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## Reused Packaging

One of the greatest challenges facing the Postal Service is the control of hazardous materials (HAZMAT), both declared and undeclared, in the mailstream. In order to protect the health and safety of our employees and the general public, the Postal Service restricts the type and quantity of HAZMAT that is permitted and places specific packaging, marking, labeling, and documentation requirements on shipments. Many of these potentially hazardous materials regulated in the mailstream are common household items, including cosmetics, cleaning supplies, alcoholic beverages, and aerosols. Postal Service employees are instructed to prevent packages containing HAZMAT from entering the mailstream unless these packages meet Postal Service requirements for mailing. If a package that does not meet postal requirements is discovered in the mailstream after acceptance, employees are instructed to isolate and remove the package from the mailstream and return it to the mailer.

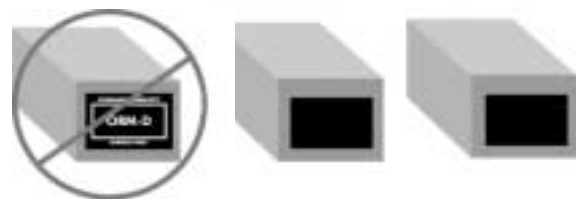
Many items mailed in reused boxes are returned to the mailer because of outside package labels and markings that indicate HAZMAT. When the actual contents are identified it is usually found that the contents were mailable and no disruption or inconvenience would have occurred if these materials were properly packaged.

Many of these returned items were packaged in boxes that were obtained at grocery, hardware, and liquor stores and formerly contained everyday household items. Because of safety concerns, compliance with all federal and state laws governing the transport of HAZMAT, and privacy statutes, the Postal Service must assume that all markings and labels on a package identify the actual contents. Packages of this nature should be isolated and removed from the mailstream and customer notification and disposition of the parcel should be determined. The package may be forwarded on surface transportation or returned to the mailer.

Examples of reused boxes that are considered unacceptable are shown below.



It is acceptable to reuse boxes for mail shipments if all former package markings and labels have been removed or completely obliterated by the mailer. Merely crossing out a label or marking or writing the current contents on a box is insufficient to allow mailing. If any evidence of former HAZMAT contents is visible, the parcel cannot be accepted. The former markings and labels must be marked out even if the parcel will be wrapped in paper for mailing because if the wrapping becomes damaged during shipment, these markings will cause the package to be returned. Examples of acceptable and unacceptable reused boxes are shown below.



The Postal Service accepts reused boxes in the mailstream when these guidelines are followed. Questions regarding the mailability of reused boxes should be directed to your local post office or rates and classification service center (RCSC).

— Aviation Mail Security,  
Network Operations Management, 10-5-00

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*JOINT MESSAGE FROM THE POSTMASTER GENERAL, UNION OFFICIALS, AND  
MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATIONS*

**Combined Federal Campaign**

Now through December 15, the United States Postal Service will join with many other federal agencies in support of the Combined Federal Campaign (CFC). The CFC is the nation's largest joint fundraising effort. Each year the CFC gives four million federal employees an opportunity to give generously to the charity of their choice through simple, automatic payroll deduction.

Last year, contributions from postal employees nationwide reached a record-breaking \$38,773,029. Your generosity over the last five years has resulted in nearly \$169 million donated to established charitable organizations. That is an outstanding accomplishment.

More important, you can be proud of your decision to make a difference. Contributions made through programs like the CFC are a tremendous help to those in need.

We extend to you our most sincere gratitude for your generosity in past years, and we ask that you continue to support the CFC by pledging, once again, to give to the charity of your choice. Contact your CFC coordinator to learn more about payroll deduction and how to sign up for the campaign.

Remember . . . it is up to you and me.



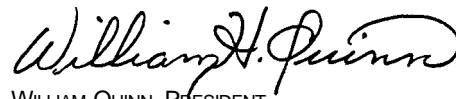
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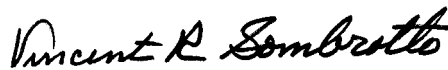
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## 2000 Combined Federal Campaign Guidelines Schedule and Responsibilities

Each fall, the Postal Service joins other federal agencies in the Combined Federal Campaign drive. In accordance with Office of Personnel Management (OPM) regulations, the campaign runs for a six-week period between September 1 and December 15, as established by the Local Federal Coordinating Committee.

Vice presidents of Area Operations have campaign responsibility. Area offices must ensure that campaign information is disseminated to all offices under their jurisdiction.

### Guidelines Online

Publication 530, *U.S. Postal Service Combined Federal Campaign Operational Guidelines*, May 1994, is a reference source for guidelines on running a successful campaign. The electronic version of Publication 530 was updated effective November 1998 and is available on the corporate intranet. Revisions include updated position titles, facility locations, and dates of campaign. Additional information on the Combined Federal Campaign, including geographic boundaries, may be found at the OPM Web site, <http://www.opm.gov>.

### Pledge Form Management Instructions

1. Ensure that pledge forms are checked for completeness at local campaign sites.
2. Distribute copies of the pledge forms as follows:
  - a. Central Receipt and Accounting copy — submit to the appropriate CFC official.
  - b. Employee copy — return to the employee.
  - c. Payroll Office copy —

<i>If the employee has chosen to...</i>	<i>Then...</i>
Give a one-time contribution (cash, check, or money order),	Destroy the Payroll Office copy.
Make a contribution via payroll deduction,	<p>Make sure:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The Social Security Number is legible.</li> <li>- The deduction per pay period is indicated.</li> <li>- The amount per pay period is at least \$1.00.</li> <li>- The amount of the contribution is to be made via payroll deduction.</li> </ul> <p><b>Before January 1, 2001</b> Mail the Payroll Office copy to the following address, <i>making sure a full return address for the CFC coordinator is included</i> with each batch of forms:</p> <p><b>EAGAN INFORMATION SERVICE CENTER USPS COMBINED FEDERAL CAMPAIGN POST OFFICE BOX 21777 EAGAN MN 55121-0777</b></p> <p>The Eagan ISC retains the payroll deduction portions of the pledge cards for six months.</p> <p><b>After January 1, 2001</b> Submit to the local DDE/DR site for entry.</p> <p><b>Note:</b> All cards dated or sent after January 1, 2001, will be returned to the CFC coordinator for entry by the local DDE/DR site.</p>

3. Submit corrections to the local DDE/DR site, *not* to the Eagan ISC.

**Note:** All cards that are illegible or incomplete will be returned to the local CFC coordinator for local processing in pay period 03-01 or later.

Local DDE/DR sites will be notified by broadcast message of their ability to access D20M, SDI-09 in pay period 03-01 for local entry, changes, or corrections. DDE/DR sites will not be able to access D20M for CFC charity entries before that time.

### Final Report

At the conclusion of each campaign, a report of CFC contributions through payroll deduction (as of pay period 03-01) is prepared from the Postal Payroll System and is used for annual reporting of national CFC contributions. A copy of this report is distributed to each performance cluster manager.

# Administrative Services

ASM REVISION

## Authority and Responsibilities Update

Effective immediately, subchapter 11, Authority and Responsibilities, of *Administrative Support Manual (ASM) 13*, dated July 1999, is revised to reflect the changes indicated below. This revision will be incorporated in an incremental update to the online ASM accessible through the Policies and Procedures page of the Postal Service Intranet (<http://blue.usps.gov/cpim>). The revision will also be published in a future printed version of the ASM.

### Administrative Support Manual (ASM)

- 1 Postal Organization
- 11 Authority and Responsibilities
- 111 General Organization
  - \* \* \* \*

[Amend the list of corporate officers in 111.4 as follows. The initial paragraph is unchanged.]

- 111.4 Corporate Officers
  - \* \* \* \*

- a. The postmaster general and chief executive officer.
- b. The deputy postmaster general.
- c. The chief operating officer and executive vice president.
- d. The chief financial officer and executive vice president.
- e. The senior vice presidents.
- f. The general counsel and vice president.
- g. The vice presidents.
- h. The chief inspector.
- i. The consumer advocate and vice president.
- j. The judicial officer.
- k. The president, Expedited/Package Services.

- 111.5 Headquarters Organization
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[Amend 111.53 as follows:]

### 111.53 Chief Operating Officer and Executive Vice President

The chief operating officer and executive vice president is appointed by the postmaster general and directs all processing, distribution, and customer service functions.

### 111.54 Heads of Headquarters Organizational Units

[Amend 111.541 through 111.549 as follows:]

#### 111.541 Reporting Directly to the Postmaster General

Nine of the corporate officers report directly to the postmaster general. These are the deputy postmaster general, the chief operating officer and executive vice president, the vice president of Strategic Planning, the general counsel and vice president, the senior vice president of Human Resources, the chief inspector, the senior vice president of Government Relations and Public Policy, the chief financial officer and executive vice president of Finance, and the president of Expedited/Package Services, who is overseen by a management committee of officers.

#### 111.542 Reporting to the Deputy Postmaster General

Five of the corporate officers report directly to the deputy postmaster general. These are the senior vice president of Corporate Business Development, the vice president of E-Commerce, the judicial officer, the chief technology officer and senior vice president of Technology, and the chief marketing officer and senior vice president of Marketing.

#### 111.543 Reporting to the Chief Operating Officer and Executive Vice President

Twelve of the corporate officers report directly to the chief operating officer and executive vice president. These are the 10 area vice presidents, senior vice president of Operations, and senior vice president of Sales.

#### 111.544 Reporting to the Senior Vice President of Government Relations and Public Policy

The vice president of Public Affairs and Communications, and the Consumer Advocate and vice president report directly to the senior vice president of Government Relations and Public Policy.

#### 111.545 Reporting to the Chief Financial Officer and Executive Vice President of Finance

The controller and vice president of Finance, the vice president of Purchasing and Materials, and the Treasurer and E-Payments vice president report directly to the chief financial officer and executive vice president of Finance.

**111.546 Reporting to the Senior Vice President of Human Resources**

The vice presidents of Employee Resource Management, Labor Relations, and Diversity Development report directly to the senior vice president of Human Resources.

**111.547 Reporting to the Senior Vice President of Operations**

Six vice presidents report directly to the senior vice president of Operations. These are the vice presidents of Delivery, Network Operations Management, Engineering, Facilities, Operations Planning and Processing, and Quality.

**111.548 Reporting to the Chief Marketing Officer and Senior Vice President of Marketing**

Five vice presidents report directly to the chief marketing officer and senior vice president of Marketing. These are the vice presidents of Strategic Marketing; Pricing and Product Design; Retail, Consumers and Small Business; Core Business Marketing; and International Business.

**111.549 Reporting to the Chief Technology Officer and Senior Vice President of Technology**

Two vice presidents report directly to the chief technology officer and senior vice president of Technology. These are the vice presidents of Information Technologies and Information Platform.

*[Section 111.550, Responsibilities, contains text formerly included under 111.549, with the exception that “senior vice presidents and corporate officers” is revised to read “corporate officers.”]*

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*[Section 111.64, Customer Service District Offices, remains the same, with the exception that in the initial paragraph “postmasters report to their district office” is revised to read “postmasters report to their district manager.”]*

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— Customer Requirements,  
Employee Resource Management, 10-5-00

*ASM REVISION*

**Changes in Policy and Procedure Directives**

Effective immediately, sections 113.211, General, 113.212, Policy Directives, and 113.213, Procedural Directives, of *Administrative Support Manual (ASM) 13*, dated July 1999, are revised to reflect the changes indicated below. This revision is based on responsibilities outlined and approved in MI AS-310-96-3, *Management of Policy and Procedure Information — Paper and Online*. Changes will be incorporated in an incremental update to the online ASM accessible through the Policies and Procedures page of the Postal Service Intranet (<http://blue.usps.gov/cpim>). The revision will also be published in a future printed version of the ASM.

**Administrative Support Manual (ASM)**

<b>1</b>	<b>Postal Organization</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>Authority and Responsibilities</b>
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<b>113</b>	<b>Relationships and Communication Channels</b>
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**113.2 Channels of Communication**

**113.21 Headquarters With Area Offices**

*[Section 113.211 is amended as follows:]*

**113.211 General**

Headquarters provides policy guidance, procedures, and interpretation to area officials.

*[Section 113.212 is renamed and amended as follows:]*

**113.212 Policies**

As stated in 39 CFR 223.2(a)(2), policies are issued over the signatures of the vice presidents of the functional organizations (unless the postmaster general or deputy postmaster general issues these directives personally). Whether published on paper or online, such policies must be coordinated with other appropriate organizations before issuance and reviewed, published, and managed by Public Affairs and Communications (see 31). If within the authority of the issuer, these policies have the same effect as though sent by the postmaster general or deputy postmaster general.

[Section 113.213 is renamed and amended as follows:]

**113.213 Procedures**

Regulations, instructions, and implementation guidelines are issued over the signatures of vice presidents of functional organizations or their accountable functional unit manager and used to implement programs and business activities. Whether published on paper or online, such

procedures must be coordinated with other appropriate organizations before issuance and reviewed, published, and managed by Public Affairs and Communications.

— *Public Affairs and Communications, Government Relations and Public Policy, 10-5-00*

**Directives and Forms Update**

Effective immediately, Publication 223, *Directives and Forms Catalog* (June 1999), is revised. The tables below contain the document ID, edition date, title, national stock number (NSN), and the postal and public supply source for all new, revised, and obsolete directives and forms. Use this article to keep Publication 223 current. Information on how to order directives and forms can be found in chapter 1 of Publication 223.

IWEB = Intranet = <http://blue.usps.gov>; click on *Information*, then *Policies and Procedures*.

WWW = USPS Web page = <http://www.usps.com>.

PE = Postal Explorer = <http://pe.usps.gov>.

F3 = F3 Fill Software.

**New Directives**

Document ID	Edition Date	Title	NSN	Org	USPS Source	Public Source
MI AS-270-2000-5	9/00	Postal Service Headquarters Access Control System	N/A	IS	HQS	N/A
MI EL-720-2000-6	9/00	Business Mail Academy Training Program	N/A	ERM	IWEB	N/A
PUB 524-C	8/00	Global Direct — Canada Admail (brochure)	7610-05-000-4139	IB	MDC	N/A
PUB 524-D	8/00	Global Direct — Canada Publications Mail (brochure)	7610-05-000-4141	IB	MDC	N/A
PUB 526-A	9/00	Global Direct — Mexico (brochure)	N/A	IB	HQO	HQO
TAG 125	3/00	International Mail FCM Equivalent	7690-05-000-0655	O	MDC	N/A

**Revised Directives**

Document ID	Edition Date	Title	NSN	Org	USPS Source	Public Source
HBK MS-152	4/17/00	Postal Stamp Machine, Model PS-22/PS-22B	7610-03-000-8425	ENG	MDC	R
PUB 401-A	8/00	Saving Time and Money With the Manifest Mailing System (MMS)	7610-03-000-9120	P&PD	MDC	P/F

**New Forms**

Form Number	Edition Date	Oldest Usable Date	Title	NSN	Where Used	Unit of Issue	Org	USPS Source	Public Source
PS 8217	9/00	9/00	Administrative Vehicle Take-Home Authorization	N/A	PS	SH	FIN	IWEB	N/A

**Obsolete Forms**

Form Number	Edition Date	Title	Obsolete Date	Replaced by	USPS Source	Public Source
PS 2	10/96	Delivery Confirmation Log — Information Concerning Mail	8/25/00	N/A	HQO	N/A

— *Policies and Procedures Information, Public Affairs and Communications, 10-5-00*

## Customer Relations

### Mail Alert

The mailings below will be deposited in the near future. Offices should honor the requested home delivery dates. Mailers wishing to participate in these alerts, for mailings of 1 million pieces or more, should contact Business Service Network Operations at 800-419-2769 at least one month preceding the requested delivery dates. The

Postal Service also offers electronic Mail Alerts via ADVANCE. For more information, see the *ADVANCE Notification & Tracking System Technical Guide* on the Internet at <http://www.ribbs.usps.gov/files/advance/ADVTECH.PDF> or contact the National Customer Support Center at 800-458-3181.

Title of Mailing	Class and Type of Mail	Requested Delivery Dates	Number of Pieces (Millions)	Distribution	Presort Level	Comments
San Francisco Music Box Company Mrs. NorthStar (Plush Bear)	Standard A/ Flat	10/2–10/6	1.1	Nationwide	CarRt, 3/5-Digit, Barcoded	Banta Catalog Group, Minneapolis, MN; 8 3/8" x 10 1/2", 64 pages
JC Penney Million Dollar Jewelry	Standard A/ Flat	10/10–10/12	7.0	Nationwide	CarRt	Harte-Hanks
Sterns Department Stores One Day Sale	Standard A/ Flat	10/10–10/12	1.1	Nationwide	CarRt	American Color Graphics, Medina, OH
JC Penney Big Event	Standard A/ Postcard	10/12–10/14	15.0	Nationwide	CarRt	Harte-Hanks
JC Penney Holiday Fashion Influence	Standard A/ Catalog	10/13–10/16	1.7	Nationwide	CarRt	Quebecor World
Service Merchandise Housewares Sale	Standard A/ Flat	10/16–10/17	4.0	Nationwide	3/5-Digit	Quebecor World
JC Penney Trigger Mailer	First Class/ Postcard	10/16–10/18	1.5	Nationwide	CarRt	Harte-Hanks
Carol Wright	Standard A/ Letter	10/16–10/19	22.0	Nationwide	CarRt	Cox Target Media, Inc., 800-237-6266 (Postal Affairs); 6" x 9"
The Sportsman's Guide October Footwear	Standard A/ Catalog	10/16–10/20	1.0	Nationwide	CarRt, 3/5-Digit	Quad Graphics, Lomira, WI
Billy Graham Letter	Standard A/ Letter	10/16–10/27	1.6	Nationwide	3/5-Digit, Basic, Barcoded	Minneapolis, MN; 3 7/8" x 7 1/8" envelope
JC Penney You Can Have It All Follow Up	Standard A/ Postcard	10/17–10/19	7.5	Nationwide	CarRt	Harte-Hanks
JC Penney Holiday Gift Sale	Standard A/ Catalog	10/21–10/26	9.3	Nationwide	CarRt	RR Donnelley
Smithsonian Catalog Holiday 2	Standard A/ Catalog	10/23–10/26	2.0	Nationwide	CarRt, 3/5-Digit, Basic, Barcoded	Quad Graphics, Lomira, WI; 8" x 8", 112 pages
The Swiss Colony	Standard A/ Catalog	10/25–10/28	2.5	Nationwide	CarRt, 3/5-Digit, Basic, Barcoded	Quad Graphics, Lomira, WI; 9 1/4" x 6 1/2" catalog has a die-cut cover and a personalized (address) underwrap
Current Christmas 2000	Standard A/ Flat	10/30–11/1	2.3	Nationwide	CarRt, 3/5-Digit, Basic	Quad Graphics, Saratoga Springs, NY





# Back to School: Safety Tips

**S**chool bus transportation is safe. In fact, buses are safer than cars! Even so, last year, approximately 26 students were killed and another 9,000 were injured in incidents involving school buses. More often than not, these deaths and injuries didn't occur in a crash, but as children were entering and exiting the bus. Remember these safety tips:

- Have a safe place to wait for your bus, away from traffic and the street.
- Stay away from the bus until it comes to a complete stop and the driver signals you to enter.
- When being dropped off, exit the bus and walk 10 giant steps away from the bus. Keep a safe distance between you and the bus. Also, remember that the bus driver can see you best when you are back away from the bus.
- Use the handrail to enter and exit the bus.
- Stay away from the bus until the driver gives his or her signal that it's okay to approach.
- Be aware of the street traffic around you. Drivers are required to follow certain rules of the road concerning school buses. However, not all do. Protect yourself and watch out!



## Riding in a car

**Y**ou might have heard that most traffic accidents occur close to home...they do. Safety belts are the best form of protection passengers have in the event of a crash. They can lower your risk of injury by 45%. You are four times more likely to be seriously injured or killed if ejected from the vehicle in a crash. Everyone needs to be buckled up properly. That means older kids in seat belts, younger kids in booster seats, and little kids in child safety seats.

For more information:

[http://www.nsc.org/mem/youth/8\\_school.htm](http://www.nsc.org/mem/youth/8_school.htm)

## Walking or biking to school

**E**ven if you don't ride in a motor vehicle, you still have to protect yourself. Because of minimal supervision, young pedestrians face a wide variety of decision-making situations and dangers while walking or biking to and from school. Here are a few basic safety tips to follow:

- Mind all traffic signals and/or the crossing guard - never cross the street against a light, even if you don't see any traffic coming.
- Walk your bike through intersections.
- Walk with a buddy.
- Wear reflective material...it makes you more visible to street traffic.

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## Back to School: A Checklist for Parents

- Be sure your child knows his or her home phone number (including area code) and address, your work number, the number of another trusted adult, and how to use 911 for emergencies. Make sure your child has enough change to make a phone call or carries a telephone calling card.
- Plan a walking route to school or the bus stop. Choose the most direct way with the fewest street crossings and use intersections with crossing guards. Test the route with your child. Tell him or her to stay away from parks, vacant lots, fields, and other places where there aren't many people around.
- Teach your child – whether walking, biking, or riding the bus to school – to obey all traffic signals, signs, traffic officers, and safety patrols. Remind them to be extra careful in rainy, foggy, or snowy weather.
- Make sure they walk to and from school with others – a friend, neighbor, brother, sister.
- When car pooling, drop off and pick up children as close to school as possible. Don't leave until they have entered the school yard or building.
- Teach your child never to talk to strangers or accept rides or gifts from strangers. Remember, a stranger is anyone you or your child don't know well or don't trust.

If your child is home alone for a few hours after school:

- Set up rules for locking doors and windows, answering the door or telephone.
- Make sure he or she checks in with you or a neighbor immediately after school.
- Agree on rules for inviting friends over and for going to a friend's house when no adult is home.
- Take time to listen carefully to children's fears and feelings about people or places that scare them or make them feel uneasy. Tell them to trust their instincts. Take complaints about bullies and other concerns seriously.

For more information: <http://www.ncpc.org/10adu1.htm>



MY CHILDREN  
ARE CROSSING THE STREET  
TO GET TO THE SCHOOL BUS.  
SO DRIVE CAREFULLY.  
OK?  
IT'S MY FAMILY WE'RE  
TALKING ABOUT!

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CORRECTION

**Breast Cancer Research Semipostal Stamp Products**

Postal Bulletin 22020 (3-23-00), page 7, directed organizations outside the Postal Service desiring products featuring the *Breast Cancer Research* stamp image to authorized licensees. That list is amended to include one additional licensee:

Licensee	Authorized Products
AD-MAX ATTN: Marla Liebling Post Office Box 2889 Santa Rosa CA 95405-0889 Telephone: 707-284-2770 Fax: 707-284-2774	Bookmarks, magnets, pins, keyrings, mugs, and bags

— Communications and Brand Equity,  
Public Affairs and Communications, 10-5-00

*Domestic Mail*

DMM REVISION

**Queen Honeybees**

*Domestic Mail Manual* (DMM) C022.3.7 states that live queen honeybees are mailable via air transportation, but other bees (i.e., worker bees) may be sent only via surface transportation. However, when queen honeybees are shipped, it is critical that each queen be accompanied by a few attendant honeybees. The attendant honeybees feed and groom the queen during shipment, reducing the stress of transport and ensuring the viability of the queen honeybee when it is introduced into a new honeybee colony after delivery.

For these reasons, effective October 5, 2000, DMM C022.3.7 is clarified to allow a limited number of attendant honeybees to accompany each queen honeybee when air transportation is used. This revision will appear in the printed version of DMM 56 and in the online version available via Postal Explorer (<http://pe.usps.gov>).

**Domestic Mail Manual (DMM)**

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**C Characteristics and Content**

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**C020 Restricted or Nonmailable Articles and Substances**

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**C022 Perishables**

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**3.0 LIVE ANIMALS**

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[Amend 3.7 to read as follows:]

**3.7 Bees**

Bees are acceptable in the continental surface mail when shipped under federal and state regulations to ensure they are free of disease. Packages of honeybees must bear special handling postage, except when sent as First-Class Mail. Only queen honeybees may be shipped via air transportation. Each queen honeybee shipped via air transportation may be accompanied by up to eight attendant honeybees.

— Mail Preparation and Standards,  
Pricing and Product Design

— Business Mail Acceptance,  
Marketing Technology and Channel Management, 10-5-00

## SPECIAL SERVICES

**Integrated Barcodes**

Until now, mailers have been required to apply individual labels and/or barcodes for each special service requested. This can cause size and spacing issues on their shipping labels and packages, and can add labor costs to manually apply multiple labels to their packages.

To meet customers needs, the Postal Service developed an integrated barcoding solution to allow mailers to combine multiple services into a single barcode. This makes it possible for mailers to print the barcode directly on the shipping label and eliminates the need to apply additional labels for other desired special services.

The integrated barcoding option is designed to easily merge with Delivery Confirmation software/systems. With a few simple modifications, mailers' and vendors' software/systems can be transformed to allow users to request multiple special services on Priority Mail or Standard Mail (B) shipments.

The modifications include the following:

1. Change the text above the barcode to identify the service requested.
2. Change the service type code in the barcode.

The two special service combinations available at this time are:

1. Delivery Confirmation With Insured
  - Text will read "USPS DELIVERY CONFIRMATION" if value is equal to or less than \$50.00.
  - Text will read "USPS INSURED" if value is greater than \$50.00.
2. Signature Confirmation With Insured (*test customers only*)
  - Text will read "USPS INSURED" for all values.

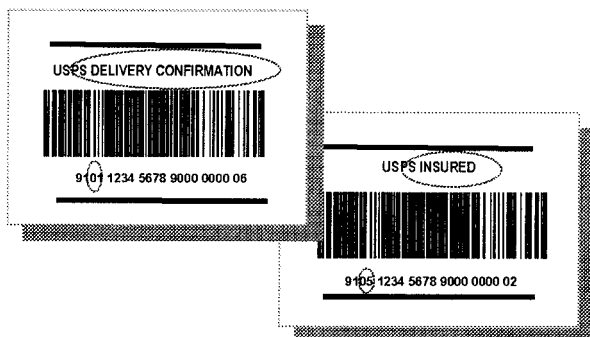
The service type codes are designated within the barcode to identify the type of special service(s) included on the mailpiece. They are listed in *Preparing for Signature Confirmation and Integrated Barcoded Standards Developers Guide*.

Delivery employees should be aware that the handheld scanners and POS ONE terminals will recognize integrated barcodes when scanned and will lead them down the proper path. When a mailpiece has Signature Confirmation combined with insurance (test customers only), the label will say "USPS INSURED" and will require manual entry of the recipient's name, just as with all Signature Confirmation test pieces.

Software vendors and customers wishing to request a copy of the *Developers Guide* and needing more information on file format or electronic delivery information should contact Customer Support at 877-264-9693 and select option 1.

*Domestic Mail Manual* revisions concerning integrated barcodes will be printed in a future issue of the *Postal Bulletin*.

— Information Systems,  
Expedited/Package Services, 10-5-00



# Finance

## HANDBOOKS F-15 AND F-12 CORRECTION

### Meal Reductions

Postal Bulletin 22033 (9-21-00) published per diem rate changes to Handbook F-15, *Travel and Relocation*, section A-2.6, and Handbook F-12, *Relocation Policy*, Appendix B.II.C. In those changes, meal reductions for the \$46 per diem rate for breakfast, lunch, and dinner were omitted. Section A-2.6 of the F-15, shown below, has been modified to include reduction rates for meals applicable to the \$46 per diem rate. These reduction rates are \$9 for breakfast, \$11 for lunch, and \$24 for dinner. In addition, effective 10-1-00, the meal reduction rates for international travel change to 15% for breakfast, 25% for lunch, and 40% for dinner. A new section D under Appendix B.II of Handbook F-12 has been added to include the meal reduction amounts. The addition to F-12 is shown at the end of this article. This update will also be made to the online version of Handbook F-15 located on the Postal Service Intranet <http://blue.usps.gov/cpim/ftp/hand/f15.pdf>.

### Handbook F-15, *Travel and Relocation*

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#### Appendix A Rates

#### Appendix A-1 Standard Mileage Rates

#### Appendix A-2 Travel Per Diem Rates

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#### A-2.6 Special Situations — Meal Reductions

When meals are furnished at no charge or nominal fee by a federal government agency, private company, etc., at a temporary duty station, meeting, conference, or training session, the per diem will be appropriately reduced as follows:

Per Diem Rate		Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner
High Cost	\$46 per day	\$9	\$11	\$24
	\$42 per day	\$9	\$9	\$22
	\$38 per day	\$8	\$8	\$20
	\$34 per day	\$7	\$7	\$18
Average Cost	\$30 per day	\$6	\$6	\$16
Norman, OK	\$30 per day	\$4	\$6	\$13
Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, U.S. Possessions	\$50 per day	\$11	\$11	\$26
International		15% of the applicable daily rate	25% of the applicable daily rate	40% of the applicable daily rate

**Handbook F-12, Relocation Policy**

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**Appendix B Reimbursement Rates**

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**II Per Diem Rates**

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[Add new section II.D as follows:]

**D. Special Situations — Meal Reductions**

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Average Cost	\$30 per day	\$6	\$6	\$16
Norman, OK	\$30 per day	\$4	\$6	\$13
Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, U.S. Possessions	\$50 per day	\$11	\$11	\$26
International		15% of the applicable daily rate	25% of the applicable daily rate	40% of the applicable daily rate

— National Accounting, Finance, 10-5-00



# Fraud Alert

ALL PERSONNEL PROCESSING MAIL FOR DISPATCH ABROAD

## Foreign Order No. 444

Keep all foreign order notices for use as reference.

### Tentative Orders

A Tentative Lottery Order has been issued against the following:

#### Australia

A I W G  
 MAIL FORWARDING CENTRE  
 PO BOX 700  
 ALBION DC QLD 4010  
 AUSTRALIA

A I W G  
 MAIL FORWARDING CENTRE  
 PO BOX 712  
 ALBION DC QLD 4010  
 AUSTRALIA

#### Canada

ALWS  
 INTERNATIONAL MEMBERSHIP  
 PO BOX 94800  
 STN MAIN  
 RICHMOND BC V6Y 4B8  
 CANADA

CASH AWARD CENTRE  
 PO BOX 94800  
 STN MAIN  
 RICHMOND BC V6Y 4B8  
 CANADA

CLBA  
 PAYMENTS OFFICE  
 800-15355 24TH AVENUE  
 SUITE 229  
 SURREY BC V4A 2H9  
 CANADA

WORLDWIDE LOTTERIES FINANCIAL GROUP (WLFG)  
 OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER  
 CASH DISBURSEMENTS DIVISION  
 53 QUEEN ST  
 BOX 18  
 DARTMOUTH NS B2Y 4T6  
 CANADA

#### Germany

G BOESCHE  
 GUSTAV BOESCHE  
 ALBERT-SCHWEITZER-RING 22  
 D-22045 HAMBURG  
 GERMANY

Do not dispatch any mail to the above. Place the mailpieces in a pouch endorsed "Foreign Order Mail" and send it to:

POSTMASTER  
 CLAIMS AND INQUIRY  
 JAMES A FARLEY BLDG RM 2029A  
 NEW YORK NY 10199-9652

Do not place any endorsement on the mailpieces themselves.

Personnel may post this notice at the outgoing primary. They must post it on the Foreign Order Board at all processing and distribution plants, designated international exchange offices, and customer service plants.

— Recorder's Office, Judicial Officer, 10-5-00

## Withholding of Mail Orders

Withholding of mail orders is enforced by the postmaster at the city listed below:

State/City	Names Covered
PA, Easton 18042-3400	ANY AND ALL OF VARIOUS NAMES OTHER THAN THE SURNAME THOMAS, 15 N. Union Street Apt 3C

— Recorder's Office, Judicial Officer, 10-5-00

## Missing, Lost, or Stolen U.S. Money Order Forms

### Do Not Cash — Upon Receipt, Notify Local Postal Inspectors

This listing will be provided to all Postal Service employees responsible for accepting and cashing Postal money orders. All interim notices should be destroyed when the numbers listed appear in the *Postal Bulletin*. The

actual serial numbers consist of the first 10 digits on the money orders. Check for altered dollar amounts by holding money orders to the light.

011 582 1889 to 011 582 1899	383 314 3968 to 3999	399 792 7775 to 7799	412 485 6610 to 6699
011 588 2900 to 011 588 3099	383 892 1000 to 1344	399 792 8300 to 8399	412 885 5953 to 5999
012 579 5675 to 012 579 5699	383 892 1382 to 1399	<b>400 427 1051 to 1999</b>	414 193 3608 to 3674
013 289 6176 to 013 289 6199	384 925 3641 to 3654	401 045 1505 to 1549	414 193 3677 to 3699
013 610 0014 to 013 610 0099	385 568 2331 to 2399	401 045 1571 to 1599	414 411 7348 to 7399
014 932 1000 to 014 932 1099	385 599 7554 to 7575	401 294 2700 to 2799	414 640 0757 to 0799
014 972 0800 to 014 972 0899	385 774 2024 to 2099	401 310 9505 to 9599	414 965 1727 to 1799
015 363 0007 to 015 363 0099	386 624 1412 to 1599	401 382 5312 to 5399	417 302 8104 to 8199
018 986 5264 to 018 986 5299	386 883 8936 to 8999	402 578 7876 to 7899	417 387 6532 to 6599
210 221 0548 to 210 221 0599	387 314 5574 to 5599	403 125 6744 to 6799	417 496 6800 to 6999
273 070 8059 to 273 070 8099	387 837 6300 to 6399	403 260 7000 to 7499	417 871 9250 to 9299
273 775 7700 to 273 775 7899	388 828 0656 to 0699	403 280 6470 to 6499	417 930 9533 to 9599
302 000 0000 to 302 123 9999	389 696 2400 to 2799	403 685 8600 to 8699	418 164 6500 to 6799
349 746 2056 to 2099	389 846 3104 to 3135	404 003 0300 to 0399	418 423 9863 to 9899
350 518 7350 to 7374	389 846 3145 to 3195	404 041 8838 to 8899	418 633 5922 to 5999
360 011 1690 to 1699	389 887 9211 to 9230	404 071 4268 to 4299	418 719 8520 to 8599
360 168 6008 to 6099	389 887 9234 to 9299	404 347 5356 to 5399	418 744 2235 to 2299
360 173 8800 to 8899	<b>390 001 3182 to 3199</b>	404 347 5548 to 5599	418 962 2848 to 2899
360 324 2326 to 2399	390 001 3500 to 3699	404 726 4500 to 4599	419 543 0286 to 0299
362 861 3064 to 3099	390 545 5974 to 5999	404 961 5001 to 5199	419 730 0300 to 0399
<b>373 006 2176 to 2199</b>	391 104 6146 to 6199	405 325 0188 to 0198	<b>420 277 0015 to 0049</b>
374 768 2600 to 2699	391 574 1466 to 1499	406 009 4587 to 4599	420 599 0734 to 0798
375 169 4400 to 4599	391 783 3020 to 3599	406 260 6830 to 6899	420 661 4115 to 4199
375 829 3400 to 3499	391 792 6100 to 6199	406 459 6641 to 6999	420 758 9500 to 9699
375 851 9100 to 9199	392 668 2956 to 2999	406 733 3000 to 3999	420 969 3951 to 3971
376 196 0911 to 0999	392 854 8500 to 8899	407 545 1557 to 1599	420 969 3973 to 3999
378 085 3679 to 3699	393 584 7566 to 7699	407 594 0412 to 0599	421 116 3565 to 3599
378 351 1063 to 1099	393 650 0074 to 0099	407 692 9100 to 9299	421 130 9300 to 9399
379 843 5100 to 5199	393 838 8316 to 8499	407 959 2190 to 2199	421 313 4500 to 4999
<b>380 093 9600 to 9699</b>	393 893 6007 to 6099	408 265 2275 to 2288	421 364 5537 to 5599
380 165 1165 to 1199	394 126 6907 to 6999	408 499 7700 to 7799	421 656 2609 to 2699
381 325 4500 to 4599	394 189 0405 to 0599	408 499 7900 to 7999	421 988 9700 to 9799
381 604 2510 to 2699	394 822 3243 to 3278	408 682 8484 to 8599	422 172 4667 to 4699
381 645 9525 to 9599	394 990 1810 to 1899	408 698 7015 to 7099	422 484 4212 to 4299
	395 343 3264 to 3299	409 072 3941 to 3999	422 556 1270 to 1299
	395 373 3035 to 3099	<b>410 491 2311 to 2399</b>	422 587 7024 to 7099
	395 396 9649 to 9799	410 694 8400 to 8599	422 819 7533 to 7599
	395 970 3240 to 3299	410 775 1500 to 1599	422 842 5073 to 5087
	397 622 4054 to 4099	410 795 7927 to 7999	422 907 7563 to 7599
	397 819 8902 to 8999	410 867 0917 to 0966	424 500 6050 to 6099
	398 149 7200 to 7699	410 867 0970 to 0999	424 641 8500 to 8599
	399 070 0872 to 0899	411 868 1023 to 1199	424 871 6600 to 6699
	399 156 7119 to 7199	411 922 2322 to 2399	425 298 2352 to 2399
	399 203 5064 to 5099	412 193 0900 to 0999	425 418 4269 to 4299
	399 296 9910 to 9999	412 395 8599 to 8699	425 418 4405 to 4499
	399 396 8935 to 8999	412 485 6500 to 6599	426 547 4566 to 4599

427 412 6337 to	6499	452 890 4679 to	4799	464 711 4332 to	4399	<b>480 526 2000 to</b>	<b>2099</b>
427 481 0900 to	0999	452 900 8215 to	8238	465 692 3963 to	3999	480 640 6330 to	6399
428 027 2742 to	2752	453 117 9146 to	9199	465 698 8300 to	8599	480 658 0568 to	0599
429 474 4172 to	4199	453 334 3631 to	3699	465 743 7745 to	7799	480 689 5100 to	5199
429 889 2900 to	2999	453 603 7841 to	7891	466 798 6056 to	6067	481 072 9463 to	9499
<b>430 150 4401 to</b>	<b>4599</b>	453 650 1140 to	1199	467 147 4300 to	4399	481 673 0074 to	0095
430 172 9800 to	9899	453 741 1300 to	1399	468 079 5782 to	5799	482 527 1500 to	1599
430 177 1900 to	2099	454 013 2919 to	2999	469 067 2817 to	2899	482 541 5255 to	5299
430 444 9500 to	9699	454 186 2411 to	2499	469 127 8000 to	8199	482 729 6800 to	6899
430 664 4070 to	4099	454 268 4883 to	4899	469 213 0359 to	0399	483 363 7207 to	7299
432 168 8419 to	8499	454 302 5400 to	5499	469 213 0500 to	0599	483 402 2356 to	2399
432 708 6800 to	6999	454 490 8300 to	8399	469 561 8011 to	8099	483 486 5100 to	5199
432 744 1544 to	1599	454 547 7434 to	7499	469 658 1961 to	1999	483 632 1521 to	1599
432 995 9775 to	9799	454 922 4867 to	4895	469 666 9900 to	9999	483 632 2600 to	2799
433 003 5800 to	5899	455 221 1348 to	1499	469 678 1900 to	1999	483 849 1615 to	1699
433 757 3047 to	3099	455 364 2147 to	2199	469 781 4900 to	4999	484 174 4803 to	5299
433 765 4003 to	4099	455 399 5400 to	5499	469 947 6960 to	6999	484 323 8900 to	9199
434 482 7060 to	7199	455 476 0676 to	0699	<b>470 755 5800 to</b>	<b>5818</b>	484 680 5000 to	5038
434 513 2386 to	2399	455 543 0618 to	0699	471 918 0300 to	0999	484 680 5040 to	5074
434 968 3076 to	3092	456 410 9006 to	9099	471 985 2408 to	2419	484 680 5077 to	5099
435 303 1831 to	1842	456 470 4146 to	4299	472 191 6700 to	6799	485 029 4913 to	4999
435 303 1986 to	1999	456 619 4460 to	4499	472 270 2555 to	2599	486 176 0600 to	0699
435 666 6092 to	6399	457 333 2686 to	2699	472 987 0213 to	0241	486 559 7555 to	7599
436 082 6400 to	6899	457 729 1767 to	1777	472 987 0290 to	0299	486 696 3023 to	3199
436 160 6441 to	6499	457 937 8615 to	8699	473 151 2069 to	2199	488 173 7900 to	7999
437 316 7115 to	7199	458 028 9810 to	9899	473 666 9138 to	9199	488 206 4100 to	4199
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439 179 2300 to	2399	458 069 9537 to	9599	474 108 5402 to	5499	488 709 3906 to	3999
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440 858 6300 to	6399	458 354 7653 to	7999	475 134 9362 to	9399	489 223 2000 to	2099
440 858 6420 to	7299	458 671 8678 to	8699	475 167 9667 to	9699	489 311 1930 to	1999
441 199 1655 to	1699	458 671 8721 to	8798	475 319 3415 to	3499	489 318 6200 to	6300
443 127 3648 to	3699	458 847 5044 to	5999	475 319 3649 to	3799	489 384 0027 to	0099
443 127 4000 to	4099	459 274 7624 to	7699	475 340 6400 to	6599	489 427 0658 to	0899
443 673 7900 to	7999	459 365 5432 to	5499	475 424 8410 to	8499	489 997 5252 to	5299
443 800 9335 to	9399	459 378 5764 to	5799	475 629 9156 to	9199	<b>490 669 5850 to</b>	<b>6099</b>
444 382 8822 to	8899	459 472 4816 to	4999	475 850 6101 to	6199	490 717 7080 to	7099
444 390 1667 to	1699	<b>460 349 6878 to</b>	<b>6899</b>	475 875 2500 to	2599	490 721 6000 to	6099
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450 620 3135 to	3199	462 277 8373 to	8399	478 010 4243 to	4268	492 254 4800 to	4899
450 780 2716 to	2799	462 554 6051 to	6099	478 010 4270 to	4291	492 283 5100 to	5199
450 801 2700 to	2799	463 011 5529 to	5540	478 450 5071 to	5099	492 610 6813 to	6899
451 109 2967 to	2984	463 176 4115 to	4199	478 469 7838 to	7858	493 394 5568 to	5599
451 115 4110 to	4125	463 176 4229 to	4299	478 469 7883 to	7899	493 470 2562 to	2599
451 115 4127 to	4199	463 185 2600 to	2799	479 280 9800 to	9899	493 473 7700 to	7799
452 265 0074 to	0099	463 227 7711 to	7799	479 365 9116 to	9176	493 716 2153 to	2199
452 265 0246 to	0299	463 414 4869 to	4899	479 412 9900 to	9999	494 206 2972 to	2999
452 265 0335 to	0999	463 808 3484 to	3499	479 667 6190 to	6199	494 217 3446 to	3999
452 509 1169 to	1199	463 945 7400 to	7899	479 748 9680 to	9699	494 224 0500 to	0599
452 855 6471 to	6499	464 629 9000 to	9399	479 860 7000 to	7199	495 145 0600 to	0699

496 209 7425 to	7499	612 751 5226 to	5299	633 438 6429 to	6599	646 242 6200 to	6299
496 213 8728 to	8799	612 751 6083 to	6099	633 588 7173 to	7182	646 270 7639 to	7799
496 474 5226 to	5248	612 751 6268 to	6299	634 725 0700 to	0799	646 798 4000 to	4999
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498 929 8285 to	8499	612 774 2500 to	2599	634 886 3428 to	3499	647 398 8481 to	8499
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499 440 8575 to	8899	614 521 3490 to	3499	636 634 8007 to	8042	648 009 6057 to	6099
499 731 6717 to	6799	614 645 1800 to	1899	637 150 1200 to	1299	648 163 5300 to	5499
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<b>600 645 3223 to</b>	<b>3299</b>	617 711 6609 to	6699	638 049 4984 to	4999	649 100 3989 to	3999
601 339 1200 to	1399	617 760 5266 to	5299	638 318 1115 to	1199	649 647 0370 to	0399
601 653 5884 to	5899	617 813 3601 to	3699	638 318 1453 to	1499	649 647 0522 to	0599
601 661 7700 to	7799	618 840 9200 to	9299	638 885 0000 to	0299	649 647 5237 to	5399
601 682 5343 to	5399	619 551 7229 to	7299	638 903 4362 to	4373	649 647 9100 to	9299
601 928 1600 to	1699	619 859 3000 to	3099	639 415 1929 to	1999	649 666 7800 to	8299
602 512 2972 to	2999	<b>620 073 9400 to</b>	<b>9499</b>	639 415 2019 to	2099	<b>650 114 7707 to</b>	<b>7719</b>
602 555 2400 to	2799	621 614 7907 to	7930	639 420 6200 to	6299	650 130 3400 to	3599
602 829 7061 to	7099	621 614 7932 to	7999	639 469 3517 to	3799	650 213 0406 to	0499
603 483 9572 to	9599	621 648 8021 to	8199	639 605 2143 to	2199	650 555 1749 to	1799
603 490 7200 to	7299	621 648 8500 to	8599	639 657 8600 to	8799	650 564 1900 to	1999
603 678 7100 to	7199	621 904 8351 to	8599	<b>640 289 7500 to</b>	<b>7599</b>	650 627 4212 to	4299
603 678 7662 to	7699	621 916 1978 to	1989	640 289 7700 to	7999	650 736 2043 to	2099
603 678 7902 to	7999	622 989 8032 to	8099	641 170 4420 to	4499	650 739 1540 to	1699
603 678 8418 to	8499	623 076 9300 to	9399	641 318 3133 to	3199	651 741 4415 to	4499
603 678 8700 to	9999	623 819 5006 to	5099	641 378 6500 to	6999	651 882 2800 to	2899
604 086 0880 to	0899	623 895 8200 to	8399	641 383 8739 to	8799	652 754 6317 to	6399
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604 503 7776 to	7799	623 917 0200 to	0299	641 877 3310 to	3399	653 426 3300 to	3399
605 520 9037 to	9099	624 468 5288 to	5299	642 355 8094 to	8199	653 455 4874 to	4899
605 685 4010 to	4099	624 665 3162 to	3198	642 355 8308 to	8999	654 238 0000 to	0399
605 988 6467 to	6499	625 088 6735 to	6799	642 900 0018 to	0099	654 404 3065 to	3092
607 689 7951 to	7960	625 916 9500 to	9799	643 030 6254 to	6299	654 962 2900 to	3199
607 728 1276 to	1299	625 968 8956 to	8999	644 066 0882 to	0899	655 103 5081 to	5199
608 727 7100 to	7199	627 005 3938 to	3999	644 069 0600 to	0699	655 523 2600 to	2999
608 727 7273 to	7599	627 384 3907 to	4099	644 077 7506 to	7699	656 305 2448 to	2499
608 813 9950 to	9999	627 496 7549 to	7599	644 085 8157 to	8199	657 347 4438 to	4999
609 067 5325 to	5399	627 708 3605 to	3699	644 112 9839 to	9899	657 710 8100 to	8999
609 067 5488 to	5499	627 776 2500 to	2599	644 373 9083 to	9099	657 780 0985 to	0999
609 067 5600 to	5699	628 226 3100 to	3199	644 380 1460 to	1499	658 586 1400 to	1499
609 289 6123 to	6199	628 814 4702 to	4799	644 733 4715 to	4799	658 877 8000 to	8199
609 438 4400 to	4499	628 851 9689 to	9699	644 900 9712 to	9799	658 880 8000 to	8199
609 493 1100 to	1199	629 510 7200 to	7299	644 901 0109 to	1299	659 398 7300 to	7399
609 766 8091 to	8999	629 964 4200 to	4294	644 901 1325 to	1399	659 706 8113 to	8199
609 825 4100 to	4115	<b>630 389 3056 to</b>	<b>3071</b>	644 923 6800 to	7799	659 846 7837 to	7899
609 884 2981 to	2999	630 463 0588 to	0599	644 932 4655 to	4699	<b>660 510 4100 to</b>	<b>4199</b>
609 893 1000 to	1099	631 459 9117 to	9199	645 318 7240 to	7499	660 673 0400 to	0599
<b>610 092 3200 to</b>	<b>3299</b>	631 762 9325 to	9399	645 333 1766 to	1799	661 488 5000 to	5099
610 582 4200 to	4299	632 217 4933 to	4999	645 790 8632 to	8699	661 609 9100 to	9199
611 879 6939 to	6999	632 500 0000 to	9999	645 821 0657 to	0699	661 716 9420 to	9499
612 291 8013 to	8099	633 110 4165 to	4199	645 930 7948 to	7999	661 906 6522 to	6599
612 751 5171 to	5199	633 110 4303 to	4499	645 975 0737 to	0762	662 021 8332 to	8399

662 068 0700 to 0899	683 415 1200 to 1499	701 028 6780 to 6899	835 813 3015 to 3099
662 553 0774 to 0799	683 444 8159 to 8199	701 213 3900 to 3999	838 518 1257 to 1299
663 078 7034 to 7099	685 154 7780 to 7789	701 267 2000 to 3999	839 718 8257 to 8299
663 763 5300 to 5399	685 623 5264 to 5299	701 335 7312 to 7399	<b>840 323 0600 to 0699</b>
663 883 7039 to 7499	685 650 9487 to 9499	701 369 2005 to 2050	840 875 6235 to 6299
664 253 8000 to 8499	685 669 4200 to 4299	701 503 2247 to 2299	840 910 0900 to 0999
664 656 3055 to 3099	685 757 8452 to 8499	701 541 2271 to 2299	841 349 5000 to 5099
665 174 6400 to 6499	686 071 2694 to 2799	701 553 6557 to 6599	841 805 7747 to 7899
665 274 8208 to 8299	686 176 3333 to 3354	701 601 3457 to 3499	841 805 7944 to 8099
665 669 5400 to 5499	686 372 3200 to 3299	701 605 5913 to 5999	842 226 0685 to 0695
666 132 8226 to 8299	686 644 5879 to 5899	701 695 3982 to 3999	842 685 4600 to 4699
666 696 2209 to 2299	686 931 7636 to 7699	701 695 4148 to 4199	842 685 4742 to 4999
666 696 2309 to 2399	687 601 0973 to 0999	701 695 4227 to 4299	842 860 0300 to 0399
667 032 9300 to 9399	687 614 6774 to 6799	701 708 1741 to 1799	842 898 5582 to 5599
667 729 5529 to 5599	688 120 9000 to 9999	701 736 3966 to 3999	843 062 7100 to 7199
668 383 8400 to 8699	688 314 3107 to 3191	701 838 2800 to 2899	843 077 6288 to 6299
<b>670 368 3400 to 3499</b>	<b>690 291 1361 to 1371</b>	701 941 0600 to 0699	843 077 6378 to 6399
670 369 7336 to 7399	690 788 2877 to 2899	702 171 1603 to 1699	843 758 5769 to 5778
670 750 7169 to 7199	690 893 5344 to 5399	702 195 5109 to 5199	843 786 2554 to 2699
671 046 6200 to 6399	690 893 5512 to 5599	702 254 9300 to 9399	845 727 2100 to 2199
671 251 5448 to 5499	690 904 1300 to 1599	702 264 7569 to 7599	845 746 2618 to 2635
671 926 5600 to 5799	690 941 6000 to 6199	702 713 1800 to 1809	847 284 2481 to 2499
672 444 2000 to 2999	691 313 6383 to 6399	702 821 5730 to 5799	847 374 7055 to 7065
672 828 3410 to 3499	691 313 6600 to 6699	702 821 5805 to 5899	847 636 5304 to 5399
673 167 5776 to 5799	691 582 8003 to 8099	702 878 0114 to 0199	847 700 5447 to 5499
675 464 3700 to 3799	691 664 1800 to 1999	<b>740 002 7710 to 7719</b>	847 723 7500 to 7599
675 464 4000 to 4199	691 664 2400 to 2499	<b>806 087 1100 to 1499</b>	849 792 2600 to 2699
676 365 5958 to 5999	692 727 9362 to 9399	806 268 9275 to 9299	<b>850 546 1862 to 1899</b>
676 669 1024 to 1099	692 798 1800 to 1899	806 534 3400 to 3477	851 143 6826 to 6844
677 126 6734 to 6799	693 249 0779 to 0799	807 342 3283 to 3399	851 209 9880 to 9899
677 333 9979 to 9999	693 249 0877 to 1699	808 086 7100 to 7199	851 928 9221 to 9299
677 466 1088 to 1099	693 445 0566 to 0999	808 090 3440 to 3499	852 589 6560 to 6599
678 071 4500 to 4799	693 448 8500 to 8999	808 325 5161 to 5699	854 304 4089 to 4999
678 096 7531 to 7599	693 645 9583 to 9599	808 784 8000 to 8299	855 319 9364 to 9399
679 909 2578 to 2599	693 965 4200 to 4299	<b>830 602 5800 to 5999</b>	856 226 0490 to 0499
<b>680 112 9565 to 9599</b>	695 741 2906 to 2999	830 610 3700 to 3799	856 656 5800 to 5999
680 244 0903 to 0999	695 947 8518 to 8599	830 983 3500 to 3599	856 752 0200 to 0299
680 412 6046 to 6099	696 662 8247 to 8299	830 983 3635 to 3699	859 063 8200 to 8699
680 761 6800 to 6899	697 447 8285 to 8296	831 354 1387 to 1399	859 190 0600 to 0644
681 677 0540 to 0699	698 042 4816 to 4899	831 815 8240 to 8299	859 855 8873 to 8999
682 070 1029 to 1099	698 227 0000 to 0099	832 525 3810 to 3899	<b>869 800 0000 to 999 9999</b>
682 956 6280 to 6299	<b>700 065 2570 to 2599</b>	833 159 1884 to 1899	<b>870 054 4814 to 4899</b>
682 956 6490 to 6599	700 065 4800 to 4899	833 456 2567 to 2599	870 491 4812 to 4849
682 956 6700 to 6799	700 190 3350 to 3359	833 566 3015 to 3071	870 536 5820 to 5829
682 965 1178 to 1199	700 228 6048 to 6099	834 316 5444 to 5499	870 541 7167 to 7239
682 965 1201 to 1299	700 650 0452 to 0499	835 269 5700 to 5799	870 575 8155 to 8999
683 118 2389 to 2399	700 666 1323 to 1349	835 496 7303 to 7399	870 589 0485 to 0494
683 378 2000 to 2099	700 786 9106 to 9142	835 539 5200 to 5999	870 691 7060 to 7099
683 378 2117 to 2299	700 859 0744 to 0758		

## Missing, Lost, or Stolen Canadian Money Order Forms

### Do Not Cash — Upon Receipt, Notify Local Postal Inspectors

This listing will be provided to all Postal Service employees responsible for accepting and cashing Postal money orders. Destroy any interim notices when the numbers listed appear in the *Postal Bulletin*. The new money order serial numbers consist of the first nine digits. The 10th digit is a check digit only.

Do not cash new style money orders **000 000 001 to 692 600 000**. Advise holders to send invalid money orders to: Canada Post Corporation, Ottawa, Canada K1A 0B1. Check for altered dollar amounts by holding money orders to the light.

<b>000 000 001 to 692 600 000</b>	702 053 601 to 3 800	709 243 479 to 3 500	718 961 721 to 1 780
<b>692 720 871 to 0 900</b>	702 104 368 to 4 900	709 411 171 to 1 320	718 982 001 to 2 300
692 876 955 to 7 050	702 128 306 to 8 400	709 649 804 to 9 820	719 869 731 to 9 760
693 290 380 to 0 400	702 179 891 to 9 900	709 733 281 to 3 580	<b>720 227 871 to 7 930</b>
693 290 426 to 0 450	702 260 751 to 0 850	<b>710 046 813 to 6 840</b>	720 227 949 to 7 960
694 063 700 to 3 897	702 410 595 to 1 050	710 358 093 to 8 166	720 368 543 to 8 570
694 063 900 to 4 000	702 660 151 to 0 540	710 358 257 to 8 270	720 392 151 to 2 570
694 550 501 to 0 530	702 723 429 to 3 450	711 021 501 to 1 510	720 556 491 to 6 640
694 595 031 to 5 050	703 004 401 to 4 820	711 049 411 to 9 560	720 558 621 to 8 650
694 595 087 to 5 300	703 083 819 to 4 020	711 408 045 to 8 090	720 575 361 to 5 570
694 698 551 to 8 650	703 432 131 to 2 230	712 003 381 to 3 650	720 590 152 to 0 179
694 745 458 to 5 600	703 626 061 to 6 090	712 104 220 to 4 230	721 638 331 to 9 170
695 105 313 to 5 350	703 863 121 to 3 240	712 327 861 to 7 890	721 815 391 to 5 420
695 142 809 to 3 050	703 863 477 to 3 540	712 327 952 to 7 980	721 969 713 to 9 740
695 144 666 to 4 700	703 867 801 to 7 980	712 647 061 to 7 090	722 072 137 to 2 160
695 272 601 to 2 750	704 030 628 to 0 640	713 284 171 to 4 260	722 378 265 to 8 280
695 277 576 to 7 650	704 154 024 to 4 120	713 292 871 to 2 990	722 413 990 to 4 004
695 530 761 to 0 800	704 227 561 to 7 829	714 035 101 to 5 160	722 764 948 to 4 980
696 487 701 to 7 800	704 227 831 to 8 069	714 155 011 to 5 400	722 825 840 to 5 889
696 784 101 to 4 550	704 228 071 to 8 100	714 328 231 to 8 440	723 153 841 to 3 850
696 870 601 to 0 650	704 420 344 to 0 490	714 442 952 to 2 980	723 237 616 to 7 630
697 047 501 to 7 600	704 568 751 to 8 990	714 562 843 to 2 860	723 331 081 to 1 110
697 052 101 to 2 350	704 965 301 to 5 770	714 590 391 to 0 430	723 496 443 to 6 470
697 217 251 to 7 400	705 116 780 to 6 790	714 609 811 to 9 930	723 967 291 to 7 320
697 249 952 to 50 050	705 280 801 to 0 980	714 609 961 to 9 990	724 655 196 to 5 340
697 414 886 to 4 900	705 475 651 to 6 040	714 807 181 to 7 240	724 711 441 to 1 500
697 469 606 to 9 700	705 566 127 to 6 280	714 871 321 to 1 500	724 711 538 to 1 560
697 850 401 to 0 750	705 740 581 to 0 730	714 928 529 to 8 590	724 793 221 to 3 250
698 098 446 to 8 550	705 782 796 to 2 820	715 128 183 to 8 330	724 908 109 to 8 120
698 300 251 to 0 300	705 822 271 to 2 480	715 144 171 to 4 470	724 937 461 to 7 670
698 504 383 to 4 650	705 822 271 to 2 480	715 197 211 to 7 570	725 163 118 to 3 151
698 533 927 to 4 200	706 180 148 to 0 290	715 595 910 to 6 180	725 202 735 to 2 750
698 562 268 to 2 400	706 184 041 to 4 220	715 941 781 to 1 810	725 398 591 to 8 800
699 090 686 to 0 750	706 357 861 to 8 190	715 962 421 to 2 480	725 464 591 to 4 920
699 752 699 to 2 850	706 382 419 to 2 430	716 477 396 to 7 430	725 475 321 to 5 330
<b>700 068 473 to 8 500</b>	706 628 735 to 8 820	716 556 635 to 6 660	725 711 057 to 1 070
700 161 501 to 1 650	706 638 211 to 8 420	717 191 648 to 1 690	725 738 581 to 8 730
700 202 522 to 2 700	706 817 959 to 8 000	717 193 161 to 3 490	725 981 311 to 1 430
700 290 275 to 0 300	707 034 391 to 4 450	717 228 591 to 8 680	725 987 835 to 7 880
700 465 730 to 5 750	707 292 636 to 2 660	717 333 902 to 3 950	726 060 811 to 0 900
700 561 444 to 1 550	707 441 401 to 1 687	717 739 745 to 9 910	726 391 970 to 2 520
701 423 101 to 3 150	707 441 836 to 1 940	717 884 991 to 5 050	726 484 771 to 4 800
701 625 469 to 5 550	707 958 541 to 8 570	718 026 171 to 6 290	726 493 351 to 5 300
701 643 829 to 3 850	707 960 107 to 0 160	718 466 370 to 6 420	726 504 031 to 4 063
701 945 451 to 5 500	708 059 941 to 60 000	718 466 370 to 6 420	726 504 070 to 4 090
702 033 701 to 4 050	708 115 830 to 5 860	718 568 451 to 8 479	726 504 331 to 4 390
702 051 501 to 1 750	708 116 251 to 6 310	718 590 741 to 0 770	726 563 701 to 4 060
	708 138 301 to 8 480	718 714 210 to 4 370	726 599 371 to 9 460
	709 222 591 to 2 920	718 795 881 to 6 000	

726 626 356	to	6 370	734 290 759	to	0 770	741 764 431	to	4 520	752 295 241	to	5 600
727 182 271	to	2 510	734 389 273	to	9 290	742 178 834	to	8 880	752 731 351	to	1 410
727 416 181	to	6 240	734 440 031	to	0 111	742 325 500	to	5 520	752 767 441	to	7 470
727 481 431	to	1 460	734 797 201	to	7 320	742 325 668	to	5 700	753 008 941	to	9 030
727 749 241	to	9 780	734 939 611	to	9 640	742 408 771	to	8 830	753 194 311	to	4 370
728 382 331	to	2 480	734 950 111	to	0 170	742 512 120	to	2 150	753 620 378	to	0 400
728 458 201	to	8 260	735 120 331	to	0 840	742 684 849	to	4 890	754 013 917	to	3 940
728 702 338	to	2 400	735 123 061	to	3 690	742 839 553	to	9 630	754 161 061	to	1 120
728 915 371	to	5 850	735 283 008	to	3 020	742 913 668	to	3 700	754 358 445	to	8 610
728 953 141	to	3 410	735 293 131	to	3 220	742 917 287	to	7 296	754 410 451	to	0 660
728 954 280	to	4 310	735 635 010	to	5 040	742 921 891	to	1 980	754 438 393	to	8 410
729 169 081	to	9 140	735 783 961	to	3 990	742 983 631	to	3 810	754 493 109	to	3 130
729 363 841	to	3 870	735 803 401	to	3 430	743 020 021	to	0 170	754 664 182	to	4 220
729 682 891	to	3 190	736 005 420	to	5 440	743 206 491	to	6 500	754 816 377	to	6 470
729 838 940	to	9 070	736 366 021	to	6 110	743 235 992	to	6 050	755 487 421	to	7 600
729 839 101	to	9 130	736 624 456	to	4 500	743 245 094	to	5 170	755 592 901	to	3 140
<b>730 077 683</b>	<b>to</b>	<b>7 840</b>	736 670 851	to	1 060	743 940 631	to	0 900	755 790 020	to	0 030
730 109 847	to	9 880	736 767 061	to	7 090	743 978 011	to	8 070	755 791 730	to	1 800
730 373 761	to	3 850	736 767 093	to	7 120	744 234 751	to	4 780	755 926 951	to	7 070
730 501 951	to	2 130	736 982 191	to	2 370	744 260 641	to	0 670	755 934 332	to	4 510
730 519 379	to	9 470	736 982 551	to	2 730	744 499 591	to	9 680	755 957 701	to	8 000
730 569 278	to	9 360	737 110 141	to	0 170	744 626 901	to	6 910	755 962 981	to	3 280
730 711 711	to	1 740	737 185 501	to	5 710	745 388 794	to	8 910	756 035 371	to	5 490
730 722 991	to	3 230	737 317 321	to	7 350	746 446 806	to	6 820	756 047 191	to	7 220
730 845 970	to	5 990	737 517 781	to	7 840	746 818 351	to	8 410	756 301 257	to	1 290
730 888 291	to	8 320	737 628 181	to	8 210	747 245 266	to	5 280	756 371 565	to	1 580
730 927 591	to	7 680	737 634 258	to	4 270	747 364 813	to	4 830	756 876 031	to	6 090
731 307 914	to	7 930	738 361 971	to	1 980	747 501 434	to	1 450	756 876 151	to	6 240
731 402 431	to	2 460	738 447 601	to	7 660	747 739 891	to	0 070	756 970 129	to	0 140
731 407 232	to	7 320	738 648 355	to	8 450	748 148 649	to	8 760	757 059 613	to	9 630
731 588 301	to	8 340	738 849 811	to	9 900	748 259 960	to	9 970	757 078 540	to	8 560
731 767 273	to	7 320	738 892 270	to	2 290	748 565 162	to	5 280	757 086 209	to	6 240
731 781 061	to	1 120	738 997 259	to	7 380	748 874 988	to	5 030	757 222 621	to	2 830
731 837 821	to	7 910	739 161 451	to	1 540	749 137 381	to	7 410	757 240 591	to	0 650
731 841 377	to	1 450	739 219 381	to	9 440	749 190 192	to	0 210	757 251 333	to	1 360
732 018 481	to	8 600	739 530 511	to	0 540	749 685 421	to	5 450	757 277 371	to	7 700
732 067 972	to	8 370	739 740 151	to	0 180	749 846 791	to	6 850	757 291 591	to	2 730
732 188 649	to	8 670	739 793 491	to	3 520	749 993 131	to	3 580	757 964 251	to	4 280
732 193 460	to	3 470	739 793 527	to	3 550	<b>750 071 587</b>	<b>to</b>	<b>1 610</b>	758 324 941	to	5 000
732 201 241	to	1 390	739 942 621	to	2 650	750 408 167	to	8 183	758 593 628	to	3 650
732 220 431	to	0 440	739 999 231	to	9 320	750 438 421	to	8 501	758 709 038	to	9 060
732 355 201	to	5 380	<b>740 011 517</b>	<b>to</b>	<b>1 530</b>	750 743 911	to	4 030	758 744 101	to	4 160
732 472 320	to	2 560	740 030 701	to	0 970	750 779 118	to	9 400	758 850 883	to	0 900
732 541 605	to	1 620	740 261 740	to	1 820	750 910 981	to	1 010	759 152 851	to	2 880
732 572 221	to	2 490	740 265 811	to	6 290	750 960 841	to	0 900	759 740 941	to	1 090
732 586 479	to	6 710	740 299 111	to	9 170	751 296 211	to	6 240	<b>760 155 001</b>	<b>to</b>	<b>5 090</b>
732 994 037	to	4 080	740 299 231	to	9 260	751 539 121	to	9 180	761 504 941	to	5 120
733 163 449	to	3 460	740 329 266	to	9 320	751 541 311	to	1 790	761 516 836	to	6 850
733 297 171	to	7 290	740 889 081	to	9 090	751 757 641	to	7 700	761 516 851	to	6 910
733 446 631	to	7 110	741 010 421	to	0 530	751 936 951	to	7 010	761 613 588	to	3 600
733 474 665	to	4 770	741 113 041	to	3 370	751 951 861	to	1 890	761 688 631	to	8 690
733 704 482	to	4 570	741 373 891	to	4 340	751 999 021	to	9 110	761 826 106	to	6 120
733 751 041	to	1 130	741 452 369	to	2 490	752 139 516	to	9 570	761 881 171	to	1 560
733 971 138	to	1 210	741 492 991	to	3 140	752 182 892	to	2 950	762 491 551	to	2 030
734 009 101	to	9 130	741 553 460	to	3 470	752 206 861	to	7 100			

## Counterfeited Canadian Money Order Forms

### Do Not Cash

To be posted and used by retail window employees. As directed, destroy previous notices. All interim notices should be destroyed when the numbers listed appear in the *Postal Bulletin*.

671,819,086	686,794,382
676,612,640	686,794,426
677,891,039	686,794,427
678,282,493	686,794,431
678,916,031	687,262,502
679,552,215	687,262,503
679,694,334	687,262,525
679,751,983	687,262,526
679,800,207	687,287,578
681,130,536	687,287,581
681,844,376	687,287,582
683,594,542	694,063,898
684,683,610	694,063,899
686,619,878	694,063,980
686,619,886	701,321,725
686,619,887	

— *Postal Inspection Service, 10-5-00*

## 800 Number Available to Verify Canadian Money Orders

The Canada Post Corporation is now providing an 800 number that cashing agents can call to verify the validity of Canadian Postal Money Orders. The number is 1-800-563-0444.

This 800 number is printed on the back of the Canadian Postal Money Orders.

— *Postal Inspection Service, 10-5-00*



### Invalid Express Mail Corporate Account Numbers

These numbers are to be posted and used by retail/acceptance clerks. This listing supersedes all previous notices, which must be recycled. Retail/acceptance clerks must not accept Express Mail shipments bearing any of the invalid numbers (listed below) in the "customer num-

ber" or "agreement number" section of the label or form.

**Note:** The first 6 digits of a 9-digit Custom Designed Service and Next Day Pickup Service Agreement make up the Corporate Account Number.

005021	008305	009096	011304	019625	028606	065703	079155	098360	106182	109877	119660	156157
005022	008328	009203	011305	019636	028916	065936	079798	098368	106306	109919	120214	159001
005189	008333	009212	011310	019767	028959	066056	080016	098571	106355	109960	122396	165212
005318	008348	009264	011352	019876	029049	066119	080234	098651	106411	109971	122402	165363
005541	008358	009294	011392	020119	029308	066133	080248	098652	106417	110605	124057	165422
005562	008391	009307	012119	020457	029411	066164	080263	098653	106460	110844	124156	170320
005680	008392	009312	012267	020592	029547	066186	080327	098654	106580	110864	124172	170325
005801	008426	009353	012308	021074	029603	066199	080374	098723	107011	111346	125004	171157
006018	008430	009372	012318	021133	029731	066228	080381	098737	107041	111488	125115	173067
006022	008433	009387	012319	021206	030167	066245	080398	098772	107112	114161	125179	173074
006071	008445	009411	012389	021230	030330	066333	080451	098780	107152	114358	125232	174051
006103	008462	009426	013131	021300	031217	066368	080661	098842	107190	114613	125236	174069
006158	008471	009445	013164	021378	032001	066400	085030	098845	107248	114621	125243	174075
006193	008473	009519	013197	021405	032024	068246	088012	098915	107295	115006	125259	174077
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006210	008522	009634	014242	021455	033030	068550	088270	100070	108103	115166	125299	182009
006244	008544	009694	014382	021470	034637	069005	088430	100087	108120	115182	125322	184032
006255	008548	009697	014905	021472	038116	069025	088626	100118	108129	115186	125331	187010
006262	008549	009702	015022	021585	038137	069161	088639	100159	108157	115302	125371	187075
006278	008570	009724	015073	021626	038252	069194	088693	100693	108161	115499	125373	191017
006630	008582	009725	015192	021652	040008	069324	088711	100737	108213	115500	125449	191282
006638	008585	009732	015289	021687	040123	069546	089390	101266	108366	115516	126058	191374
006704	008596	009741	015319	021692	041082	070020	089835	102948	108384	115667	126069	191572
006733	008606	009758	015356	021727	041300	070031	090685	103087	108454	115687	127017	191640
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# International Mail

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## ICM UPDATE

### International Customized Mail

On September 6, 2000, the U.S. Postal Service (USPS) entered into an International Customized Mail (ICM) service Agreement with a qualifying mailer. In accordance with *International Mail Manual* (IMM) 294, the USPS hereby makes public the following information concerning the Agreement:

- a. Term:** September 8, 2000, through November 30, 2004.
- b. Type of mail:** *Domestic Products and Services and International Products and Services*. Every item must conform to the mailing requirements set forth in the *Domestic Mail Manual* (DMM) and *International Mail Manual* (IMM) for qualifying mail.
- c. Destination countries:** United States, its territories, and worldwide.
- d. Service provided by the Postal Service:** The Postal Service has agreed to:
  - 1. Participate with the mailer in a joint management team to monitor service performance of qualifying mail.
  - 2. Participate with the mailer in joint marketing and sales efforts for the purpose of maximizing sales.
  - 3. Provide the mailer, or mailing agent, with the training necessary to prepare qualifying mail in conformity with Postal Service requirements at a site within the continental United States.
  - 4. Provide the mailer with Priority Mail packaging materials at a location the mailer designates within the continental United States.
  - 5. Return undeliverable Priority Mail to the mailer at an address within the continental United States.
- e. Minimum volume commitment:** The Mailer has agreed to pay a minimum of \$2 million in postage annually for qualifying mail for the duration of this Agreement.

**f. Worksharing:** The mailer has agreed to:

- 1. Prepare mail in accordance with the applicable USPS requirements.
- 2. Implement a postage payment system before November 30, 2000, in accordance with the DMM, that meets the approval of the USPS rates and classification service centers and to use that system for all mailings after that date.
- 3. Make payment to the USPS in accordance with the requirements set forth in the DMM for the qualifying mail.
- 4. Provide in advance a schedule of all mailings, including the intended date and site of tender, anticipated weight, and volume, in accordance with instructions the USPS provides.
- 5. Provide the USPS with an analog telephone line allowing the USPS to monitor the manifest system.
- 6. Use a separate and unique permit for all qualifying mail.
- 7. Participate with the USPS in a joint management team to monitor service performance of qualifying mail.
- 8. Participate with the USPS in joint marketing and sales efforts for the purpose of maximizing sales.

**g. Rates:** The mailer will pay postage for qualifying mail in accordance with the applicable rates as published by the USPS at the time of tender.

— *Marketing and Sales,*  
*International Business, 10-5-00*

## ICM UPDATE

**International Customized Mail**

On September 10, 2000, the U.S. Postal Service (USPS) entered into an International Customized Mail (ICM) service Agreement with a qualifying mailer. In accordance with *International Mail Manual* (IMM) 294, the USPS hereby makes public the following information concerning the Agreement:

- a. **Term:** September 24, 2000, through October 31, 2003.
- b. **Type of mail:** *Domestic Products and Services and International Products and Services*. Every item must conform to the mailing requirements set forth in the *Domestic Mail Manual* (DMM) and *International Mail Manual* (IMM) for qualifying mail.
- c. **Destination countries:** United States, its territories, and worldwide.
- d. **Service provided by the Postal Service:** The Postal Service has agreed to:
  - 1. Participate with the mailer in a joint management team to monitor service performance of qualifying mail.
  - 2. Participate with the mailer in joint marketing and sales efforts for the purpose of maximizing sales.
  - 3. Provide the mailer, or mailing agent, with the training necessary to prepare qualifying mail in conformity with Postal Service requirements at a site within the continental United States.
  - 4. Provide the mailer with Priority Mail packaging materials at a location the mailer designates within the continental United States.
  - 5. Return undeliverable Priority Mail to the mailer at an address within the continental United States.
- e. **Minimum volume commitment:** The mailer has agreed to pay a minimum of \$2 million in postage annually for qualifying mail for the duration of this Agreement.

f. **Worksharing:** The mailer has agreed to:

- 1. Prepare mail in accordance with the applicable USPS requirements.
  - 2. Implement a postage payment system before December 31, 2000, in accordance with the DMM, that meets the approval of the USPS rates and classification service centers and to use that system for all mailings after that date.
  - 3. Make payment to the USPS in accordance with the requirements set forth in the DMM for the qualifying mail.
  - 4. Provide in advance a schedule of all mailings, including the intended date and site of tender, anticipated weight, and volume, in accordance with instructions the USPS provides.
  - 5. Provide the USPS with an analog telephone line allowing the USPS to monitor the manifest system.
  - 6. Use a separate and unique permit for all qualifying mail.
  - 7. Participate with the USPS in a joint management team to monitor service performance of qualifying mail.
  - 8. Participate with the USPS in joint marketing and sales efforts for the purpose of maximizing sales.
- g. **Rates:** The mailer will pay postage for qualifying mail in accordance with the applicable rates as published by the USPS at the time of tender.

— Marketing and Sales,  
*International Business, 10-5-00*

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## 2000 International and Military Mail Christmas Dates

In response to customers' requests for this year's Christmas mailing dates, the following recommended mailing dates are published. To ensure delivery of Christmas cards and packages to military APO/FPO addresses overseas and to international addresses, it is suggested that mail be entered by the recommended mailing dates listed below.

<b>Military Mail Addressed To</b>	<b>First-Class Letters/Cards</b>	<b>Priority Mail</b>	<b>Parcel Airlift Mail (PAL) <sup>1/</sup></b>	<b>Space Available Mail (SAM) <sup>2/</sup></b>	<b>Standard Mail</b>
APO/FPO AE ZIPs 090-098	Dec 11	Dec 11	Dec 4	Nov 27	Nov 6
APO/FPO AA ZIPs 340	Dec 11	Dec 11	Dec 4	Nov 27	Nov 6
APO/FPO AP ZIPs 962-966	Dec 11	Dec 11	Dec 4	Nov 27	Nov 6

1/ PAL: A special service that provides air transportation for parcels on a space-available basis. PAL is available for Standard Mail not exceeding 30 pounds or 60 inches in length and girth combined. The applicable PAL fee must be paid in addition to the regular surface rate of postage for each addressed piece sent by PAL service.

2/ SAM: Parcels paid at Standard Mail postage rates are first transported domestically by surface and then to overseas destinations by air on a space-available basis. The maximum weight and size limits are 15 pounds and 60 inches in length and girth combined.

<b>International Mail Addressed To</b>	<b>Air Letters &amp; Cards</b>	<b>Air Parcel Post</b>	<b>Surface</b>
Africa	Dec 4	Dec 4	Oct 27
Asia/Pacific Rim	Dec 11	Dec 11	Nov 3
Australia/New Zealand	Dec 11	Dec 11	Nov 3
Canada	Dec 15	Dec 15	Nov 24
Caribbean	Dec 11	Dec 11	Nov 11
Central & South America	Dec 4	Dec 4	Nov 3
Mexico	Dec 11	Dec 11	Nov 11
Europe	Dec 11	Dec 11	Nov 11
Middle East	Dec 11	Dec 11	Oct 27

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STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT 00-39

## New York Public Library Lion Stamp



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The Postal Service will issue a nondenominated *New York Public Library Lion* presorted standard (10-cent value) stamp (Item Number 791800) in New York, NY, on November 9, 2000. The stamp, designed by Carl Herrman of Carlsbad, CA, and illustrated by Nancy Stahl of New York, NY, goes on sale nationwide November 10, 2000.

This stamp features one of the two lions guarding the entrance to the New York Public Library. Sculpted by Edward Clark Potter, these trademarked beasts — nicknamed *Patience* and *Fortitude* — have been adopted by the library as official mascots.

### How to Order the First Day of Issue Postmark

Customers have 30 days to obtain the first day of issue postmark by mail. They may purchase the new stamps at their local post office, affix the stamps to envelopes of their choice (postage must equal the current First-Class Mail rate), address the envelopes (to themselves or others), and place them in a larger envelope addressed to:

NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY LION STAMP  
SPECIAL EVENTS UNIT  
PO BOX 2001  
NEW YORK NY 10116-2001

Issue:	<i>New York Public Library Lion</i>
Item Number:	791800
Denomination & Type of Issue:	Nondenominated Presorted Standard (10-cent value)
Format:	Coil of 10,000 (one design)
Series:	N/A
Issue Date & City:	November 9, 2000, New York, NY 10199
Photographer:	N/A
Designer:	Carl Herrman, Carlsbad, CA
Engraver:	Armotek Industries
Illustrator:	Nancy Stahl, New York, NY
Art Director:	Carl Herrman, Carlsbad, CA
Typographer:	Carl Herrman, Carlsbad, CA
Modeler:	Donald H. Woo
Manufacturing Process:	Gravure
Printer:	Sennett Security Products (SSP)
Printed at:	American Packaging Corporation, Columbus, WI
Press Type:	Rotomec, 3000
Stamps per Coil/Pane:	10,000
Print Quantity:	100 million stamps
Paper Type:	Nonphosphored, Type III
Gum Type:	Self-adhesive
Processed at:	Unique Binders, Fredericksburg, VA
Colors:	PMS 5477 (Blue), PMS 155 (Beige), PMS 402 (Grey), PMS 417 (Grey), Black
Stamp Orientation:	Vertical
Image Area (w x h):	0.71 x 0.82 in./18.03 x 20.82 mm
Overall Size (w x h):	0.87 x 0.982 in./22.09 x 24.94 mm
Full Pane Size (w x h):	N/A
Plate Size:	252
Plate Numbers:	"S" followed by five (5) single digits
Marginal Markings:	N/A
Coil Back Number Frequency:	Every 10th stamp
Catalog Item Number(s):	791840 Full Coil of 10,000 — \$1,000.00 791830 Strip of 25 — \$2.50 791862 First Day Cover — \$0.64
Sale Date:	November 9, 2000
Nationwide Sale Date:	November 10, 2000

After applying the first day of issue postmark, the Postal Service will return the envelopes through the mail. There is no charge for the postmark. All orders must be postmarked by December 9, 2000.

Stamp Fulfillment Services (SFS) also offers first day covers for new stamp issues and postal stationery items postmarked with the official first day of issue cancellation. Each item has an individual catalog number and is offered in the quarterly *USA Philatelic* catalog. Customers may request a free catalog by telephoning 1 800 STAMP-24 or writing to:

INFORMATION FULFILLMENT  
DEPT 6270  
US POSTAL SERVICE  
PO BOX 219014  
KANSAS CITY MO 64121-9014

First day covers remain on sale for at least one year after the stamp's issuance.

### Philatelic Products

There are no philatelic products associated with this stamp issue.

### Distribution

Stamp distribution offices (SDOs) will receive a small automatic distribution of this nondenominated *New York Public Library Lion* pressure-sensitive adhesive coil of 10,000. Master carton size is 10 coils.

### Initial Supply to Post Offices

Post offices requiring quantities of this item must order them from their designated SDO using a separate PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*. SDOs must not distribute stamps to post offices before November 2, 2000.

### Additional Supply

Post offices requiring additional coils must requisition them from their designated SDO using PS Form 17. SDOs requiring additional coils must order them from the appropriate accountable paper depository (APD) using PS Form 17.

For fulfilling supplemental orders from SDOs, the Washington, New York, and Chicago APDs will receive 1,200 additional coils; the San Francisco and Memphis APDs will receive 800 additional coils; and the Denver APD will receive 400 additional coils.

### Philatelic Requirement

Philatelic centers requiring these coils must order them from their designated SDO using PS Form 17.

— *Stamp Services, 10-5-00*

### UPDATE

## Stamp Announcement 00-35 — Edward G. Robinson Commemorative Stamp

The *Edward G. Robinson* commemorative stamp, Item Number 440300, was not issued on September 14, 2000, as announced in *Postal Bulletin* 22030 (8-10-00). This stamp will be issued on October 24, 2000, in Los Angeles, CA. The nationwide sale date for this stamp is October 25, 2000.

### How to Order the First Day of Issue Postmark

Customers have 30 days to obtain the first day of issue postmark by mail. They may purchase the new stamps at their local post office, affix the stamps to envelopes of their choice, address the envelopes (to themselves or others), and place them in a larger envelope addressed to:

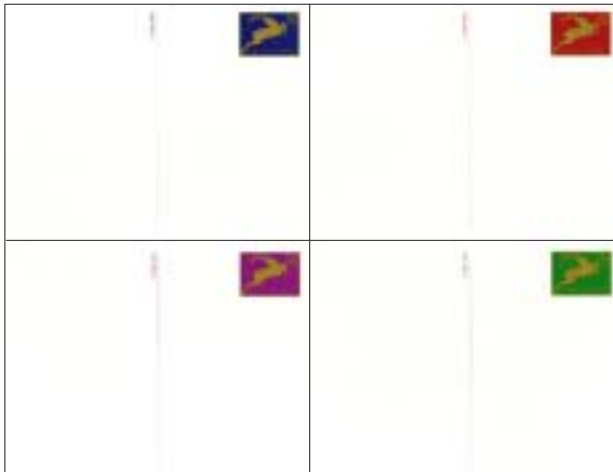
EDWARD G ROBINSON COMMEMORATIVE STAMP  
POSTMASTER  
7001 S CENTRAL AVE  
LOS ANGELES CA 90001-9991

After applying the first day of issue postmark, the Postal Service will return the envelopes through the mail. There is no charge for the postmark. All orders must be postmarked by November 24, 2000.

— *Stamp Services, 10-5-00*

STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT 00-40

**Holiday Greetings (Deer) Stamps and Postal Stamped Cards**



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The *Holiday Greetings (Deer)* stamp issue as described in stamp announcement 99-46 in *Postal Bulletin 22007* (9-23-99) will be reprinted in panes of 20 (Item Number 558600) and booklets of 20 (Item Number 663700).

**Philatelic Products**

The Postal Service will also issue 20-cent postal stamped cards with the *Holiday Greetings (Deer)* design at post offices and postal retail stores in Rudolph, WI, on October 12, 2000, and nationwide on October 13, 2000.

The postal stamped cards will be available in five sheets of four cards each for \$8.95. The item numbers for the postal stamped cards available from various locations are noted below:

- Post offices: Item Number 896400
- Postal retail stores: Item Number 896401
- USA Philatelic catalog: Item Number 558666

The postal stamped cards may also be ordered by telephone at 1 800 STAMP-24, by fax at 816-545-1212, and by mail addressed to:

STAMP FULFILLMENT SERVICES  
 US POSTAL SERVICE  
 PO BOX 7247  
 PHILADELPHIA PA 19101-9014

**How to Order the First Day of Issue Postmark**

Customers have 30 days to obtain the first day of issue postmark by mail. They may purchase the new postal stamped cards at their local post office, address the postal stamped cards (to themselves or others), and place them in a large envelope addressed to:

HOLIDAY GREETINGS DEER POSTAL STAMPED CARD  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 9998  
 RUDOLPH WI 54475-9998

After applying the first day of issue postmark, the Postal Service will return the postal stamped cards through the mail. There is no charge for the postmark. All orders must be postmarked by November 11, 2000.

Stamp Fulfillment Services (SFS) also offers first day covers for new stamp issues and postal stationery items postmarked with the official first day of issue cancellation. Each item has an individual catalog number and is offered in the quarterly *USA Philatelic* catalog. Customers may request a free catalog by telephoning 1 800 STAMP-24 or writing to:

INFORMATION FULFILLMENT  
 DEPT 6270  
 US POSTAL SERVICE  
 PO BOX 219014  
 KANSAS CITY MO 64121-9014

First day covers remain on sale for at least one year after the stamp's issuance.

**Distribution**

**PSA Pane of 20 (Item Number 558600)**

Stamp distribution offices (SDOs) will receive a full distribution of their standard automatic distribution quantities for a PSA sheet stamp. Distributions are rounded up to the nearest master carton size (40,000 stamps).

### Supply to Post Offices

The Minnesota Information Systems Service Center (MNISSC) will use PS Form 3309, *Advice of Shipment/Stamp Invoice*, to automatically distribute this stamp to post offices. The SDOs will make a subsequent automatic distribution to post offices for full automatic distribution quantities using PS Form 3309 and PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*.

### Additional Supply

For filling supplemental orders from SDOs, the San Francisco, New York, Chicago, and Washington APDs will receive 800,000 additional stamps; the Memphis APD will receive 520,000 additional stamps; and the Denver APD will receive 360,000 additional stamps.

### Philatelic Requirement

SDOs with authorized philatelic centers will receive an automatic distribution of these stamps in six positions for subsequent automatic distribution to each philatelic window.

SDOs That Serve This Many Philatelic Windows	Will Receive This Quantity of the <i>Holiday Greetings (Deer) Stamp, Item 558600</i>
1	12,000
2	24,000
3	36,000
4	48,000
5	60,000
6	72,000
7	84,000
8	96,000
9	108,000
12	144,000
14	168,000
16	192,000
19	228,000
20	240,000

### PSA Booklet of 20 (Item Number 663700)

SDOs will receive three-quarters of their standard quantity for convertible self-adhesive booklets, rounded up to the nearest master carton size (4,000 booklets).

### Supply to Post Offices

MNISSC will *not* use PS Form 3309, *Advice of Shipment/Stamps Invoice*, to automatically distribute these booklets to post offices. To obtain a supply, post offices must immediately submit PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*, to their designated SDOs.

### Additional Supply

For filling supplemental orders, the New York, Washington, Chicago, and San Francisco APDs will receive 4,200,000 additional booklets; the Memphis APD will receive 3,388,000 additional booklets; and the Denver APD will receive 1,136,000 additional booklets.

### Philatelic Requirement

SDOs with authorized philatelic centers will *not* receive an automatic distribution of their standard philatelic quantity of these convertible self-adhesive booklets for subsequent automatic distribution to each philatelic center.

### Sales Policy

All post offices must acquire and maintain a supply of each booklet until it is officially withdrawn from sale. If supplies run low, post offices must reorder additional quantities using their normal procedures.

— *Stamp Services, 10-5-00*

### Pictorial Cancellations Announcement

As a community service, the Postal Service offers pictorial cancellations to commemorate local events celebrated in communities throughout the nation. A list of events for which pictorial cancellations are authorized appears below. If available, the sponsor of the pictorial cancellation appears in italics under the date. Also provided, as space permits, are illustrations of those cancellations that were reproducible and available at press time.

People attending these local events may obtain the cancellation in person at the temporary post office station established there. Those who cannot attend the event, but who wish to obtain the cancellation, may submit a mail order request. Pictorial cancellations are available only for the dates indicated, and *requests must be post-marked no later than 30 days following the requested pictorial cancellation date.*

All requests must include a stamped envelope or postcard bearing at least the minimum First-Class Mail postage (33 cents per envelope or 20 cents per postcard).

Items submitted for cancellation may not include postage issued after the date of the requested cancellation. Such items will be returned unserved.

Customers wishing to obtain a cancellation should affix stamps to any envelope or postcard of their choice, address the envelope or postcard to themselves or others, insert a card of postcard thickness in envelopes for sturdiness, and tuck in the flap. Place the envelope or postcard in a larger envelope and address it to: PICTORIAL CANCELLATIONS, followed by the NAME OF THE STATION, ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP + 4 CODE, exactly as listed below (using all capitals and no punctuation, except the hyphen in the ZIP + 4 code).

Customers can also send stamped envelopes and postcards without addresses for cancellation, as long as they supply a larger envelope with adequate postage and their return address. After applying the pictorial cancellation, the Postal Service returns the items (with or without addresses) under addressed protective cover.

The following pictorial cancellation has been extended for 30 days.



BIRMINGHAM PLEDGE STATION  
SEPTEMBER 10, 2000  
BIRMINGHAM AL 35203

September 11, 2000  
BIRMINGHAM PLEDGE STATION  
POSTMASTER  
351 24TH ST N  
BIRMINGHAM AL 35203-9813



California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Auburn CA 95603

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
AUBURN CA 95603-9998



California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Downieville CA 95936

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
DOWNEVILLE CA 95936-9998



California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Colusa CA 95932

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
COLUSA CA 95932-9998



California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Jackson CA 95642

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
JACKSON CA 95642-9998



**California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Marysville CA 95901**

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
MARYSVILLE CA 95901-9998



**California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Red Bluff CA 96080**

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
RED BLUFF CA 96080-9998



**California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Merced CA 95340**

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
MERCED CA 95340-9998



**California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Redding CA 96049**

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
REDDING CA 96049-9998



**California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Modesto CA 95354**

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
MODESTO CA 95354-9998



**California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
San Andreas CA 95249**

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
SAN ANDREAS CA 95249-9998



**California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Nevada City CA 95959**

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
NEVADA CITY CA 95959-9998



**California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Sacramento CA 95814**

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
SACRAMENTO CA 95814-9998



**California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Oroville CA 95965**

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
OROVILLE CA 95965-9998



**California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Sonora CA 95370**

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
SONORA CA 95370-9998



**California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Placerville CA 95667**

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
PLACERVILLE CA 95667-9998



**California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Stockton CA 95202**

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
STOCKTON CA 95202-9998



**California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Quincy CA 95971**

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
QUINCY CA 95971-9998



**California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Weaverville CA 96093**

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
WEAVERVILLE CA 96093-9998



California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Willows CA 95988

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
WILLOWS CA 95988-9998



September 15, 2000  
Princeton In 47670  
A Princeton Area Betterment Project

September 15, 2000  
Princeton Area Betterment Project  
GOLDEN HERITAGE FESTIVAL  
STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
PRINCETON IN 47670-9998



California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Woodland CA 95695

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
WOODLAND CA 95695-9998



SEPT. 15, 2000

September 15-17, 2000  
Field Day of the Past  
FIELD DAY OF THE PAST  
STATION  
POSTMASTER  
16590 POUNCEY TRACT RD  
ROCKVILLE VA 23146-9998



California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Yreka CA 96097

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
YREKA CA 96097-9998



DENBIGH  
DAY  
STATION

Sept. 16, 2000

September 16, 2000  
Lions Club  
DENBIGH DAY STATION  
POSTMASTER  
101 25TH ST  
NEWPORT NEWS VA  
23607-9998



California Statehood  
Sesquicentennial Station  
1850 - 2000  
September 9, 2000  
Yuba City CA 95993

September 9, 2000  
CALIFORNIA STATEHOOD  
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
YUBA CITY CA 95993-9998



SEPTEMBER 16, 2000

September 16, 2000  
FORESTHILL  
SESQUICENTENNIAL  
STATION  
POSTMASTER  
24035 RACETRACK ST  
FORESTHILL CA 95631-9998

CLAY COUNTY FAIR STA.



"WORLD'S GREATEST"  
SPENCER, IA 51301

September 9-17, 2000  
CLAY COUNTY FAIR STATION  
POSTMASTER  
11 E 18TH ST  
SPENCER IA 51301-9998



FOUNDERS DAY  
STATION  
SEPTEMBER 16, 2000  
CARMICHAEL CA 95608

September 16, 2000  
FOUNDERS DAY STATION  
POSTMASTER  
6029 FAIR OAKS BLVD  
CARMICHAEL CA 95608-9998



SPACE STATION  
Palisades Postal Store  
September 15, 2000  
West Nyack, NY 10994

September 15, 2000  
SPACE STATION  
POSTMASTER  
3301 PALISADES CENTER DR  
WEST NYACK NY 10994-6603



SEPT. 19, 2000 • Thornburg, VA 22565

September 19, 2000  
Thornburg Post Office  
200TH ANNIVERSARY STATION  
POSTMASTER  
5314 MUDD TAVERN RD  
THORNBURG VA 22565-9998



EDINBURG  
OLE' TIME FESTIVAL  
STATION

September 15, 2000  
Edinburg Community  
EDINBURG OLE TIME FESTIVAL  
STATION  
POSTMASTER  
205 N MAIN ST  
EDINBURG VA 22824-9998



100th  
Anniversary  
Station

SEPTEMBER 20, 2000  
Wicomico, VA 23184

September 20, 2000  
Wicomico Post Office  
100TH ANNIVERSARY STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
WICOMICCO VA 23184-9998

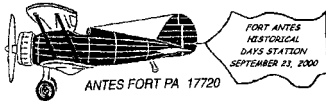


September 22-24, 2000  
 RIVER CITY ROUNDUP &  
 RODEO STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 1124 PACIFIC ST  
 OMAHA NE 68102-9998

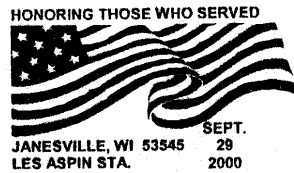
**Class of 1950**  
 Station  
 September 29, 2000  
 Bentonville, AR 72712



September 29, 2000  
 Bentonville High School Class of  
 1950  
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 POSTMASTER  
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 BENTONVILLE AR 72712-9998



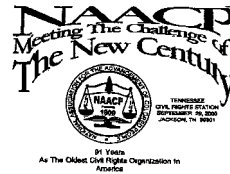
September 23, 2000  
 Nippenose Township Board of  
 Supervisors  
 FORT ANTES HISTORICAL  
 DAYS STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 9998  
 ANTES FORT PA 17720-9998



September 29, 2000  
 LES ASPIN STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 9998  
 JANESVILLE WI 53545-9998



September 23, 2000  
 Legion Club  
 LEGION BUILDING STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 515 BROADWAY  
 JOHANNESBURG CA  
 93528-9998



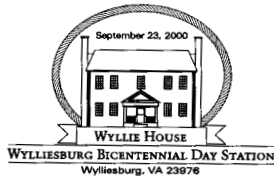
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 NAACP  
 TENNESSEE CIVIL RIGHTS  
 STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 200 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR  
 BLVD  
 JACKSON TN 38301-9998



September 23, 2000  
 Lake Minnetonka Stamp Club  
 TONKAPEX STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 9998  
 HOPKINS MN 55343-9998



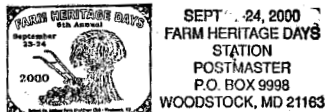
September 29-October 1, 2000  
 Celtic Classic — Highland Games  
 & Festival  
 CELTIC FEST STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 65 E ELIZABETH AVE  
 BETHLEHEM PA 18016-9998



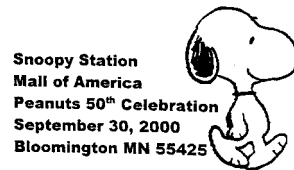
September 23, 2000  
 Wylliesburg Community  
 WYLLIESBURG BICENTENNIAL  
 DAY STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 9998  
 WYLLIESBURG VA 23976-9998



September 30, 2000  
 WAUSAPEX STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 9998  
 WAUSAU WI 54403-9998



September 23-24, 2000  
 Howard County Antique Farm  
 Machinery Club  
 FARM HERITAGE DAYS  
 STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 9998  
 WOODSTOCK MD 21163-9998



September 30, 2000  
 Postmark America & USPS  
 Headquarters  
 SNOOPY STATION  
 POSTMASTER — STAMP SHOP  
 100 S 1ST ST  
 MINNEAPOLIS MN 55401-9635



September 26, 2000  
 Silver Spring Philatelic Society  
 SSPS STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 12010 PLUM ORCHARD DR  
 SILVER SPRING MD  
 20904-9998

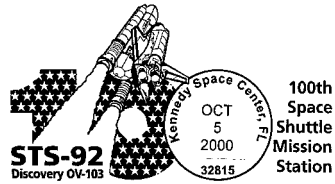


September 30, 2000  
 Jackson Philatelic Society  
 JACKSON PHILATELIC  
 SOCIETY STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 401 SOUTH ST  
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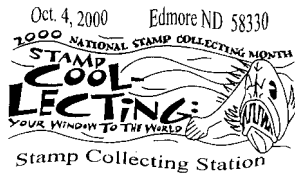




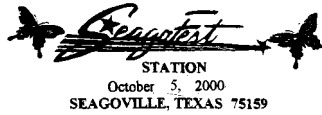
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MISSION STATION  
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PO BOX 9998  
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October 4, 2000  
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STAMP COLLECTING STATION  
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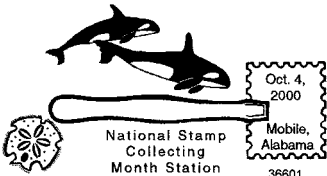
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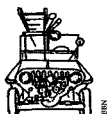
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MOBILE AL 36601-9913



October 5-7, 2000  
*King Biscuit Blues Festival*  
KING BISCUIT BLUES FESTIVAL  
STATION  
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PO BOX 9998  
HELENA AR 72342-9998



Fire Prevention 2000  
Peacham Fire Station  
October 5, 2000  
Peacham VT 05862  
Peacham Volunteer Fire Department  
50th Anniversary  
1950-2000

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*Peacham Volunteer Fire Department*  
PEACHAM FIRE STATION  
POSTMASTER  
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October 5-8, 2000  
20TH ANNUAL TUSCOLA  
COUNTY PUMPKIN FESTIVAL  
STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
CARO MI 48723-9998

October 5, 2000  
Sloan Digital Sky Survey Dedication



Apache Point Observatory  
Sunspot, NM Station 88349

October 5, 2000  
SUNSPOT NM STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
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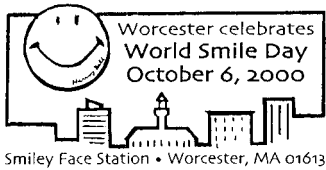
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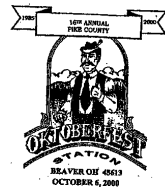


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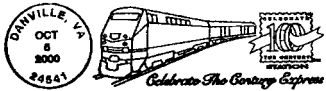
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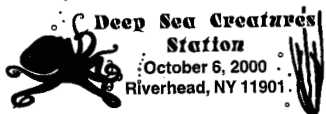
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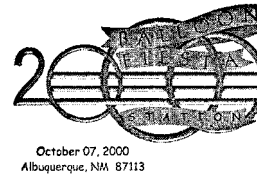
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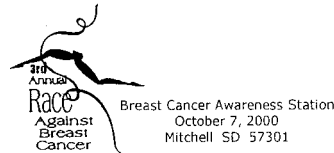
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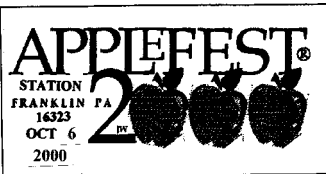
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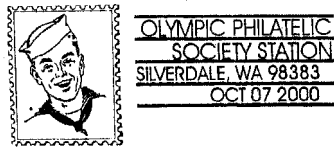
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October 7, 2000  
 Avera Queen of Peace Auxiliary  
 BREAST CANCER AWARENESS  
 STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 9998  
 SALEM SD 57058-9998



October 6-7, 2000  
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 Commerce  
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 FRANKLIN PA 16323-9998



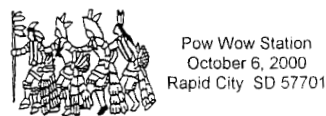
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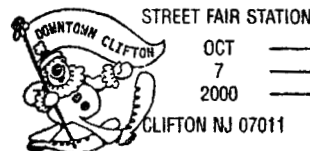
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October 7, 2000  
 Sierra Madre Historical  
 Preservation Society  
 STRAINS CAMP STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 61 S BALDWIN AVE  
 SIERRA MADRE CA 91024-9998



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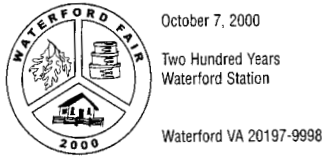
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POSTMASTER  
336 E NEW YORK AVE  
DELAND FL 32724-9998



October 7, 2000  
*Life Teen*  
WALK AGAINST BREAST  
CANCER STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
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October 7, 2000  
200 YEARS STATION  
POSTMASTER  
40175 MAIN ST  
WATERFORD VA 20197-9998



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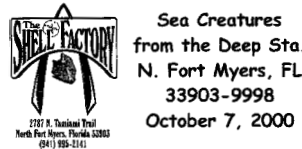
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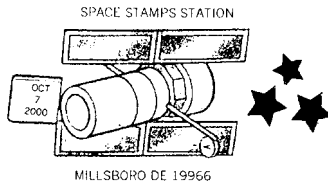
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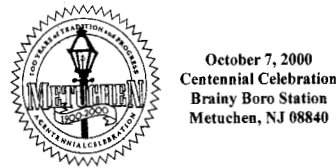
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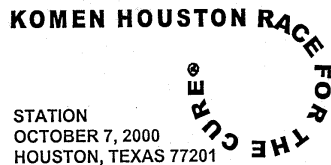
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SPACE STAMPS STATION  
POSTMASTER  
100 MAIN ST  
MILLSBORO DE 19966-9998



October 7, 2000  
*Metuchen Centennial Committee*  
BRAINY BORO STATION  
POSTMASTER  
195 CENTRAL AVE  
METUCHEN NJ 08840-9997



October 7, 2000  
*Komen Houston*  
KOMEN HOUSTON RACE FOR  
THE CURE STATION  
WINDOW UNIT  
401 FRANKLIN ST  
HOUSTON TX 77201-9998



October 7-8, 2000  
36TH NATIONAL APPLE  
HARVEST FESTIVAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
26 S HIGH ST  
ARENDSVILLE PA 17303-9998



October 7, 2000  
*Monticell-Wayne County  
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STATION  
POSTMASTER  
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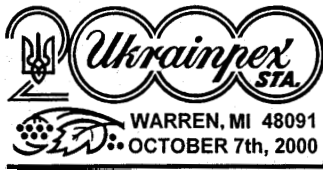
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23607-9998



October 7-8, 2000  
**STUCK ON STAMPS STATION**  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 9998  
 HARBERT MI 49115-9998



October 7-8, 2000  
**JOHNNY APPLESEED DAY**  
 STATION  
 PARADISE CA 95969  
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**JOHNNY APPLESEED DAY**  
 STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 6469 CLARK RD  
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October 7-8, 2000  
*Ukrainian Philatelic & Numismatic Society*  
**UKRAINPEX STATION**  
 POSTMASTER  
 28401 MOUND RD  
 WARREN MI 48091-9998



October 7-9, 2000  
**ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW**  
 STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 9998  
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**Huntsburg Pumpkin Festival Station**  
 October 8, 2000  
 Huntsburg, OH 44046

October 7-8, 2000  
*Huntsburg Pumpkin Festival*  
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 GREGG DAVIS  
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 HUNTSBURG OH 44046-9998



October 8, 2000  
**WOOLLYBEAR STATION**  
 VERMILION OH 44089

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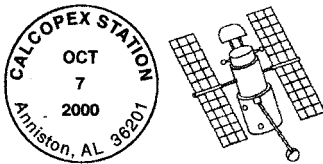
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October 8, 2000  
*Meadows of Dan Ruritan Club*  
**PANCAKE DAYS STATION**  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 9998  
 MEADOWS OF DAN VA 24120-9998



October 7-8, 2000  
**CALCOPEX STATION**  
 POSTMASTER  
 1101 QUINTARD AVE  
 ANNISTON AL 36201-9998



October 9, 2000  
**USS COLUMBIA 5TH COMMISSIONING ANNIVERSARY STATION**  
 POSTMASTER  
 100 PLAZA CT  
 GROTON CT 06340-9998



October 7-8, 2000  
**FORT ROWDY STATION**  
 POSTMASTER  
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 COVINGTON OH 45318-9998



October 10, 2000  
*Connecticut Valley Stamp Club*  
**WASHINGTON FAIR STATION**  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 9998  
 WASHINGTON VT 05675-9998



October 7-8, 2000  
**APPLE 'N CHEESE FESTIVAL STATION**  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 9998  
 CANTON PA 17724-9998

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 OCTOBER 10, 2000



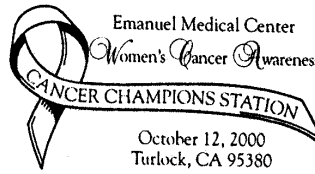
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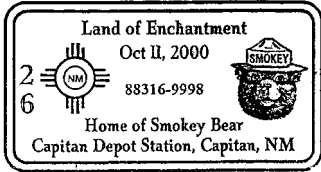


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October 10-14, 2000  
The Miss America Organization  
MISS AMERICA STATION  
POSTMASTER  
1701 PACIFIC AVE  
ATLANTIC CITY NJ 08401-9998



October 12, 2000  
CANCER CHAMPIONS STATION  
POSTMASTER  
555 E MAIN ST  
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October 11, 2000  
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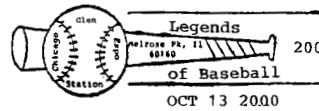


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Norsk Høstfest  
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Minot, ND U.S.A.  
58701  
October 11, 2000

October 11-14, 2000  
NORSK HOSTFEST STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
MINOT ND 58701-9998



October 13-14, 2000  
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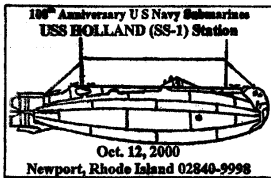
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EXPLORER POST 700  
HISTORIC STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
PORT CHESTER NY  
10573-9998



DISTRICT 11 ALUMNI  
ASSOCIATION STATION  
SHIDLER OK 74652

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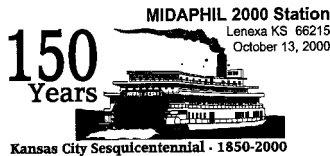
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October 13-14, 2000  
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Commerce  
OAKLAND FESTIVAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
22 S SECOND ST  
OAKLAND MD 21550-9998



October 12, 2000  
USS Holland Interim Committee  
USS HOLLAND STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
BERKELEY HEIGHTS NJ  
07922-9998



October 13-15, 2000  
MIDAPHIL  
MIDAPHIL 2000 STATION  
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Yonkers  
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October 12, 2000

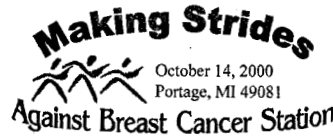
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October 13-15, 2000  
Bob Evans Farm  
FARM FESTIVAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
408 W COLLEGE ST  
RIO GRANDE OH 45674-9998

**15th Annual  
Sherman's Valley  
Heritage Days Station  
Blain, PA 17006  
October 13, 2000**

October 13-15, 2000  
*Heritage Days Committee*  
15TH ANNUAL SHERMANS  
VALLEY HERITAGE DAYS  
STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
BLAIN PA 17006-9998



October 14, 2000  
MAKING STRIDES AGAINST  
BREAST CANCER STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
PORTAGE MI 49081-9998

**75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Station  
October 14, 2000  
Valley Stream, NY 11580**



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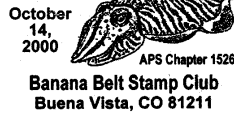


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TRI STATE COLLECTORS  
EXHIBITION POSTAL STATION  
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12 LOUDON ROAD UNIT 3  
CONCORD NH 03301-9998



October 14, 2000  
*Benson Chamber of Commerce*  
BENSON TO DRAGON  
STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
DRAGON AZ 85609-9998

**Celebrating Stamp Collecting  
Month Station**



October 14, 2000  
*Banana Belt Stamp Club*  
BANANA BELT STATION  
POSTMASTER  
110 BROOKDALE AVE  
BUENA VISTA CO 81211-9616



October 14, 2000  
*Talbotton Chamber of Commerce*  
FALL LINE FESTIVAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
TALBOTTON GA 31827-9998



October 14, 2000  
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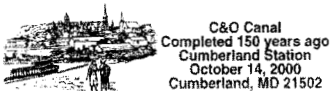


**TURKEYFEST STATION**  
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CUERO, TX 77954

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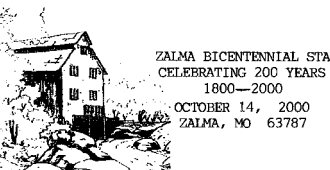
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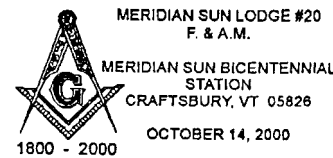
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October 14, 2000  
*Town of Watertown*  
TOWN OF WATERTOWN  
BICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
232 COMMERCE PARK DR  
WATERTOWN NY 13601-9998



October 14, 2000  
*Village of Zalma*  
ZALMA BICENTENNIAL  
STATION  
POSTMASTER  
450 MAIN ST  
ZALMA MO 63787-9998



October 14, 2000  
*Masons*  
MERIDIAN SUN STATION  
POSTMASTER  
118 S CRAFTSBURY RD  
CRAFTSBURY VT 05826-9998



Fall Fire Prevention Fest Station Oct. 14 2000

October 14, 2000  
 Greenfield Fire Department  
 FALL FIRE PREVENTION FEST  
 STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
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 GREENFIELD TN 38230-9998



36<sup>th</sup> National Apple Harvest  
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 October 7, 2000

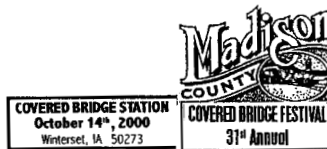
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**Celebrating Stamp Collecting Month Station**

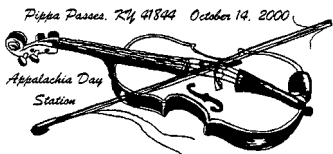


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 Rochester Philatelic Association  
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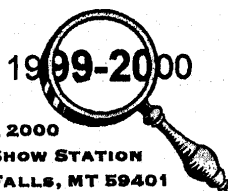
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Pippa Passes, KY 41844 October 14, 2000

Appalachia Day  
 Station

October 14, 2000  
 Appalachia Day Homecoming  
 Committee  
 APPALACHIA DAY STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
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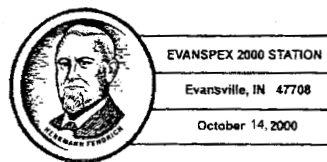
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October 14-15, 2000  
 Great Falls Stamp Club  
 STAMP SHOW STATION  
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 PO BOX 9998  
 GREAT FALLS MT 59401-9998



MILLENNIUM CAMPOREE STATION  
 2000  
 HANSETT COUNCIL  
 OCTOBER 14, 2000  
 CAROLINA, RI 02812

October 14, 2000  
 Boy Scouts of America  
 MILLENNIUM CAMPOREE  
 STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 790 ALTON CAROLINA RD  
 CAROLINA RI 02812-9998



EVANSPEX 2000 STATION  
 Evansville, IN 47708  
 October 14, 2000

October 14-15, 2000  
 Evansville Stamp Club  
 EVANSPEX 2000 STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 9998  
 EVANSVILLE IN 47708-9998



Turkey Track Station  
 23rd Annual  
 Harvest Time  
 Bluegrass Music Festival  
 October 14, 2000  
 Wadon, Arkansas 72808

October 14, 2000  
 Harvest Time Bluegrass Music  
 Festival  
 TURKEY TRACK STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 500 WASHINGTON ST  
 WALDRON AR 72958-9998

WYBREG VILLAGE  
 RENAISSANCE FESTIVAL  
 STAMP STATION  
 BONAPARTE IA 52620  
 OCTOBER 15, 2000



October 15, 2000  
 The Renaissance Foundation  
 WYBREG VILLAGE FESTIVAL  
 STAMP STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 9998  
 BONAPARTE IA 52620-9998



METROPEX STATION  
 OCTOBER 14, 2000  
 ST. PAUL MN 55106

October 14-15, 2000  
 Maplewood Stamp Club  
 METROPEX STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 1530 MARYLAND AVE  
 ST PAUL MN 55106-9998



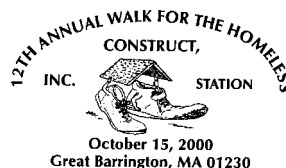
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 Show Station  
 October 15, 2000  
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 Tri-State Stamp Club  
 TRI STATE STAMP CLUB SHOW  
 STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
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 DUBUQUE IA 52001-9998



Cuy-LorPex 2000 Station  
 Rocky River, OH 44116  
 October 14, 2000

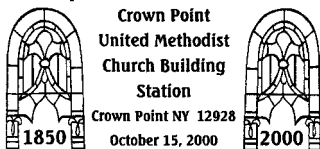
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 MARKETING SPECIAL  
 CANCELS  
 2200 ORANGE AVE 206  
 CLEVELAND OH 44101-9996



12TH ANNUAL WALK FOR THE HOMELES  
 CONSTRUCT,  
 INC. STATION  
 October 15, 2000  
 Great Barrington, MA 01230

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 Construct, Inc.  
 GREAT BARRINGTON STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 222 MAIN ST  
 GREAT BARRINGTON MA  
 01230-9998

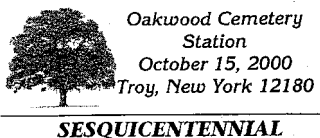
~ Sesquicentennial Celebration ~



October 15, 2000  
 Crown Point United Methodist Church  
 CROWN POINT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH BUILDING  
 SESQUICENTENNIAL CELEBRATION STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 9998  
 CROWN POINT NY 12928-9998



October 15, 2000  
 Meadows of Dan Ruritan Club  
 PANCAKE DAYS STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 9998  
 MEADOWS OF DAN VA  
 24120-9998



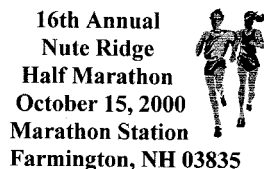
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 OAKWOOD CEMETERY SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 400 BROADWAY  
 TROY NY 12180-9998



Wayland Community Church Bldg.  
 150th Anniversary Sta.  
 October 16, 2000  
 P.O. Box 9  
 Wayland, OH 44285

Serving the Community since 1850

October 16, 2000  
 Wayland Community Church  
 WAYLAND COMMUNITY CHURCH BUILDING 150TH ANNIVERSARY STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 6243 WAYLAND RD  
 WAYLAND OH 44285-9998



October 15, 2000  
 Farmington Parks & Recreation  
 MARATHON STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 6 PLEASANT ST  
 FARMINGTON NH 03835-9998



October 18-21, 2000  
 PUMPKIN SHOW STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 224 S COURT ST  
 CIRCLEVILLE OH 43113-9998

— Stamp Services, 10-5-00

**Special Cancellation Die Hubs**

Postmasters and plant managers who have any of the special cancellation die hubs listed below may use them for the periods designated. At the end of the period, these die

hubs must be withdrawn and stored. Postmasters and plant managers who do not have these special die hubs may not request them from the sponsors.

Cancellation	Period of Use
Only You Can Prevent Forest Fires	April 1–Oct. 31
Peace Corps Anniversary, Making a Difference	Sept. 1–Oct. 31
Employ People With Disabilities	Sept. 1–Nov. 30
Give to the United Way	Sept. 15–Nov. 15
Learn About Lupus, October Is Lupus Awareness Month	Oct. 1–Oct. 31
Radon Action Week, Protect Your Family, Test Your Home	Oct. 1–Oct. 31
Support Infection Control Week	Oct. 1–Nov. 30
Help Retarded Children	Nov. 1–Nov. 30
Military Families Recognition Day	Nov. 1–Nov. 30
National Adoption Month	Nov. 1–Nov. 30
National Philanthropy Day, Love of Humankind	Nov. 1–Nov. 30
Use Christmas Seals, Support Your Lung Association	Nov. 8–Dec. 31
Support American Education Week	Nov. 10–Nov. 30
Autistic Children, Hope Through Research and Education	Dec. 1–Dec. 31

— Mail Preparation and Standards, Pricing and Product Design, 10-5-00



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## Post Offices

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### NOTICE

#### Use of No. 2 Domestic Canvas Pouches

Mail processing offices are notified that until further notice, No. 2 domestic canvas pouches are to be used only to transport registered mail. This restriction means that you may not issue empty No. 2 domestic pouches to commercial mailers for any reason.

Your assistance in conserving our inventory No. 2 domestic pouches is appreciated.

— Mail Transport Equipment,  
Network Operations Management, 10-5-00

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### NOTICE

#### Retrieval of Plastic Label Holders

Mail Transport Equipment has been notified that postal facility opening units (LDC 010) are not saving the plastic label holders used to close and address plastic sacks destined at their locations. It has also been noted that the national inventory of plastic label holders has fallen *far* below the inventory levels of sacks on which they are used.

*Plastic label holders are reusable — do not throw them away.* They should also never be intentionally removed from the draw tapes of the sacks on which they are attached. After each plastic sack is emptied, the label must be removed from the label holder, and the sack/label holder combination must be prepared for return to the serving mail transport equipment service center.

Consolidate label holders found to be separated from their sacks for return to the mail transport equipment service center, along with the sacks. Contact your serving area mail transport equipment specialist for site-specific shipping information.

— Mail Transport Equipment,  
Network Operations Management, 10-5-00

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This office  
will be closed  
**Saturday,**  
**November 11, 2000,**  
to observe  
**Veterans Day.**

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# Postal Employees

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## Equipment Maintenance Allowance Schedule for Rural Routes

### Rural Carriers

In accordance with provisions of Article 9, Section 2.J.3 of the Rural Carrier National Agreement, effective October 7, 2000 (pay period 22-00), the equipment maintenance allowance (EMA) will decrease from 39.0 cents per mile to 38.5 cents per mile.

The EMA is now the greater amount of 38.5 cents per mile or a minimum of \$15.40 per day.

### Auxiliary Rural Carriers, Rural Carrier Reliefs, Rural Carrier Associates, Rural Carrier Part-Time Flexibles, and Auxiliary Assistance

Employees providing auxiliary assistance or serving auxiliary routes under provisions of Article 9, Section 2.J.5, receive an EMA of 38.5 cents per mile or \$4.45 per hour, whichever is greater, not to exceed the amount provided in the special equipment maintenance for the route stops and miles.

### EMA Rate Schedule

The EMA rate schedule on pages 56–57 supersedes all previously published EMA schedules for employees receiving EMA.

### Optional EMA Rate

The optional EMA rate, effective November 7, 1998, remains at \$0.55 cents per mile.

— *Collective Bargaining and Arbitration,  
Labor Relations, 10-5-00*





RURAL EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE

R A T E S C H E D U L E

BASED ON \$0.385 PER MILE EFFECTIVE PP-YR 22-00

MILES STOPS = \*0640\*\*0660\*\*0680\*\*0700\*\*0720\*\*0740\*\*0760\*\*0780\*\*0800\*\*0820\*\*0840\*\*0860\*\*0880\*\*0900\*\*0920\*\*0940\*\*0960\*\*0980\*\*1000

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## Purchasing and Materials

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### REMINDER

### Cleaning Agreements and the Debarred, Suspended, Ineligible Lists

Before entering into a cleaning agreement using PS Form 7355, *Cleaning Agreement*, a postmaster must ensure that the individual under consideration to clean the post office is not on either the *USPS List of Debarred, Suspended, and Ineligible Contractors* or the *GSA List of Parties Excluded From Federal Procurement and Non-procurement Programs*.

Use one of the following methods to verify whether an individual is on these lists:

- Access the Postal Service Intranet (<http://blue.usps.gov/purchase/purchase.htm>) and click on the links to these lists.
- Call your purchasing and materials service center (PMSC) if you are unable to obtain the needed information via the Intranet.

Direct any questions about the lists to PMSCs.

— *Purchasing Policies and Programs, Purchasing and Materials, 10-5-00*

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## Retail

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### POSTAGE METERS

### Meter Resetting Keys

The success of the decertification program has significantly reduced the number of manually set meters that need to be reset at local post offices. This means that a smaller inventory of meter setting keys needs to be available at local post offices. However, we are continuing our exposure to revenue losses through the continuing loss or misplacement of meter setting keys. Postage Technology Management (PTM) is taking the following actions to track the distribution of meter keys and also control the inventory:

- Postmasters may require new resetting keys when a key is lost or when a new office is opened that will have the responsibility to reset meters. However, they must not contact the meter manufacturers to obtain keys. Postmasters must request keys directly from the manager of Postage Technology Management (PTM) at Headquarters. Each request must be approved by the manager of PTM before the manufacturer will be allowed to issue the key to a postmaster.

- Postmasters must request meter resetting keys using PS Form 4010, *Request for Postage Meter Keys*, included on page 59 of this *Postal Bulletin*. The form may be reproduced as needed. In addition to identifying information, the form requires the postmaster to indicate the reason each key is needed. A separate PS Form 4010 with detailed responses is required for each location needing keys.

Postmasters must take all necessary steps to ensure proper controls are in place to stop the continued loss of these keys.

— *Postage Technology Management, Retail, Consumers and Small Business, 10-5-00*



**Request for Postage Meter Keys**

(Complete a separate form for each location needing keys.)

**1. Post Office Requesting Key(s)**

Name

Address (Number and Street) Finance Number

City Phone

State ZIP + 4 Fax

**2. Where Keys Are to be Sent**

Name of Postal Facility Name of Recipient

Address (Number and Street) Finance Number

City Phone

State ZIP + 4 Fax

**3. Key Request (A key is needed for each of the meter models listed)**

Meter Manufacturer	Model Number	Reason for Request (New facility, replacement, etc.)	If a replacement, give date of loss and describe circumstances and recovery actions	
			Date	Circumstances/Recovery Actions
Retail Supervisor Name			Phone Number	
Signature			Date	

Send completed form to *Postage Technology Management, USPS Headquarters, ATTN: Nicholas Stankosky. Fax: 703-292-4075.*

**USPS Use Only**

Date Received  Approved  Disapproved

Printed Name of Reviewer Date

Signature Date

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## POSTAGE METER UPDATE

**Manually Set Electronic Meters**

*Postal Bulletin* 22020 (3-23-00) updated field activities on the status of new placements of manually set electronic postage meters, their resetting, and their eventual removal from the marketplace. Subsequently, a proposed retirement plan for these meters was published in the May 1, 2000, *Federal Register* for public review and comment.

The Postal Service has become aware of misinformation that has been disseminated by manufacturers regarding the retirement plan. These misleading communications to customers have been verbal as well as in the form of altered USPS correspondence. Customers are increasingly asking postal representatives for clarification on specific issues and the current status of the proposed retirement plan. The following information is provided for responding to customer inquiries:

- New placements of manually reset electronic meters were prohibited effective February 1, 2000. Existing customers can receive meters to replace defective meters, or when the customer moves from one licensing post office to another.
  - The proposed plan is part of an overall long-term USPS strategy for secure postage evidencing. The proposal is to have customers remove manually set electronic meters from service when their current rental or lease expires, unless it expires in 2000. If a lease expires in 2000, the replacement deadline may be extended for up to one year from the 2000 expiration date. This extension should provide sufficient time for customers to obtain more modern, convenient, and secure replacement meters.
  - The all-encompassing plan to remove all letterpress remote set postage meters will not be officially adopted until the public comments have been reviewed and any changes are made and approved by Postal Service management. Once the plan is finalized it will be printed in the *Federal Register* as a final rule. Subsequent notification will be made through the *Postal Bulletin*, *Memo to Mailers*, letters to customers, and other communication vehicles, as appropriate.
- Post offices will continue to set a customer's manually reset electronic meter until such time that the customer is notified that settings for that meter are to cease (when their lease expires). This is dependent upon the meter rental agreement expiration date as provided by the meter manufacturer.
  - Each affected customer will be officially notified in writing directly by the Manager, Postage Technology Management.
  - If the customer continues to present a manually set meter for resetting after it should have been replaced with a remote set meter, the affected district will be notified individually to refuse additional requests for resetting of that meter.
  - Each manufacturer has been supplied with a letter prepared by Postage Technology Management that they may distribute to customers who may have received misleading information. The letter essentially provides the key information that is reiterated in this notice.
  - Although customers are encouraged to explore digital meter technology, there is no mandatory requirement to convert to such meters at this time.

— *Postage Technology Management, Retail, Consumers and Small Business, 10-5-00*

# What's in Store

## Where'd they go?

Knock.  
Knock.

Make note of this change of address. As part of a big Headquarters Marketing move, the Retail, Consumers and Small Business staff is now located at 1735 N. Lynn Street, Arlington, VA 22209. New addresses and phone numbers are available from the telephone information center at 202-268-2000. Or check the attachment to the Sept. 21 edition of *Marketline*.

## Holiday time

Retail merchandise for the Holiday Drive Period is on its way to offices nationwide. The products were created around the new Universal Pictures movie *Dr. Seuss' How The Grinch Stole Christmas*. Each participating office will receive a one-time distribution. Call the Retail Merchandise Center at 1-800-711-0428 for questions about shipments.

## PMGG expands again

PMGG to  
GXG

Several service upgrades are in place for Global Express Guaranteed (GXG), formerly known as Priority Mail Global Guaranteed (PMGG). The Postal Service's premier date-certain expedited international delivery service has:

- Doubled its retail presence to include 20,000 retail locations nationwide.
- Added China to the list of more than 200 countries and territories already served by GXG.
- Moved beyond its "documents only" policy.
- Added a new class of service to allow acceptance of merchandise.

GXG was launched in April 1999 and has undergone incremental service expansion to reflect the growing needs of postal customers.

## End of the line

The Celebrate The Century Express begins the fifth and final leg of its 2000 journey. More than 110,000 people have visited the CTC Express since the tour began March 11, 1999. Here are the final stops:

<b>Danville, VA</b>	October 6—8
<b>Spencer, NC</b>	October 13—15
<b>Asheville, NC</b>	October 17
<b>Chattanooga, TN</b>	October 20—22
<b>Duluth, GA</b>	October 27—29
<b>Savannah, GA</b>	November 3—5

## Feedback

Send comments and questions to:

WHAT'S IN STORE  
US POSTAL SERVICE  
1735 N. LYNN STREET RM 6042  
ARLINGTON VA 22209-6057

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WASHINGTON DC 20260-1540

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