THE IMPERIAL AND FOREIGN POST AMENDMENT (No. 1) WARRANT 1935

DATED JULY 1, 1935.

We, the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of all powers given to us by the Post Office Acts 1908 to 1935, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf Do by this Warrant made on the representation of His Majesty's Postmaster General (testified by his signing the same) and under the hands of two of us the said Commissioners order direct and declare as follows:—

- 1. This Warrant shall be read as one with the Imperial and Foreign Post Warrant 1934 (hereinafter called "the Principal Warrant") and all Warrants amending the same.
- 2. Regulation 3 (Postcards and reply postcards) of the Principal Warrant is hereby repealed and the following Regulation shall have effect in substitution therefor:—
 - "3.-(1) Except as otherwise provided in this Warrant there shall be charged and paid:—
 - (i) On every British postcard and on outgoing postcards posted in Great Britain for transmission to the United States of America the following rates of postage that is to say:—

On every postcard (not being a reply postcard) the rate of postage of one penny.

On every reply postcard the rate of postage of twopence.

- (ii) On every other outgoing postcard (not being a reply postcard) the rate of postage of three halfpence.
- (iii) On every other outgoing reply postcard the rate of postage of threepence.
- (2) The term 'British postcard' has the same meaning and extent in relation to postcards as is given to the term 'British Letters' in paragraph (2) of Regulation 1 (Letters) of the Principal Regulations.
- (3) Paragraph (3) of Regulation 1 of the Principal Regulations shall apply to British postcards."
- **3.**—(1) In paragraph (*a*) of Regulation 2 (Postal packets posted at British Agencies) of the Principal Regulations the word "British" shall be inserted before "postcards", and the words "or the equivalents in local currency of such rates of postage" shall be inserted at the end of the said paragraph.
 - (2) In paragraph (b) of the said Regulation the word "international" shall be omitted.
- **4.**—(1) In paragraph (4)(*a*) of Regulation 15 (Prohibitions) of the Principal Regulations the words "letter packets" shall be inserted after the word "in".
 - (2) The words "a packet prepaid at the letter rate of postage or" and the words "letter post or" in the proviso to paragraph (4) of the said Regulation shall be repealed.

- 5. The following new Regulation shall be inserted in the Principal Warrant after Regulation 54:—
 - "55. Every letter packet small packet and insured box shall be forwarded conveyed and delivered subject to and in accordance with the Foreign Parcels (Customs) (No. 2) Warrant 1935 as amended by any subsequent Warrant."
- **6.**—(1) Regulation 55 (Charge for fulfilment of Customs formalities in respect of insured boxes) of the Principal Regulations is hereby repealed.
 - (2) Regulation 14 (Charge in respect of postal packets containing dutiable articles) of the Principal Regulations is hereby repealed, and the following Regulation shall have effect in substitution therefor:—
 - "14. Except as otherwise provided, where an incoming postal packet or insured box contains any article liable to Customs duty, and the Postmaster General so directs, there shall be charged and paid by the addressee, if the packet or box shall be delivered to him, a further fee of sixpence".
- 7. The following definition shall be inserted in Regulation 63 (Definitions) of the Principal Warrant immediately after the definition of "Insured letter" and "Insured box":—
 - "(4A) The expression 'letter packet' means a packet prepaid at the letter rate of postage and containing goods or articles of merchandise but does not include any packet intended to be delivered in a country which has not given its consent for the admission of such packets of goods or articles liable to customs duty".
- **8.**—(1) This Warrant shall come into operation forthwith.
 - (2) This Warrant may be cited as "The Imperial and Foreign Post Amendment (No. 1) Warrant 1935."

Dated this 1st day of July 1935.

George F. Davies, Archibald R. J. Southby, Two of the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury.

G. C. Tryon, His Majesty's Postmaster General.