

THE INLAND POST AMENDMENT (No. 5) WARRANT, 1906.  
DATED AUGUST 28, 1906.

1906. No. 651.

We, the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of all powers given to us by the Post Office Acts, or any of them, 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 Inland Post Warrant, 1903\* (hereinafter referred to as "the Principal Warrant"), and all Warrants amending the same.

Warrant to be  
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Post Warrant,  
1903.

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\* Printed St. R. & O. Rev., 1904, "Post Office," pp. 8-25.

Rates of postage on literature for the blind.

2.—(1) There shall be charged and paid on postal packets consisting of literature for the blind the following rates of postage (that is to say):—

On every packet not exceeding 2 oz. in weight... 0½*d.*

On every packet exceeding 2 oz. and not exceeding 2 lb. ... .. 1*d.*

On every packet exceeding 2 lb. and not exceeding 5 lb. ... .. 1½*d.*

(2) "Literature for the blind" means books and papers impressed in "Braille," or other special type, for the use of the blind, but does not include newspapers impressed for the use of the blind and registered at the General Post Office for transmission by post.

Special conditions.

3. The following provisions shall apply to postal packets consisting of literature for the blind and intended for transmission under this Warrant:—

(a) Every packet shall bear on the outside thereof the inscription "Literature for the blind," and the written or printed name and address of the sender.

(b) Every packet shall be subject to examination in the post.

(c) Every packet shall be posted either without a cover or in a cover open at both ends and so that the same can be easily removed for the purposes of examination.

(d) No packet shall contain any article not being literature for the blind (except a label which may bear the name and address of the person to whom the packet is to be returned).

(e) No packet shall contain any communication or inscription either in writing or in ordinary type (except the title and table of contents of the book or paper).

(f) No packet shall exceed 5 lb. in weight or two feet in length, or one foot in width or depth.

Irregular posting.

4.—(1) If any postal packet, consisting of literature for the blind and intended for transmission under this Warrant, is found, when in the post, not to comply with the conditions applicable to its transmission as intended, it shall be forwarded as a parcel charged with the prepaid rate of postage applicable to a parcel of the same weight, and an additional fee of one penny.

(2) The postage prepaid upon the packet shall be allowed in payment or part payment of any postage or other sum charged under this clause.

(3) The Postmaster-General may, in any case, in his discretion, instead of forwarding the packet, return the same to the sender, or otherwise dispose of the same as he may think fit.

5. This Warrant may be cited as the "Inland Post Amendment (No. 5) Warrant, 1906." Short title.

6. This Warrant shall come into operation on the 1st day of September, 1906. Commencement of Warrant.

Dated this 28th day of August, 1906. Date.

*Sydney Buxton,*  
His Majesty's Postmaster-General.

*Joseph Pease,*  
*Cecil Norton,*  
Two of the Commissioners of  
His Majesty's Treasury.