not over 100 g to destinations
outside Europe.
5.31
Weight not over 500 g to European destinations ...... 5.15
Weight not over 500 g to destinations
outside Europe .............................................................. 6.33
Weight not over $1,000 \mathrm{~g}$ to European destinations ... 6.30
Weight not over $1,000 \mathrm{~g}$ to destinations
outside Europe...................................................... 10.48
Weight not over $2,000 \mathrm{~g}$ to European destinations ... 7.55
Weight not over $2,000 \mathrm{~g}$ to destinations
outside Europe.......................................................... $15.56^{\prime \prime}$

Schedule 10-Application of Post Office Inland Letter Post Scheme
19. Schedule 10 of the Scheme shall be deleted and the following substituted:

## "SCHEDULE 10

## APPLICATION OF THE POST OFFICE INLAND LETTER POST SCHEME

## The Post Office Inland Letter Post Scheme 2000 (Post Office Scheme L-/2000)

Section 6.5 (Forwarding letters to evade payment of postage) The reference to "section 17 of this Scheme" shall be read as a reference to paragraph 17 of this Scheme

Section 14 (Postage Stamps, Postmarks and Marks)
Section 29 (Post Restante) The reference in section 29.7 to "section 8 of this Scheme" shall be read as a reference to paragraph 19 of this Scheme

Section 34.3 (Redirection of letters addressed to deceased persons)
Section 40 (Special Delivery) (1) This section shall apply only to outgoing packets posted under this Scheme other than printed packets and small packets for transmission through a British Forces Post Office outside the British Postal Area. (2) References to "fees" and "postage" shall be read as references to the relevant charges and postage payable under this Scheme. (3) The reference in section 40.12 to "compensation provisions" shall be read as a reference to the relevant compensation provisions under this Scheme."

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

14 April 2000
(2201/91)

## POST OFFICE SCHEME [IL1/2000]

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 27th April 2000 when it will replace:
(a) the Post Office Inland Letter Post Scheme 1989 (Post Office Scheme L1/1989) and
(b) all schemes which amended that scheme
(This note is not part of the Scheme)
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