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POSTAL SERVICE MANAGERS AND EMPLOYEES

The Mail Recovery Center (MRC) program is proud to announce a series of articles that will be published in the *Postal Bulletin*, beginning in this issue. These articles present ways to use the MRCs as diagnostic tools to assist operations in reducing bottom-line operating costs for the Postal Service. We will also share information on how the MRCs are improving the service they provide to consumers.

Here are some facts about the MRC program:

- With the exception of undeliverable Standard Mail, MRCs are the final disposition point for mail that is undeliverable as addressed and cannot be returned to the sender.
- During fiscal year 2000, the three MRCs, located in San Francisco, California; St. Paul, Minnesota; and Atlanta, Georgia:
 - Generated \$3.8 million in revenue.
 - Received and processed 107 million pieces of mail.
 - Returned 7 million letters and parcels.

We are committed to reducing operating expenses, eliminating double handling, and exceeding customer expectations by decreasing the turnaround time of undeliverable mail. Our debut article, "Do Not Send All Undeliverable Mail to Mail Recovery Centers" (this issue), touches each of these goals.

Together we can make a difference, and we thank you for your continued support.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Deborah K. Willhite".

Deborah K. Willhite
Senior Vice President
Government Relations and Public Policy

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Francis G. Smith".

Francis G. Smith
Vice President and Consumer Advocate

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PB 22040: 7690-04-000-5647 PB 22026: 7690-04-000-5633

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PB 22038: 7690-04-000-5645 PB 22024: 7690-04-000-5631

PB 22037: 7690-04-000-5644 PB 22023: 7690-04-000-5630

PB 22036: 7690-04-000-5643 PB 22022: 7690-04-000-5629

PB 22035: 7690-04-000-5642 PB 22021: 7690-04-000-5628

PB 22034: 7690-04-000-5641 PB 22020: 7690-04-000-3999

PB 22033: 7690-04-000-5640 PB 22019: 7690-04-000-3998

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Administrative Services

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
HBK AS-554-B	11/00	Water Conservation Guide	N/A	ENG	IWEB	N/A
HBK DM-110	12/00	Centralized Postage Payment (CPP) System for Periodicals Mail	N/A	MKT	IWEB	N/A
HBK MS-178-VOL-A	12/00	Automated Flat Sorting Machine 100 (AFSM 100), General Information	7610-05-000-4207	ENG	MDC	R
HBK MS-178-VOL-B	12/00	Automated Flat Sorting Machine 100 (AFSM 100), Maintenance Information	7610-05-000-4208	ENG	MDC	R
HBK MS-178-VOL-C	12/00	Automated Flat Sorting Machine 100 (AFSM 100), Troubleshooting Information	7610-05-000-4209	ENG	MDC	R
HBK MS-178-VOL-D	12/00	Automated Flat Sorting Machine 100 (AFSM 100), Parts Information	7610-05-000-4210	ENG	MDC	R
MI FM-530-2001-1	01/18/01	Use of Postal Vehicles for Home-to-Work Transportation	N/A	FIN	IWEB	N/A
MOP FI-12-18-2000	12/18/00	Recording Changes due to R-2000 Rates/ International Reclassification Implementation	N/A	FIN	IWEB	N/A
MOP FI-12-26-2000	12/26/00	Statistical Programs Letter #4, FY 2001, recording Changes due to Intl. Mail Reclass. Implement.	N/A	FIN	IWEB	N/A
MOP IT-12-11-2000	12/11/00	Microsoft Windows 2000 Professional on Desktop and Laptop Computers	N/A	IT	IWEB	N/A
MOP PG-11-08-2000	11/8/00	Endorsement of Nonpostal Products, Services, or Businesses	N/A	PMG	IWEB	N/A
MOP PP-01-05-2001	01/5/01	Commercial Advertising Committee	N/A	GR	IWEB	N/A
POS 298	01/01	Hazardous Materials Warning Labels	7690-05-000-4227	O	MDC	N/A
POS 301	01/01	Form 8125 – For Drop Ship Clearance	7690-05-000-4239	P&PD	MDC	N/A
POS 302	01/01	Form 8125-C – For Consolidated Drop Ship Clearance	7690-05-000-4240	P&PD	MDC	N/A
POS 303	01/01	Form 8125-CD – For Consolidated Drop Ship Clearance-DSMS	7690-05-000-4241	P&PD	MDC	N/A
POS 304	01/01	Drop Ship Clearance Procedures	7690-05-000-4242	P&PD	MDC	N/A
POS 305	01/01	Name and Rate Marking Changes	7690-05-000-4243	P&PD	MDC	N/A
POS 306	01/01	Sack Labels – New Line 2 Information	7690-05-000-4244	P&PD	MDC	N/A
POS 307	01/01	Pallet Labels – New Line 2 Information	7690-05-000-4245	P&PD	MDC	N/A
PUB 431	01/01	Post Office Box Fees	7610-05-000-4246	P&PD	MDC	N/A

Revised Directives

Document ID	Edition Date	Title	NSN	Org	USPS Source	Public Source
HBK EL-803	11/00	Maintenance Employee's Guide to Safety	7610-01-000-9085	ERM	MDC, IWEB	N/A
IMISSUE	01/01	International Mail Manual	7610-02-000-9904	IB	MDC, IWEB, PE	GPO, WWW, PE
NOT 123	01/7/01	Ratefold	7610-03-000-9257	P&PD	MDC	P/F
NOT 209	11/00	Mailbox Improvement Week	7610-03-000-9145	O	MDC	P/F
PUB 28	11/00	Postal Addressing Standards	7610-03-000-3688	O	MDC	P/F
PUB 49	01/7/01	Getting Started with Standard Mail	7610-02-000-9901	P&PD	MDC	P/F
PUB 51	01/01	International Postal Rates and Fees	7610-01-000-9815	IB	MDC	P/F
TAG 159	01/01	Priority Mail Drop Shipment Tag	7690-03-000-9177	O	EPM	EPM

Obsolete Directives

Document ID	Edition Date	Title	Obsolete Date	Replaced By
MI FM-530-95-1	8/28/95	The Use of Official Vehicles for Transportation Between Home and Work	01/31/01	MI FM-530-2001-1
MI PO-410-92-1	1/6/92	ZIP Code Authorization and Assignment	01/13/00	POM 439

New Forms

Form Number	Edition Date	Oldest Usable Date	Title	NSN	Where Used	Unit of Issue	Org	USPS Source	Public Source
PS 3227-O	01/01	01/01	Stamps by Mail Supply Order	N/A	PO	SH	RET	IWEB	N/A
PS 3294-C	12/00	12/00	Cash Credit Count and Summary	N/A	PO	SH	FIN	IWEB	N/A
PS 3368-P	01/01	01/01	Accountability Examination Record	N/A	PS	SH	FIN	IWEB	N/A
PS 3369-P	01/01	01/01	Consigned Credit Receipt	N/A	PS	SH	FIN	IWEB	N/A
PS 3541	01/01	01/01	Postage Statement – Periodicals One Issue or One Edition	7530-05-000-4277	PU	SH	P&PD	MDC, IWEB	WWW
PS 3541-M	01/01	01/01	Postage Statement – Periodicals All Issues in a Calendar Month	7530-05-000-4278	PU	SH	P&PD	MDC, IWEB	WWW
PS 3541-X	01/01	01/01	Postage Statement – Periodicals With Ride Along Enclosed One Issue or One Edition	7530-05-000-4279	PU	SH	P&PD	MDC, IWEB	WWW
PS 3582-P	12/00	12/00	BRM/Postage Due Invoice	N/A	PO	SH	FIN	IWEB	N/A
PS 3600-EZ	01/01	01/01	Postage Statement – First Class Mail – Easy Nonautomation Letters, Cards, or Flats – Permit Imprint	7530-05-000-4270	PU	SH	P&PD	MDC, IWEB	WWW
PS3600-IPM	01/01	01/01	Postage Statement – International Inbound Priority Mail	N/A	PU	SH	IB	IWEB	WWW
PS 3600-IR	01/01	01/01	Postage Statement – International Inbound First-Class Mail	N/A	PC	SH	IB	IWEB	WWW

Form Number	Edition Date	Oldest Usable Date	Title	NSN	Where Used	Unit of Issue	Org	USPS Source	Public Source
PS 3602-EZ	01/01	01/01	Postage Statement – Standard Mail – Easy Nonautomation Letters or Flats – Permit Imprint	7530-05-000-4273	PU	SH	P&PD	MDC, IWEB	WWW
PS 3602-NPS	01/01	01/01	Postage Statement – Nonprofit Standard Mail With Residual Shape Surcharge – Postage Affixed	7530-05-000-4275	PU	SH	P&PD	MDC, IWEB	WWW
PS 3602-NS	01/01	01/01	Postage Statement – Nonprofit Standard Mail With Residual Shape Surcharge – Permit Imprint	7530-05-000-4274	PU	SH	P&PD	MDC, IWEB	WWW
PS 3602-NZ	01/01	01/01	Postage Statement – Nonprofit Standard Mail – Easy Nonautomation Letters or Flats – Permit Imprint	7530-05-000-4276	PU	SH	P&PD	MDC, IWEB	WWW
PS 3602-P	01/01	01/01	Postage Statement – Standard Mail Letters and Flats	7510-05-000-4296	PU	SH	P&PD	MDC, IWEB	WWW

Revised Forms

Form Number	Edition Date	Oldest Usable Date	Title	NSN	Where Used	Unit of Issue	Org	USPS Source	Public Source
PS 17	01/01	01/01	Stamp Requisition	7530-03-000-9112	PO	SH	MKT	MDC, IWEB	N/A
PS 152	01/01	03/99	Delivery Confirmation Label	7530-04-000-4309	PU	EA	P&PD	MDC	P/F
PS 1583-A	08/00	08/00	Application to Act as a Commercial Mail Receiving Agency	7530-04-000-4564	PU	SH	RET	MDC, IWEB	WWW
PS 1868	01/01	01/01	Business Card Order Form	7530-02-000-9749	PS	SH	PM	IWEB	N/A
PS 3203-X	01/01	01/01	Personalized Envelope Order Form	N/A	PU	SH	MKT	IWEB	WWW
PS 3227	02/01	02/01	Stamps by Mail	7530-03-000-9137	PU	EA	RET	HQO	N/A
PS 3540-S	01/01	01/01	Postage Statement – Supplement	7530-04-000-5557	PU	SH	P&PD	MDC, IWEB	WWW
PS 3548	04/00	04/00	Review and Verification of Circulation	7530-01-000-9955	PU	EA	MKT	MDC	LOC
PS 3548-A	07/00	07/00	Worksheet A – Postage Payment Review Through Documentation	N/A	PO	SH	MKT	LOC	N/A
PS 3548-B	07/00	07/00	Worksheet B – Postage Payment Review Through Documentation	N/A	PO	SH	MKT	LOC	N/A
PS 3548-R	04/00	04/00	Verification of Names on Requesters List	N/A	PO	EA	MKT	LOC	LOC
PS 3548-W	07/00	07/00	Postage Payment Review by Weight	N/A	PO	SH	MKT	LOC	N/A
PS 3600-P	01/01	01/01	Postage Statement – First Class Mail – Postage Affixed	7530-03-000-7026	PU	SH	P&PD	MDC, IWEB	WWW
PS 3600-PM	01/01	01/01	Postage Statement – Priority Mail – Permit Imprint	7530-04-000-5558	PU	SH	P&PD	MDC, IWEB	WWW

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PS 3600-R	01/01	01/01	Postage Statement – First-Class Mail – Permit Imprint	7530-02-000-8049	PU	SH	P&PD	MDC, IWEB	WWW
PS 3602-N	01/01	01/01	Postage Statement – Nonprofit Standard Mail Letters and Flats – Permit Imprint	7530-02-000-8047	PU	SH	P&PD	MDC, IWEB	WWW
PS 3602-NV	01/01	01/01	Consolidated Postage Statement – Nonprofit Standard Mail Letters and Flats – Permit Imprint	7530-03-000-8322	PU	SH	P&PD	MDC, IWEB	WWW
PS 3602-PN	01/01	01/01	Postage Statement – Nonprofit Standard Mail Letters and Flats – Postage Affixed	7530-03-000-7206	PU	SH	P&PD	MDC, IWEB	WWW
PS 6387	01/01	01/01	Rural Money Order Transaction Application	7530-02-000-9535	PS	SH	FIN	MDC	P/F
PS 8125	01/01	07/98	Plant-Verified Drop Shipment (PVDS) Verification and Clearance	7530-02-000-7255	AC	SE	P&PD	MDC, IWEB	WWW
PS 8167	01/01	01/01	PCES Recognition Authorization or Vice President Award Authorization for PCES in EAS Positions	7530-04-000-6421	PS	SH	ERM	IWEB	N/A
PS 8168	01/01	01/01	Individual EAS Recognition/Awards Program Authorization	7530-04-000-6422	PS	SH	ERM	IWEB	N/A
PS 8217	01/01	01/01	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 2479-C	11/99	Examination Application Card	01/19/01	N/A	MDC	N/A
PS 3227-H	10/00	Stamps by Mail-Computerized Sites	01/29/01	N/A	HQO	HQO
PS 3541-N	05/99	Postage Statement – Periodicals – Nonprofit Rates	01/10/01	N/A	IWEB	WWW
PS 3541-NC	05/99	Postage Statement – Periodicals – Classroom Rates	01/10/01	N/A	MDC	WWW
PS 3541-NCX	02/00	Postage Statement – Periodicals With Ride-Along Enclosed Classroom Rates	01/10/01	N/A	MDC	WWW
PS 3541-NX	02/00	Postage Statement-Periodicals With Ride-Along Enclosed Nonprofit Rates	01/10/01	N/A	IWEB	WWW
PS 3541-R	05/99	Postage Statement – Periodicals – Regular and Science-of-Agriculture Rates	05/99	N/A	MDC	WWW
PS 3541-RX	02/00	Postage Statement – Periodicals With Ride-Along Enclosed Regular and Science-of Agriculture Rates	02/00	N/A	MDC	WWW
PS 3602-PR	01/99	Postage Statement – Regular Standard Mail – Postage Affixed	01/99	N/A	MDC	WWW
PS 3651	03/00	Postage Statement – International Permit Imprint Mail	02/7/01	N/A	MDC	PBC
PS 3651-C	05/99	Postage Statement – Valuepost/Canada	02/7/01	N/A	MDC	N/A
PS 8155-S	07/94	Sample Answer Sheet for Test 470	01/19/01	N/A	NTA	N/A

Child Alert Program

February 2001

Have You Seen Any of These Children?

Please participate in the NALC/USPS Child Alert Program. Tear out this page and carry it with you. If you have information on any of these missing children, tell your postal supervisor.



Walter Morales
 Born: 11-21-75
 Date Missing: 10-27-93
 Missing From: Miami, FL



Thomas Tillery
 Age Progression to 15 Years
 Born: 6-1-83
 Date Missing: 9-19-94
 Missing From: Madill, OK



Danielle Pitcher
 Born: 3-11-79
 Date Missing: 5-23-93
 Missing From: Pearce, AZ



Shanythia Greene
 Age Progression to 25 Years
 Born: 9-30-75
 Date Missing: 8-26-93
 Missing From: Pompano Beach, FL



Teekah Lewis
 Age Progression to 4 Years
 Born: 7-4-96
 Date Missing: 1-23-99
 Missing From: Tacoma, WA



Jessica Cain
 Age Progression to 20 Years
 Born: 8-28-79
 Date Missing: 8-17-97
 Missing From: La Marque, TX

**Please call the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children
 Hot Line 1-800-843-5678
 TDD 1-800-826-7653**

Missing Children Poster Display Instructions

Please display this poster prominently on bulletin boards in retail lobbies of main post offices, classified stations, and branches. Operators of contract postal units may display this poster at their option.

Companion posters, authorized for display on bulletin boards maintained by employee organizations, appear periodically in *The Postal Record*, a publication for members of the National Association of Letter Carriers.

This poster is published in cooperation with the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children, the United States Department of Justice, and the National Association of Letter Carriers. Information appearing on this poster is selected solely by NCMEC.

In addition to *Postal Bulletin* updates, NCMEC distributes information via broadcast fax. Notification of newly reported missing children is sent to designated district "Missing Children" coordinators at fax numbers provided by district managers. Within 24 hours of receipt of a facsimile Missing Children poster, district coordinators should distribute copies to all postal facilities in their districts. Missing Children posters are to be displayed for 30 days in post office lobbies, workroom floor areas, and other postal facilities, unless notification is received (from NCMEC) to remove a particular poster sooner. The broadcast fax network is used to distribute posters and information in only the most urgent cases of missing and exploited children. This system supplements, but does not replace, the missing children information in this *Postal Bulletin*.

Missing Children posters are available to the U.S. Postal Service only as described above. If postal employees are contacted by individuals or local agencies about displaying a sign or poster of a missing child in local post offices, the individual or agency should be politely informed that the U.S. Postal Service displays only those posters provided by NCMEC, because it has been designated by the U.S. Department of Justice to be the national clearinghouse and resource center for missing and exploited children. The individual or agency should then be referred to NCMEC at 1-800-843-5678.

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Latoya Clunis
 Born: 5-31-84
 Date Missing: 11-3-00
 Missing From: Ontario, CA



Cheryl Jacobs
 Born: 1-25-85
 Date Missing: 11-13-00
 Missing From: Las Vegas, NV



Shannon Wanstreet
 Born: 10-7-83
 Date Missing: 11-20-00
 Missing From: Ocala, FL



Yonas Solomon
 Born: 9-13-83
 Date Missing: 6-14-98
 Missing From: Hartford, CT

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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
Sally Beauty Supply	Standard A/ Letter	2/26–2/28	2.5	Nationwide	Car-Rt, 3/5-Digit	The Mail Box, Dallas, TX
The Sportsman's Guide March Main	Standard A/ Catalog	2/26–3/1	2.3	Nationwide	Car-Rt, 3/5-Digit	Quad Graphics, Lomira, WI
Decision Magazine	Standard A/ Flat	2/26–3/3	1.2	Nationwide	Car-Rt, 3/5-Digit, Basic, Barcode	Minneapolis, MN; 8" x 10 5/8", 44-page magazine
The Home Depot	Standard A/ Flat	2/28–3/2	13.0	Nationwide	Walk Sequence	American Color Graphics, Pittsburg, CA, Lufkin, TX, Marengo, IA, Sylacauga, AL, York, PA
JC Penney Home Sale	Standard A/ Catalog	3/3–3/8	11.2	Nationwide	Car-Rt	RR Donnelley
Carol Wright	Standard A/ Letter	3/5–3/8	22.0	Nationwide	Car-Rt	Cox Target Media Inc.; (800) 237-6266, Postal Affairs
Midnight Velvet	Standard A/ Catalog	3/5–3/8	1.1	Nationwide	Car-Rt, 3/5-Digit, Basic, Barcode	Quad Graphics, Lomira, WI; 7 15/16" x 10 1/4"; Catalog has a die cut cover and a personalized (address) underwrap
JC Penney VIP Night	Standard A/ Letter	3/6–3/8	7.0	Nationwide	Car-Rt	Harte-Hanks
JC Penney Shopping Spree	Standard A/ Postcard	3/13–3/15	39.0	Nationwide	Car-Rt	Harte-Hanks
JC Penney Feel Like a Million	Standard A/ Booklet	3/17–3/20	7.0	Nationwide	Car-Rt	Harte-Hanks
JC Penney Spree Followup	Standard A/ Postcard	3/17–3/20	5.0	Nationwide	Car-Rt	Harte-Hanks
JC Penney Trigger	Standard A/ Postcard	3/22–3/24	2.0	Nationwide	Car-Rt	Harte-Hanks

Domestic Mail

DMM REVISION

Limit of \$1,000 for COD Mail

Effective January 7, 2001, *Domestic Mail Manual* (DMM) S921.1.8 and 1.9 are amended to reflect the new \$1,000 limit for collect on delivery (COD). This correction is not included in hard copy DMM Issue 56 (dated 1-7-01). It will appear in the next printed version of the DMM (Issue 57) and will be included in the March 8, 2001, update of the online DMM available via Postal Explorer at <http://pe.usps.gov>.

Domestic Mail Manual (DMM)

S	Special Services	*	*	*	*	*
S900	Special Postal Services	*	*	*	*	*
S920	Convenience					
S921	Collect on Delivery (COD) Mail	*	*	*	*	*
1.0	BASIC INFORMATION	*	*	*	*	*
1.8	Registered COD Mail					

[Amend 1.8 by changing the COD limit from \$600 to \$1,000 to read as follows:]

Sealed domestic mail of any class bearing First-Class postage may be sent as registered COD mail. Such mail is handled the same as other registered mail. The maximum

amount collectible from the recipient on an individual parcel is \$1,000. Indemnity may be purchased up to the registry limit of \$25,000 by paying the applicable registry fee for the value declared. The total fees charged for registered COD service include the proper registry fee for the value declared plus the registered COD fee. The mailer must declare the full value of the article being mailed, regardless of the amount to be collected from the recipient. The registered label and the COD form must be affixed to each article. The registration number is used for delivery receipt and indemnity claims.

1.9 Express Mail COD

[Amend 1.9 by changing the COD limit from \$600 to \$1,000 to read as follows:]

Any article sent COD may also be sent by Express Mail (except for Express Mail Military Service). Such mail is handled in the same manner as other Express Mail. The maximum amount collectible from the addressee on an individual article is \$1,000, and indemnity for failure to collect or issue payment is limited to \$1,000. Express Mail postage and the proper COD fees must be paid. Both the Express Mail label and COD form must be affixed to each article. The Express Mail article number is used for delivery receipt and indemnity claims.

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— Mail Preparation and Standards,
Pricing and Product Design, 2-22-01

Extra Copies of Publications

If your postal facility receives too many copies of any rate case implementation resource or new publication (e.g., postage statements, Publication 49, Notice 123, *Domestic Mail Manual*), please forward those extra copies to your district marketing manager or district manager of business mail entry. Those managers can distribute your extra copies to customers and employees.

Do not send extra copies back to Postal Service Headquarters. Doing so clutters the mailstream and does not help to get new publications into the hands of those who need them.

— Mail Preparation and Standards,
Pricing and Product Design, 2-22-01

DMM CORRECTION

Documentation for Automation Letters

Effective January 7, 2001, *Domestic Mail Manual* (DMM) M810.1.3 is amended to correct information about when documentation is required for a mailing of automation letters. In the DMM revision entitled "Standardized Acceptance and Verification (SAVE)" (published in *Postal Bulletin* 22028, 7-13-00, page 31), M810.1.3 was revised to require presort documentation for all mailings of 10,000 pieces or more. Mailings of fewer than 10,000 pieces do not require documentation if the exact postage was affixed to each piece, or if the pieces were of identical weight and the pieces are separated by rate at acceptance.

In the July 13, 2000, revision, a sentence near the end of M810.1.3 seemed to contradict the 10,000-piece documentation limit and should have been deleted. This sentence is removed effective January 7, 2001.

Documentation *is* required for all automation letter mailings in the following situations:

- The mailing contains 10,000 pieces or more.
- The mailing contains nonidentical weight pieces (regardless of the number of pieces in the mailing).
- Postage is affixed to each piece at a rate other than the exact postage (regardless of the number of pieces in the mailing).

Documentation *is not* required for automation letter mailings in the following situations:

- The mailing contains fewer than 10,000 pieces and exact postage is affixed to each piece.
- The mailing contains fewer than 10,000 pieces, all of the pieces are identical weight, and the pieces are separated by rate when presented for acceptance.

This correction has been made to hard copy DMM Issue 56 (dated 1-7-01), which will begin arriving in the field in early March. This correction was made to the February 8, 2001, update to the electronic DMM, available online via Postal Explorer at <http://pe.usps.gov>.

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M Mail Preparation and Sortation
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M800 All Automation Mail

M810 Letter-Size Mail

1.0 BASIC STANDARDS
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1.3 Documentation

A complete, signed postage statement, using the correct USPS form or an approved facsimile, must accompany each mailing. Each mailing also must be accompanied by presort and rate documentation produced by PAVE-certified (or, except for Periodicals, MAC-certified) software or by standardized documentation under P012. *Exception:* For mailings of fewer than 10,000 pieces, presort and rate documentation is not required if postage at the correct rate is affixed to each piece or if each piece is of identical weight and the pieces are separated by rate when presented for acceptance. Mailers may use a single postage statement and a single documentation report for all rate levels in a single mailing. Standard Mail mailers may use a single postage statement and a single documentation report (with a separate summary for carrier route and a separate summary for all other rate levels) for both an automation carrier route mailing and a mailing containing pieces prepared at 5-digit, 3-digit, and basic automation rates, as applicable, when both mailings are submitted for entry at the same time. Combined mailings of more than one Periodicals publication also must be documented under M210 and M220. First-Class Mail and Standard Mail mailings prepared under the value added refund procedures or as combined mailings must meet additional standardized documentation requirements under P014 and P960.

REVISION

Tag 44, Sack Contents Warning

The August 2000 edition of Tag 44, *Sack Contents Warning*, is now available from the Topeka Material Distribution Center (MDC). All previous editions of the tag are obsolete, so please recycle them.

Any postal installation seeking to obtain the updated Tag 44 can requisition it by one of the following means:

- Touch Tone Order Entry: Call 1-800-332-0317, Option 1, then Option 2.
- cc:Mail: Send a F3Fill-completed PS Form 7380, *MDC Supply Requisition*, to MDC Customer Service @TOKS001L.
- Official Mail: Mail a completed PS Form 7380, *MDC Supply Requisition*, to the Topeka MDC at the following Postal Service location:

SUPPLY REQUISITIONS
500 GARY ORMSBY DR
TOPEKA KS 66624-9702

The relevant ordering information for Tag 44 is as follows:

PSN: 7690-02-000-9990
PSIN: TAG44
Unit of Issue: EA
Bulk Pack Quantity: 4,000
Price: \$0.039 each
Edition Date: August 2000

— Aviation Mail Security,
Network Operations Management, 2-22-01

DMM REVISION

Parcel Post ZIP Code Addition

Effective February 22, 2001, *Domestic Mail Manual* (DMM) E751 Exhibit 7.0 is amended to add a ZIP Code for Parcel Select destination delivery entry unit (DDU) discounts. Parcel Post for ZIP Code 10583 should now be deposited at the Scarsdale Main Post Office, 29 Chase Road, Scarsdale, NY 10583, in order to qualify for DDU rates.

This revision will appear in the printed version of DMM 57 and is included in the monthly update of the online DMM available via Postal Explorer at <http://pe.usps.gov>.

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E	Eligibility	*	*	*	*	*
E700	Package Services	*	*	*	*	*
E750	Destination Entry					
E751	Parcel Select	*	*	*	*	*

Exhibit 7.0 Delivery Facility Exceptions to the “Majority of City Carriers” Rule

[Amend Exhibit 7.0 by adding the following entry:]

ZIP Codes Served	Destination Delivery Unit Location
NEW YORK	
10583	Scarsdale Main Post Office

— Operational Requirements,
Operations Planning and Processing, 2-22-01

DMM REVISION

Labeling List L801

Effective January 7, 2001, *Domestic Mail Manual* (DMM) L801 is revised to show footnote numbers for four entries. These footnote numbers were left out of the printed version of DMM Issue 56 (effective 1-7-01). However, they will be incorporated into the printed version of DMM Issue 57 and the March 8, 2001, update of the electronic DMM, available via the Postal Explorer Web site at <http://pe.usps.gov>.

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L Labeling Lists

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L800 Automation Rate Mailings

L801 AADCs—Letter-Size Mailings

[Add footnote numbers to the following entries to read as follows:]

Column A Destination ZIP Codes	Column B Label To
090–098	AMF JFK APO/FPO NY 00309 ¹
090–098, 340	MILITARY CENTER NY 090 ²
331, 332, 340	AADC MIAMI FL 331 ¹
331, 332	AADC MIAMI FL 331 ²

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NEW EDITION

Publication 49, Getting Started with Standard Mail

In conjunction with rate case implementation, the Postal Service has published a new edition of Publication 49, *Getting Started with Standard Mail*. The new edition is dated January 2001 and has a green cover (see page 16).

Publication 49 is a basic introduction to business mail and can help small mailers get started with the Postal Service. It has been updated with rate case information, including instructions for filling out the new “EZ” Standard Mail postage statements. Hard copy of Publication 49 is available to customers for free; it is also available electronically (in PDF and HTML format) from the Postal Explorer Web site at <http://pe.usps.gov>.

An initial distribution of Publication 49 was made to all postmasters, district managers of business mail entry, district marketing managers, sales center managers, area managers of marketing support, and rates and classification service centers. If postal facilities receive more copies

of Publication 49 than are needed, please forward those extra copies to the district marketing manager.

Do not send extra copies of Publication 49 back to Postal Service Headquarters. Employees should recycle all previous editions of Publication 49.

Additional copies of Publication 49 can be ordered from the Material Distribution Center using the following information:

- PSN: 7610-02-000-9901
- PSIN: PUB49
- Unit of Issue: EA
- Quick Pick #: 270
- BPQ: 50
- Price: \$0.6374

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Getting Started with Standard Mail

Publication 49 • January 2001



NOTICE

Limited Alternative Flats Preparation Test for Periodicals Automation Flats for AFSM 100

Effective March 31, 2001, through June 30, 2001, the Postal Service will conduct a limited alternative flats preparation test to collect data concerning how flat-sized mailpieces are prepared in relation to how they are transported and processed. The Postal Service is partnering with the mailing industry on this test. Both parties recognize the need to prepare flat-sized mail in a manner that best supports current and future flats processing and is expected to improve flats-sorting efficiency in order to reduce costs and improve service. For example, eliminating and reducing packages on pallets has been identified as a potential cost savings for the Postal Service and the mailing industry.

The 90-day test will be limited to Periodicals publications and will apply to mail that currently meets the FSM 881 automation-compatible standards as described in *Domestic Mail Manual (DMM) C820.2*, including the polywrap requirements in DMM C820.4 (if applicable). For this test, participants will prepare flat mail loose on 5-digit/scheme pallets for auto zones, 3-digit pallets, and SCF pallets for four test sites. Existing DMM preparation requirements will still be required for all other mail — for example, 5-digit/scheme pallets to nonauto zones, merged 5-digit/scheme pallets, and ADC-level pallets. Flats will be prepared using one of the containerization methods described below. Participants will be required to provide the Postal Service Mail.dat files for all test mailings, based on existing mail preparation requirements, no less than 7 days before mail arrives at the destination facility. The mail must be securely loaded on the pallets so that the integrity of the mail is maintained throughout shipping and processing. For each pallet in the test, the participant must complete two placards (labels) provided by the Postal Service to identify the mail as “test” mail. Participants must affix these labels to the pallet adjacent to each of the normal pallet labels required under current DMM standards. Samples of these test pallet labels are provided on pages 19–20.

Before the test begins, participants will be asked to provide a three (3) month average of volume by pallet and presort level for analysis. That data will be used as a gauge to establish the baseline data for the test. Flat mailpieces bearing correct and properly prepared ZIP+4 Codes or delivery point barcodes may be prepared and claimed at the automation flats rates, provided the test mail meets the following requirements:

1. Mail must meet current FSM 881 compatibility requirements as described in DMM C820.2, including polywrap requirements in C820.4 (if applicable).
2. Mail must be prepared using one of the following options:
 - Loose on pallets; pallets secured with stretch-wrap.
 - Loose on pallets with slip sheets between 5-digit schemes; pallets secured with stretchwrap.
 - Stacks of mail secured with one band or shrink-wrap with markings to indicate 5-digit scheme sort, if applicable; pallets secured with stretch-wrap.
 - Placed in cardboard sleeves with dividers or “egg crates”; sleeve secured to pallet with banding or stretchwrap.
 - Placed on pallet in gaylord (pallet box) no more than 36 inches in height; gaylords secured to pallet with banding or stretchwrap.
3. Mail must be prepared on pallets, as described in requirement No. 2 above with unsecured 5-digit and 3-digit packages for specified levels.
4. The test preparation requirements apply only to 5-digit/scheme pallets for auto zones, 3-digit pallets, and SCF pallets. The current preparation requirements must be met for packages of mail on existing 5-digit/scheme carrier routes pallets, 5-digit/scheme pallets to nonauto zones, merged 5-digit/scheme pallets, ADC-level pallets, as well as any level of sacks.
5. Carrier route presort, ADC, and MXD ADC packages must continue to be prepared according to existing requirements for the four test sites. In addition, participants must continue to prepare 5-digit packages on merged 5-digit/scheme pallets and on 5-digit/scheme pallets for nonauto zones.
6. On 3-digit/SCF pallets, if volume warrants (e.g., 250–500 pounds minimum each of carrier route and noncarrier route mail), then carrier route packages must be separately palletized from loose mail previously in 5-digit and 3-digit packages. If volume does not warrant placing the carrier route presort packages onto a separate pallet, carrier route bundles must be on the bottom of the pallet divided by a slip-sheet with the loose pieces on top.
7. For each pallet in the test, the mailer must complete two labels provided by the Postal Service to identify the mail as test mail; participants must affix the labels to the pallet, adjacent to each of the two normal pallet labels required under current DMM standards. If 3-digit/SCF pallets containing only carrier route

packages are prepared under requirement No. 6 above, the mailer must also affix two test labels to each of these pallets adjacent to copies of the normal pallet labels created for the original pallet (identified in the Mail.dat file). These labels will also be provided by the Postal Service and will allow the test sites to capture operational information related to these pallets.

8. Pallets must maintain their integrity during transportation.
9. A Postal Service detached mail unit (DMU) employee in the mailer's plant must verify the test mail.
10. Mail must be destined for one or more of the following SCF sites: Carol Stream, IL; Kansas City, MO; Royal Oak, MI; and Washington, DC. Only mail for those 3 digits within each SCF, based on DMM L002 column C, can be included.

The participant must provide the Postal Service with the following information:

1. Mail.dat files for all test mailings, based on existing mail preparation requirements, no less than 7 days before mail arrives at its destination.
2. During the test, information regarding changes to containers for test mail compared to containers (pallets) reported in Mail.dat file (e.g., Mail.dat shows that one SCF pallet containing carrier route, 5-digit and 3-digit mail, and the test mail is prepared on two pallets, one containing carrier route packages and one containing loose 5-digit and 3-digit mail).
3. After the test is complete, feedback on long-term issues and benefits to mailers and printers in the event that the test preparation methods are adopted.

The Postal Service and the mailer accept the following guidelines for the test:

1. Mail normally prepared in 5-digit and 3-digit packages under current DMM standards will be prepared loose on qualifying level pallets while orientation is maintained and counter-stacking is avoided where possible. Where possible, mail should be produced in package order according to the original Mail.dat file; pieces should also contain the original optional endorsement line information related to the package destination to facilitate verification and acceptance.
2. When possible, test participants are requested to separate mail on 3-digit and SCF pallets according to AFSSM 100 5-digit scheme sort plans (incoming secondary) provided by the Postal Service. Slip sheets, or other methods approved by the Postal Service, may be used to separate and identify the schemes.

3. Slip sheets, or other methods approved by the Postal Service, may be used to maintain the integrity of the mail on pallets.
4. Automation and Presorted rate pieces may be combined.
5. PVDS is not required for participation. If participants use PVDS, then entry by 4:00 p.m. at the test facility is requested.
6. Mail meeting the test preparation requirements can qualify for the 3-digit and 5-digit presort rates, based on the Mail.dat files using the current preparation requirements.
7. The Postal Service may approve alternative preparation methods possible within the printer's operation before the test begins.

Test mailings must meet all other standards for the automation flats rates listed in DMM E240.

A Postal Service DMU employee in the mailer's plant will perform normal verification procedures. The mail must be destined for either Carol Stream, IL; Kansas City, MO; Royal Oak, MI; or Washington, DC. These sites have been chosen due to their destinating volumes reported by mailers and the number of AFSSM 100 units at their plants. Soon after the test is complete, all test data will be carefully analyzed. A team of postal and industry representatives will evaluate the findings, including Postal Service and participant costs and savings, and service impacts, and will prepare a written report describing the findings and future recommendations.

The Postal Service may terminate this test at any time that it concludes that the procedures set forth herein are creating operational difficulties or are not providing a reasonable opportunity to achieve cost savings and improve service. Mailers are expected to participate for the entire duration of the test.

Mailers or printers who wish to participate in this test will be required to contact industry representative Joe Schick via e-mail at Joe.Schick@gg.com no later than March 1, 2001. Please include in your request the publication title, volume of mail, frequency of mailing, and entry information.

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TEST MAIL

PERIODICALS – Carrier Route Presort

Mailer: Place copies of this form on pallet adjacent to existing pallet label (on 2 sides of pallet)

To: _____
(USPS Processing Plant)

Publication Title: _____

From: _____
(Printer and Plant)

Mailer Contact: _____
(Name and Phone Number of Printer)

USPS Employee Handling Pallet: _____ Date: _____

(For each test pallet, attach one copy of this completed test form to pallet label and collect for AFSM 100 test coordinator or supervisor)

TEST MAIL

PERIODICALS - Notify AFSM 100 Supervisor

Mailer: Place copies of this form on pallet adjacent to existing pallet labels (on 2 sides of pallet)

To: _____
(USPS Processing Plant)

Publication Title: _____

Contains 5-digit schemes: Y N
(3-Digit and SCF pallets only) (Circle one)

Contains CR-RT packages: Y N

Preparation Method: (Circle All That Apply)

- 1. All pieces loose (with or without slipsheets)
- 2. Large packages secured with bands or shrinkwrap
- 3. Cardboard sleeve with dividers
- 4. Cardboard carton / "Gaylord"
- 5. Other _____

PVDS: Y N (Circle one)

From: _____
(Printer and Plant)

Mailer Contact: _____
(Name and Phone Number of Printer)

USPS Employee Handling Pallet: _____ Date: _____

(For each test pallet, attach one copy of this completed test form to pallet label and hold for collection by AFSM 100 test coordinator)

NEW EDITION

Notice 123, Ratefold

In conjunction with rate case implementation, the Postal Service has published a new edition of Notice 123, *Ratefold*. The new edition is dated January 2001 (see page 22).

Notice 123 is a 10-page foldout guide that lists every postage rate and special service fee. It is a handy reference guide for employees and customers. Notice 123 shows all of the rates and fees that went into effect on January 7, 2001.

Notice 123 is available to customers for free; it is also available electronically (in PDF format) from the Postal Explorer Web site at <http://pe.usps.gov>. Customers also can use the domestic rate calculator (for single-piece rates) and the business rate calculator (for bulk mailings) to calculate postage. Both calculators are available online at www.usps.com > *Postage Rates and Fees*.

An initial distribution of Notice 123 was made to all postmasters, district managers of business mail entry, district marketing managers, sales center managers, area managers of marketing support, and rates and classification service centers. Also, two copies of Notice 123 are included with each *Domestic Mail Manual*. If postal facilities receive more copies of Notice 123 than are needed, please forward those extra copies to the district marketing manager.

Do not send extra copies of Notice 123 back to Postal Service Headquarters. Employees should recycle all previous editions of Notice 123.

Backorders at the Material Distribution Center (MDC) for Notice 123 are being filled with the January 2001 edition. After March 15, 2001, additional copies of Notice 123 can be ordered from the MDC using the following information:

NSN: 7610-03-000-9257
PSIN: NOT123
Unit of Issue: EA
Quick Pick #: 374
Price: \$0.0699
BPQ: 300

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RATEFOLD

FIRST-CLASS MAIL

Notice 123 Effective January 7, 2001

Letters, Flats, and Parcels ¹ Weight Not Over (ounces)	Nonautomation		Automation						
	Single-Piece ²	Presorted	Letter-Size				Flat-Size		
			Basic	3-Digit	5-Digit	Carrier Route	Basic	3-Digit	5-Digit
1	\$0.34 ³	\$0.320 ³	\$0.278	\$0.267	\$0.253	\$0.243	\$0.310 ³	\$0.295 ³	\$0.275 ³
2	0.55	0.530	0.488	0.477	0.463	0.453	0.520	0.505	0.485
3	0.76	0.694	0.652	0.641	0.627	0.617	0.684	0.669	0.649
4	0.97	0.904	0.862 ⁴	0.851 ⁴	0.837 ⁴	0.827 ⁴	0.894	0.879	0.859
5	1.18	1.114	—	—	—	—	1.104	1.089	1.069
6	1.39	1.324	—	—	—	—	1.314	1.299	1.279
7	1.60	1.534	—	—	—	—	1.524	1.509	1.489
8	1.81	1.744	—	—	—	—	1.734	1.719	1.699
9	2.02	1.954	—	—	—	—	1.944	1.929	1.909
10	2.23	2.164	—	—	—	—	2.154	2.139	2.119
11	2.44	2.374	—	—	—	—	2.364	2.349	2.329
12	2.65	2.584	—	—	—	—	2.574	2.559	2.539
13	2.86	2.794	—	—	—	—	2.784	2.769	2.749
Card Rate⁵									
Single	\$0.20	\$0.180	\$0.164	\$0.158	\$0.151	\$0.140	—	—	—

1. Computed postage includes \$0.21 for each additional ounce and a \$0.046 discount for presorted and automation rate pieces weighing more than 2 ounces. 2. For keys and ID devices, use this column and add a \$0.35 fee. A nonstandard surcharge might apply to pieces 1 ounce or less. 3. Nonstandard surcharge might apply: single piece \$0.11; presorted and automation \$0.05. 4. Weight not to exceed 3.3 ounces; pieces over 3 ounces subject to additional standards (DMM C810). 5. Single rate applies to a double postcard when originally mailed; reply half of double postcard must bear postage at applicable rate when returned.

EXPRESS MAIL

Weight Not Over (pounds)	Custom Designed	Next Day & Second Day PO to PO	Next Day & Second Day PO to Addressee	Weight Not Over (pounds)	Custom Designed	Next Day & Second Day PO to PO	Next Day & Second Day PO to Addressee
1/2	\$9.25	\$9.40	\$12.25				
1	13.75	13.90	16.00	36	\$66.55	\$66.70	\$68.80
2 ¹	13.75	13.90	16.00	37	67.80	67.95	70.30
3	16.65	16.80	18.85	38	69.35	69.30	71.90
4	19.45	19.60	21.70	39	70.95	70.60	73.50
5	22.25	22.40	24.50	40	72.55	72.00	75.10
6	25.05	25.20	27.30	41	74.15	73.60	76.70
7	27.75	27.90	30.00	42	75.75	75.20	78.35
8	28.95	29.10	31.20	43	77.35	76.80	79.90
9	30.20	30.35	32.45	44	78.95	78.40	81.50
10	31.40	31.55	33.65	45	80.55	80.00	82.90
11	32.90	33.05	35.15	46	81.85	81.55	84.15
12	35.30	35.45	37.55	47	83.25	83.20	85.60
13	36.55	36.70	39.25	48	84.60	84.75	86.90
14	37.95	38.10	40.20	49	85.90	86.05	88.20
15	39.15	39.30	41.40	50	87.20	87.35	89.50
16	40.50	40.65	42.75	51	88.60	88.80	90.95
17	41.85	42.00	44.10	52	89.90	90.05	92.20
18	43.10	43.25	45.35	53	91.30	91.45	93.60
19	44.40	44.55	46.65	54	92.60	92.75	94.90
20	45.75	45.90	48.00	55	93.90	94.10	96.25
21	47.00	47.20	49.25	56	95.35	95.50	97.65
22	48.30	48.45	50.55	57	96.60	96.75	98.90
23	49.65	49.85	51.90	58	97.95	98.10	100.30
24	50.90	51.05	53.15	59	99.45	99.60	101.75
25	52.20	52.40	54.45	60	101.00	101.15	103.30
26	53.50	53.65	55.75	61	102.70	102.85	105.00
27	54.85	55.00	57.05	62	104.25	104.40	106.60
28	56.10	56.25	58.35	63	105.85	106.00	108.15
29	57.45	57.60	59.65	64	107.50	107.70	109.85
30	58.75	58.90	61.00	65	109.10	109.25	111.40
31	60.05	60.20	62.25	66	110.80	110.95	113.10
32	61.35	61.50	63.60	67	112.35	112.50	114.65
33	62.65	62.80	64.85	68	114.05	114.20	116.35
34	63.95	64.10	66.20	69	115.60	115.75	117.90
35	65.25	65.40	67.45	70	117.20	117.35	119.50

Same Day Airport service is currently suspended.

1. The 2-pound rate is charged for matter sent in a flat-rate envelope provided by the USPS, regardless of the actual weight of the piece.

Postal Service/FedEx Business Alliance

On January 10, 2001, the Postal Service announced it had entered into a business alliance with FedEx, including retail and transportation agreements. The following information is provided to help you answer customer and employee questions related to the alliance. As we move forward, you will be provided more detailed information concerning implementation plans.

Key Messages

- On January 10, 2001, the Postal Service and FedEx formed a business alliance that includes two agreements. One provides for space on FedEx airplanes for the transportation of Express Mail, Priority Mail, and First-Class Mail. The other agreement allows FedEx to locate FedEx overnight service collection boxes at Post Offices nationwide.
- These agreements leverage two great networks — the extensive reliability of the FedEx air transportation network and the coast-to-coast retail presence of the Postal Service.
- The ultimate winner is the American consumer. The consumer gains greater choice, flexibility, and convenience.

Talking Points

Retail agreement:

- The estimated value of the drop box placement agreement could range from a minimum of \$126 million to approximately \$232 million, depending upon the number of boxes placed, over the life of the agreement.
- This portion of the agreement will launch with a test in March, and FedEx expects to place thousands of their overnight service collection boxes throughout the country within the next year.
- This is a non-exclusive business concept that will be open to any company that offers an overnight package service with a national reach.

Transportation agreement:

- The Postal Service will pay about \$6.3 billion over seven years for shared access to the FedEx national air transportation network. Over the seven-year contract period, we expect to save about \$1 billion in air transportation costs.
- The shared network will provide the Postal Service with a more reliable and cost effective air network for Priority Mail, Express Mail, and First-Class Mail. It provides greater efficiency, wider reach, and more flexibility.

- FedEx is the second largest airline in the world. It has excess capacity during the day that meets postal requirements, a substantial and stable financial base, a well-developed tracking capability, and a scope of operations that allows the Postal Service to expand its service coverage and improve its performance.
- The transportation agreement is scheduled to take effect in August 2001.

Frequently Asked Questions

Retail agreement:

Q: Does this agreement give FedEx access to the mailbox?

No. These are FedEx drop boxes serviced by FedEx couriers. Nothing in this agreement changes current laws governing who may place mail in the mailbox or in P.O. boxes. The customer's mailbox may be used only for the deposit of U.S. mail.

Q: What if a FedEx or a Postal Service package is received in the incorrect box?

As soon as a carrier or courier discovers that packages have been deposited into the wrong drop box or collection box, he or she will immediately transfer the package(s) to the correct receptacle.

Q: What will the role of postal sales and service associates (window clerks) be in this?

There is virtually no role. In the rare case where a customer mistakenly hands a FedEx package to them, the clerks should politely inform the FedEx customer of location of the FedEx drop box, or refer FedEx customer to 1-800-GO-FEDEX.

Q: Who decides the Post Office locations of the FedEx overnight service collection boxes?

U.S. Postal Service and FedEx representatives will cooperatively determine location of collection boxes.

Q: What benefits do you expect from this agreement?

Everyone benefits. The public always wins when they have greater access to more services. The Postal Service wins from increased revenue from the fee for drop boxes and the potential of new revenue opportunities from increased customer traffic at Post Offices.

Q: Does this agreement mean that we are backing away from our own Express Mail product?

Absolutely not. As part of our FedEx agreement, we are making a substantial long-term investment to improve the reach and reliability of our package services, including Express Mail. We would not make this investment if we did

not believe that Express Mail would continue to play a key role in our product offerings for years to come.

Q: When is the retail agreement expected to take effect?

The pilot program is scheduled to begin early March in Charlotte, North Carolina, and in April in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. National rollout is expected to begin in June.

Q: What are the terms of the test program?

The test program will last approximately 120 days, and during this period, we will work with FedEx to develop and test standard operating processes before a wider rollout.

Q: What is the revenue potential of the retail agreement?

The minimum amount under the terms of the contract for a seven-year term is \$126 million for the installation of 5,000 boxes; the projected maximum, approximately \$232 million, would be reached if FedEx installs collection boxes throughout our retail network.

- FedEx can place overnight service collection boxes at any Post Office, station, or branch nationwide.
- The prices FedEx pays per box go up annually over the seven-year time frame.

Q: Will we see FedEx products in Post Offices?

No. Not by virtue of these agreements.

Transportation agreement:

Q: What are the terms of the transportation agreement?

The Postal Service is purchasing 443,000 cubic feet of space on FedEx's daytime operation and will transport approximately 250,000 pounds of mail on the FedEx night network. NOTE: The reason why we are buying space during the day is because we are buying container capacity. At night, we are adding shipments to FedEx containers.

Q: Why FedEx?

Today, the Postal Service is dependent upon a hodgepodge of air transportation contracts. To increase service reliability and consistency, reduce cost, and manage cost growth in the future, the Postal Service determined it needed one integrated national air transportation network to supplement commercial air carriers.

- FedEx has one of the nation's largest airlines, unmatched reliability and quality service in air transportation.
- FedEx has excess capacity during the day meeting our transportation needs for our 2–3 day and other products.
- FedEx has a well-developed tracking capability that will allow us to expand our service coverage and increase our service reliability and consistency.

Q: What is the cost of the contract?

It is a multi-billion dollar (\$6.3 billion) contract over seven years.

Q: How much does the Postal Service expect to save in air transportation costs?

We expect to save about \$1 billion in air transportation costs over the term of the contract.

Q: How much Express, Priority, and First-Class Mail will be transported daily by FedEx?

As planned, 250,000 pounds on the night network and 3.1 million pounds on the day network.

Q: What other impact will the transportation agreement have on the Postal Service?

Improved service, wider reach, more flexibility, greater efficiency, and thereby increased customer satisfaction.

Q: What impact will this transportation agreement have on the Postal Service's existing air transportation contracts?

The major dedicated air transportation contracts that will be terminated for convenience are the ANET contract with Emery Worldwide and the WNET contract with Kitty Hawk. There are several other smaller contracts that also will be terminated or allowed to expire.

Q: Why didn't the Postal Service competitively bid the transportation agreement?

No other existing entity offers the comprehensive network the Postal Service needs to move the mail.

Q: When will the transportation agreement be implemented?

The transportation agreement will be implemented in August 2001.

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Overseas Military Mail

Mail addressed to or from military post offices overseas is subject to certain conditions or restrictions of mailing regarding content, preparation, and handling. The table below outlines these conditions by APO/FPO ZIP Codes through the use of footnoted mailing restrictions codes, which appear on the page following the table.

Acceptance clerks should use this table with the Integrated Retail Terminal (IRT) or POS ONE terminal to

determine whether an APO/FPO ZIP Code is active and which conditions of mailing apply.

For Express Mail Military Service (EMMS) availability, all acceptance clerks must refer to the local hardcopy EMMS directory.

The complete table appears in the last *Postal Bulletin* of each month. Changes from the previous month's listing are in bold type.

Conditions Applied to Mail Addressed to Military Post Offices Overseas

APO/ FPO	See Restrictions	APO/ FPO	See Restrictions	APO/ FPO	See Restrictions
09001	Not Active	09041	Not Active	09081	B-B1-C-D-U
09002	Not Active	09042	B-B1-C-D-U	09082	Not Active
09003	Not Active	09043	Not Active	09083	Not Active
09004	Not Active	09044	Not Active	09084	Not Active
09005	Not Active	09045	B-B1-C-D-U	09085	Not Active
09006	Not Active	09046	B-B1-C-D-U	09086	B-B1-C-D-U
09007	B-B1-C-D-U	09047	Not Active	09087	Not Active
09008	Not Active	09048	Not Active	09088	Not Active
09009	B-B1-C-D-U	09049	Not Active	09089	B-B1-C-D-U
09010	Not Active	09050	B-B1-C-D-U	09090	B-B1-C-D-U
09011	Not Active	09051	Not Active	09091	Not Active
09012	B-B1-C-D-U	09052	Not Active	09092	Not Active
09013	B-B1-C-D-U-Z1	09053	B-B1-C-D-U	09093	Not Active
09014	B-B1-C-D-U	09054	B-B1-C-D-U	09094	B-B1-C-D
09015	Not Active	09055	Not Active	09095	B-B1-C-D-U
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09018	Not Active	09058	B-B1-C-D-U	09098	B-B1-C-D-U
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09022	Not Active	09062	Not Active	09102	B-B1-C-D-U
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09036	B-B1-C-D-U	09076	B-B1-C-D-U	09116	Not Active
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09038	Not Active	09078	Not Active	09118	Not Active
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09040	Not Active	09080	B-B1-C-D-U	09120	Not Active

APO/ FPO	See Restrictions	APO/ FPO	See Restrictions	APO/ FPO	See Restrictions
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09135	Not Active	09188	Not Active	09242	Not Active
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09172	B-B1-C-D-U	09226	B-B1-C-D-U	09279	Not Active
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09494	B-B1-C-C1-U	09548	Not Active	09602	Not Active

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09775	Not Active	09825	Not Active	09873	Not Active
09776	Not Active	09826	B-B1-E2-E3-F-H1-R-R1-U1-Z1	09874	Not Active
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09787	Not Active	09836	A-B-B1-C-F-M-Z1	09884	Not Active
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09793	A-B-B1-F-R	09842	A-B-B1-Z1	09890	B-B1-E2-F-H1-R-R1-U2-Z1
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		09861	Not Active	09910	Not Active
				09911	Not Active

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96211	Not Active	96264	A-B-B1-U	96318	Not Active
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96216	Not Active	96269	A-B-B1-U	96323	B-B1-M-W
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96499	Not Active	96553	A-B-B1-H-M-N-U	96607	B
96501	Not Active	96554	A-B-B1-H-M-U	96608	B
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96503	Not Active	96556	Not Active	96610	B
96504	Not Active	96557	B-B1-F-M	96611	B
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96544	Not Active	96597	A-B-B1-H-I-M-N-U	96651	Not Active
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96660	B	96676	B	96691	Not Active
96661	B	96677	B	96692	Not Active
96662	B	96678	B	96693	Not Active
96663	B	96679	B	96694	Not Active
96664	B	96680	Not Active	96695	Not Active
96665	B	96681	B	96696	Not Active
96666	B	96682	B	96697	Not Active
96667	B	96683	B	96698	B
96668	B	96684	B	96699	Not Active
96669	B				

RESTRICTIONS

LEGEND

Form 2976, *Customs - CN 22 (Old C 1) and Sender's Declaration* (green label)

Form 2976-A, *Customs Declaration and Dispatch Note*

AAFES	= Army and Air Force Exchange Service
APO	= Army/Air Force Post Office
Box R	= Retired military personnel
FPO	= Fleet Post Office
DMM	= <i>Domestic Mail Manual</i>
MOM	= Military Ordinary Mail
MPO	= Military Post Office
PAL	= Parcel Airlift
PSC	= Postal Service Center
SAM	= Space Available Mail
USDA	= United States Department of Agriculture

Note: Mail order catalogs are prohibited as SAM or PAL mail.

A. Securities, currency, or precious metals in their raw, unmanufactured state are prohibited. Official shipments are exempt from this restriction.

B. Form 2976-A is required for all mail weighing 16 ounces or more, with exceptions noted below. In addition, mailers must properly complete required customs documentation when mailing any potentially dutiable mail addressed to an APO or FPO regardless of weight. The following are exceptions to the requirement for customs documentation on non-dutiable mail that weighs 16 ounces or more:

- Known mailers are exempt from providing customs documentation on non-dutiable letters, and printed matter weighing 16 ounces or more. (A known mailer is anyone who legally applies a permit imprint to a mailpiece. Mail with meter postage is not considered to be from a known mailer.)
- All federal, state, and local government agencies are exempt from providing customs documentation on mail addressed to an APO or FPO, except for those APOs/FPOs to which restriction B2 applies.
- Prepaid mail from military contractors is exempt, providing the mailpiece is endorsed "Contents for Official Use — Exempt from Customs Requirements."

B1. Form 2976 or 2976-A is required. Articles are liable for customs duty and/or purchase tax unless they are bona fide gifts intended for use by military personnel or their dependents. When the contents of a parcel meet these requirements, the mailer must endorse the customs form, "Certified to be a bona fide gift, personal effects, or items for personal use of military personnel and dependents," under the heading, Description of Contents. **Exceptions:** All other exceptions listed in restriction B above are applicable to this restriction.

B2. All federal, state, and local government agencies must complete customs documentation when sending mail addressed to or from this APO or FPO weighing 16 ounces or more.

C. Cigarettes and other tobacco products are prohibited.

C1. Obscene articles, prints, paintings, cards, films, videotapes, etc., and horror comics and matrices are prohibited.

D. Coffee is prohibited.

E1. Medicines or vaccines not conforming to French laws are prohibited.

E2. Any matter containing religious materials contrary to Islamic faith or depicting nude or seminude persons, pornographic or sexual items, or nonauthorized political materials is prohibited.

E3. Radio transceivers, cordless telephones, global positioning systems, scanners, base stations, and hand-held transmitters are prohibited.

F. Firearms of any type are prohibited in all classes of mail. See definitions of firearms in DMM C024.1.1C. This restriction does not apply to firearms mailed to or by official U.S. government agencies.

F1. Privately owned weapons addressed to an individual are prohibited in any class of mail.

F2. Importation of firearms is restricted to one shotgun and one single shot .22 caliber rifle per individual.

G. Only First-Class letters, Periodicals, and Standard Mail (A) are authorized.

H. Meats, including preserved meats, whether hermetically sealed or not, are prohibited.

H1. Pork or pork by-products are prohibited.

I. Mail of all classes must fit in a mail sack. Mail may not exceed the following dimensions:

Length	72" length and girth combined
42"	24" girth
over 44" to 46"	20" girth
over 46" to 48"	16" girth
Maximum length	48"

This restriction does not apply to registered mail and official government mail marked MOM.

I1. This restriction does not apply to registered mail.

I2. This restriction does not apply to official government mail marked MOM.

J. Parcels may not exceed 108 inches in length and girth combined.

K. Mail that includes in the address the words, "Dependent Mail Section," may consist only of letter mail, newspapers, magazines, and books. No parcel of any class containing any other matter may be mailed to the Dependent Mail section. This restriction does not apply if the address does not include the words "Dependent Mail Section."

L. All official mail is prohibited.

M. Fruits, animals, and living plants are prohibited.

N. Registered mail is prohibited.

O. Personal mail addressed to vessels using this number is limited to unregistered First-Class Mail and certified mail. Other classes of mail are prohibited.

P. APO is used for the receipt and dispatch of official mail only.

Q. Mail may not exceed 66 pounds, and size is limited to 42 inches maximum length and 72 inches maximum length and girth combined.

R. All alcoholic beverages, including those available under DMM C021, are prohibited.

R1. Materials used in the production of alcoholic beverages (i.e., distilling material, hops, malts, yeast, etc.) are prohibited.

T. Mailings of case lots of food and supplemental household shipments must be approved by the sender's parent agency prior to mailing.

U. Parcels must weigh less than 16 ounces when addressed to Box R. This restriction does not apply to mail endorsed "Free Matter for the Blind or Handicapped."

U1. Mail is limited to First-Class Mail weighing 13 ounces or less when addressed to Box R. This restriction does not apply to mail endorsed "Free Matter for the Blind or Handicapped." Videotapes are prohibited when addressed to Box R, regardless of weight.

U2. Mail is limited to First-Class letters only when addressed to Box R.

U3. Mail is limited to First-Class correspondence (including voice and video cassettes), newspapers, magazines, photographs, not exceeding 16 ounces, when addressed to Box R.

W. Meat products, such as dried beef, salami, and sausage, may be mailed, provided they remain in their original, hermetically sealed packages and bear USDA certification. Other meats, bones, skin, hair, feathers, horns or hoofs of hoofed animals, wool samples, tobacco leaves, including chewing and pipe tobacco, snuff, cigars, and cigarettes, or obscene material, including obscene drawings, photographs, films, and carvings, are prohibited. Exception: 200 grams of tobacco per parcel are permitted duty free.

X. Personal mail is limited to First-Class Mail (to include audio cassettes and voice tapes) weighing 13 ounces or less. This limitation does not apply to official mail.

Y. Mail is limited to First-Class and Priority Mail only. All Periodicals, Standard Mail (A), and Standard Mail (B) (including SAM and PAL) are not authorized. This restriction also applies to official mail.

Z. No outside pieces (OSPs).

Z1. The Anti-Pilferage Seal (Item No O818-A) is required on all pouches and sacks.

Finance

REVISION

Handbook F-15, Travel and Relocation, and Handbook F-12, Relocation Policy

Effective February 22, 2001, Handbook F-15, *Travel and Relocation*, and Handbook F-12, *Relocation Policy*, are revised as follows to reflect changes in the reimbursement rates for travel and relocation.

This revision will be incorporated into the next printed edition of Handbook F-15 and the online version on the corporate intranet at <http://blue.usps.gov/cpim/ftp/hand/f15.pdf>.

Handbook F-15, *Travel and Relocation*

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Appendix A — Rates

A-1 Standard Mileage Rates

A-1.1 Mileage Rates

Vehicle	Cents per mile (Including Alaska)
Privately owned automobile	34.5
Privately owned motorcycle	27.5
Privately owned airplane	96.5

A-1.2 Reimbursement for Postal Supervisors

Postal supervisors (see 5-5.2.1.2) will be reimbursed at the rate of \$6.00 per day or 34.5 cents per mile, whichever is greater, when a privately owned vehicle is used.

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NOTICE

Mailing Earnings Statements

Effective pay period (PP) 06-2001, the earnings statement (PS Form 1223-B, *Earnings Statement — Net to Bank*) for those employees who have direct deposit (net to bank) will be mailed to the employee's address of record. For those employees who do not have net to bank, payroll checks with attached earnings statements will continue to be distributed at each employee's work location.

Handbook F-12, *Relocation Policy*

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Appendix B — Reimbursement Rates

I. Mileage Rates

A. Standard mileage rates

Vehicle	Cents per mile (Including Alaska)
Privately owned automobile	34.5
Privately owned motorcycle	27.5
Privately owned airplane	96.5

B. Relocation-Related Advance Round-Trip and/or Enroute to New Duty Station

The allowable rate is 34.5 cents per mile.

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It is the responsibility of each employee to ensure that his or her address of record information is correct. Undeliverable net to bank earnings statements will be returned to the employee's finance office for disbursement. Employees who need to update their current mailing address must complete a PS Form 1216, *Employee's Current Mailing Address* (including ZIP+4®), and submit it to their Human Resources office for processing.

Fraud Alert

ALL PERSONNEL PROCESSING MAIL FOR DISPATCH ABROAD

Foreign Order No. 452

Keep all foreign order notices for use as reference.

Tentative Orders

Tentative Lottery Orders have been issued against the following:

Canada

INTERPOST PAYMENT SERVICES
INTERNATIONAL PAYMENTS CENTER
6175 ALMON STREET
PO BOX 8566
HALIFAX NS B3K 5M3
CANADA

Germany

T VETTER
FIRMA
T VETTER
POSTFACH 5767
D-65047 WIESBADEN
GERMANY

Final Orders

The Tentative Decision and Order issued against the following have become final:

Australia

AUSTRALIAN INTERNATIONAL WINNERS GROUP
AIWG
MAIL FORWARDING CENTRE
LOCKED BAG 7799
SPRING HILL 4004
AUSTRALIA
AND
MAIL FORWARDING CENTRE
PO BOX 2434
FORTITUDE VALLEY BC 4006
AUSTRALIA

Canada

PRIZETEC
PO BOX 94800
STN MAIN
RICHMOND BC V6Y 4B8
CANADA

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 BUILDING 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, 2-22-01

Withholding of Mail Orders

Withholding of mail orders is enforced by the postmasters at the cities listed below:

State/City	Names Covered
AZ, Snowflake 85937-0531	Any And All Names Except Lisa S. Riley, Zachary Temple, Lisa Stewart, Summer Riley, And Larry Leroy, P.O. Box 531
CA, Atwater 95301-0013	Any And All Various Names Other Than David Elwartoski, P.O. Box 13
CA, Sacramento 95823-5252	Any And All Various Names Other Than Jonathan Tisdale, Matthew Tisdale, Christine Nixon, Lisa Richards And Jonathan Tisdale, Jr., 6028 Hollyhurst Way
CA, Sacramento 95823-3809	Any And All Various Names Other Than Emilio Torres And Adrian Medrano, 77 Audia Circle
CA, San Diego 92106-2731	Any And All Names, 2726 Shelter Island Drive PMB 80
CA, San Francisco 94115-3126	Any And All Various Names Other Than Matellie's And The Surname Barkouki, 1810 Fillmore Street and
CA, San Francisco 94115-3126	1820 Fillmore Street
MD, Baltimore 21225-1716	Any And All Of Various Names Other Than The Surname of Gavigan, 3818 Leadenhall Street, First Floor

— Recorder's Office, Judicial Officer, 2-22-01

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	380 093 9600 to 380 165 1165 to	9699 1199	399 156 7119 to 399 203 5064 to	7199 5099	412 193 0900 to 412 395 8599 to	0999 8699
011 588 2900 to 011 588 3099	381 325 4500 to 381 604 2510 to	4599 2699	399 296 9910 to 399 396 8935 to	9999 8999	412 485 6500 to 412 485 6610 to	6599 6699
012 579 5675 to 012 579 5699	381 645 9525 to 383 314 3968 to	9599 3999	399 792 7775 to 399 792 8300 to	7799 8399	412 885 5953 to 414 193 3608 to	5999 3674
013 289 6176 to 013 289 6199	383 892 1000 to 383 892 1382 to	1344 1399	400 427 1051 to 401 045 1505 to	1999 1549	414 193 3677 to 414 411 7348 to	3699 7399
013 610 0014 to 013 610 0099	384 925 3641 to 385 568 2331 to	3654 2399	401 045 1571 to 401 294 2700 to	1599 2799	414 640 0757 to 414 965 1727 to	0799 1799
014 932 1000 to 014 932 1099	385 599 7554 to 385 774 2024 to	7575 2099	401 310 9505 to 401 382 5312 to	9599 5399	417 302 8104 to 417 387 6532 to	8199 6599
014 972 0800 to 014 972 0899	386 624 1412 to 386 883 8936 to	1599 8999	402 578 7876 to 403 125 6744 to	7899 6799	417 496 6800 to 417 871 9250 to	6999 9299
015 363 0007 to 015 363 0099	387 314 5574 to 387 837 6300 to	5599 6399	403 260 7000 to 403 280 6470 to	7499 6499	417 930 9533 to 418 164 6500 to	9599 6799
018 986 5264 to 018 986 5299	388 828 0656 to 389 696 2400 to	0699 2799	403 685 8600 to 404 003 0300 to	8699 0399	418 423 9863 to 418 633 5922 to	9899 5999
020 972 8948 to 020 972 8999	389 846 3104 to 389 846 3145 to	3135 3195	404 041 8838 to 404 071 4268 to	8899 4299	418 719 8520 to 418 744 2235 to	8599 2299
022 037 1411 to 022 037 1499	389 887 9211 to 389 887 9234 to	9230 9299	404 347 5356 to 404 347 5548 to	5399 5599	418 962 2848 to 419 543 0286 to	2899 0299
025 092 0987 to 025 092 0999	389 887 9234 to 390 001 3182 to	9299 3199	404 726 4500 to 404 961 5001 to	4599 5199	419 730 0300 to 420 277 0015 to	0399 0049
210 221 0548 to 210 221 0599	390 001 3500 to 390 545 5974 to	3699 5999	405 325 0188 to 406 009 4587 to	0198 4599	420 599 0734 to 420 661 4115 to	0798 4199
273 070 8059 to 273 070 8099	391 104 6146 to 391 574 1466 to	6199 1499	406 260 6830 to 406 459 6641 to	4599 6899	420 758 9500 to 420 969 3951 to	9699 3971
273 775 7700 to 273 775 7899	391 783 3020 to 391 792 6100 to	3599 6199	406 733 3000 to 407 545 1557 to	6999 3999	420 969 3973 to 421 116 3565 to	3999 3599
302 000 0000 to 302 123 9999	392 668 2956 to 392 854 8500 to	2999 8899	407 545 1557 to 407 594 0412 to	1599 0599	421 116 3565 to 421 130 9300 to	3599 9399
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360 011 1690 to 360 168 6008 to	393 838 8316 to 393 893 6007 to	8499 6099	408 265 2275 to 408 499 7700 to	2288 7799	421 656 2609 to 421 988 9700 to	2699 9799
360 173 8800 to 360 324 2326 to	394 126 6907 to 394 189 0405 to	6999 0599	408 499 7900 to 408 682 8484 to	7999 8599	422 172 4667 to 422 484 4212 to	4699 4299
362 861 3064 to 373 006 2176 to	394 822 3243 to 394 990 1810 to	3278 1899	408 698 7015 to 409 072 3941 to	7099 3999	422 556 1270 to 422 587 7024 to	1299 7099
374 768 2600 to 375 169 4400 to	395 343 3264 to 395 373 3035 to	3299 3099	410 491 2311 to 410 694 8400 to	2399 8599	422 819 7533 to 422 842 5073 to	7599 5087
375 829 3400 to 375 851 9100 to	395 396 9649 to 395 970 3240 to	9799 3299	410 775 1500 to 410 795 7927 to	1599 7999	422 907 7563 to 424 500 6050 to	7599 6099
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427 412 6337	to	6499	452 890 4679	to	4799	465 692 3963	to	3999	480 658 0568	to	0599
427 481 0900	to	0999	452 900 8215	to	8238	465 698 8300	to	8599	480 689 5100	to	5199
428 027 2742	to	2752	453 117 9146	to	9199	465 743 7745	to	7799	481 072 9463	to	9499
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430 172 9800	to	9899	453 741 1300	to	1399	469 067 2817	to	2899	482 729 6800	to	6899
430 177 1900	to	2099	454 013 2919	to	2999	469 127 8000	to	8199	483 363 7207	to	7299
430 444 9500	to	9699	454 186 2411	to	2499	469 213 0359	to	0399	483 402 2356	to	2399
430 664 4070	to	4099	454 268 4883	to	4899	469 213 0500	to	0599	483 486 5100	to	5199
432 168 8419	to	8499	454 302 5400	to	5499	469 561 8011	to	8099	483 632 1521	to	1599
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432 744 1544	to	1599	454 547 7434	to	7499	469 666 9900	to	9999	483 849 1615	to	1699
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435 303 1986	to	1999	456 619 4460	to	4499	472 987 0213	to	0241	486 696 3023	to	3199
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443 127 3648	to	3699	458 847 5044	to	5999	475 340 6400	to	6599	489 997 5252	to	5299
443 127 4000	to	4099	459 274 7624	to	7699	475 424 8410	to	8499	490 669 5850	to	6099
443 673 7900	to	7999	459 365 5432	to	5499	475 629 9156	to	9199	490 717 7080	to	7099
443 800 9335	to	9399	459 378 5764	to	5799	475 850 6101	to	6199	490 721 6000	to	6099
444 382 8822	to	8899	459 472 4816	to	4999	475 875 2500	to	2599	490 793 1500	to	2099
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450 801 2700	to	2799	463 011 5529	to	5540	478 469 7838	to	7858	493 470 2562	to	2599
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499 731 6717 to	6799	614 832 1100 to	2099	638 042 1647 to	1699	649 100 3989 to	3999
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500 070 5725 to	7799	617 711 6609 to	6699	638 318 1115 to	1199	649 647 0522 to	0599
600 645 3223 to	3299	617 760 5266 to	5299	638 318 1453 to	1499	649 647 5237 to	5399
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601 653 5884 to	5899	618 840 9200 to	9299	638 903 4362 to	4373	649 666 7800 to	8299
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612 751 5226 to	5299	633 588 7173 to	7182	646 798 4000 to	4999	663 763 5300 to	5399
612 751 6083 to	6099	634 725 0700 to	0799	647 048 7035 to	7099	663 883 7039 to	7499

664 253 8000 to	8499	686 176 3333 to	3354	701 695 3982 to	3999	842 898 5582 to	5599
664 656 3055 to	3099	686 372 3200 to	3299	701 695 4148 to	4199	843 062 7100 to	7199
665 174 6400 to	6499	686 644 5879 to	5899	701 695 4227 to	4299	843 077 6288 to	6299
665 274 8208 to	8299	686 931 7636 to	7699	701 708 1741 to	1799	843 077 6378 to	6399
665 669 5400 to	5499	687 601 0973 to	0999	701 736 3966 to	3999	843 758 5769 to	5778
666 132 8226 to	8299	687 614 6774 to	6799	701 838 2800 to	2899	843 786 2554 to	2699
666 696 2209 to	2299	688 120 9000 to	9999	701 941 0600 to	0699	845 727 2100 to	2199
666 696 2309 to	2399	688 314 3107 to	3191	702 171 1603 to	1699	845 746 2618 to	2635
667 032 9300 to	9399	690 291 1361 to	1371	702 195 5109 to	5199	846 918 0572 to	0599
667 729 5529 to	5599	690 788 2877 to	2899	702 254 9300 to	9399	847 284 2481 to	2499
668 383 8400 to	8699	690 893 5344 to	5399	702 264 7569 to	7599	847 374 7055 to	7065
670 368 3400 to	3499	690 893 5512 to	5599	702 713 1800 to	1809	847 636 5304 to	5399
670 369 7336 to	7399	690 904 1300 to	1599	702 821 5730 to	5799	847 700 5447 to	5499
670 750 7169 to	7199	690 941 6000 to	6199	702 821 5805 to	5899	847 723 7500 to	7599
671 046 6200 to	6399	691 313 6383 to	6399	702 878 0114 to	0199	849 608 1357 to	1399
671 251 5448 to	5499	691 313 6600 to	6699	740 002 7710 to	7719	849 792 2600 to	2699
671 926 5600 to	5799	691 582 8003 to	8099	806 087 1100 to	1499	850 546 1862 to	1899
672 444 2000 to	2999	691 664 1800 to	1999	806 268 9275 to	9299	851 143 6826 to	6844
672 828 3410 to	3499	691 664 2400 to	2499	806 534 3400 to	3477	851 209 9880 to	9899
673 167 5776 to	5799	692 727 9362 to	9399	807 342 3283 to	3399	851 928 9221 to	9299
675 464 3700 to	3799	692 798 1800 to	1899	808 086 7100 to	7199	852 589 6560 to	6599
675 464 4000 to	4199	693 249 0779 to	0799	808 090 3440 to	3499	853 049 3646 to	3699
676 365 5958 to	5999	693 249 0877 to	1699	808 325 5161 to	5699	854 304 4089 to	4999
676 669 1024 to	1099	693 445 0566 to	0999	808 784 8000 to	8299	855 319 9364 to	9399
677 126 6734 to	6799	693 448 8500 to	8999	830 602 5800 to	5999	855 361 3390 to	3399
677 333 9979 to	9999	693 645 9583 to	9599	830 610 3700 to	3799	856 226 0490 to	0499
677 466 1088 to	1099	693 965 4200 to	4299	830 983 3500 to	3599	856 656 5800 to	5999
678 071 4500 to	4799	695 741 2906 to	2999	830 983 3635 to	3699	856 752 0200 to	0299
678 096 7531 to	7599	695 947 8518 to	8599	831 354 1387 to	1399	857 279 3450 to	3499
679 909 2578 to	2599	696 662 8247 to	8299	831 815 8240 to	8299	858 124 7644 to	7699
680 112 9565 to	9599	697 447 8285 to	8296	832 525 3810 to	3899	858 756 3111 to	3299
680 244 0903 to	0999	698 042 4816 to	4899	833 159 1884 to	1899	859 063 8200 to	8699
680 412 6046 to	6099	698 227 0000 to	0099	833 456 2567 to	2599	859 190 0600 to	0644
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681 677 0540 to	0699	700 065 4800 to	4899	834 316 5444 to	5499	859 855 8873 to	8999
682 070 1029 to	1099	700 190 3350 to	3359	835 269 5700 to	5799	860 240 0520 to	0599
682 956 6280 to	6299	700 228 6048 to	6099	835 496 7303 to	7399	860 275 3900 to	3999
682 956 6490 to	6599	700 650 0452 to	0499	835 539 5200 to	5999	860 518 9619 to	9699
682 956 6700 to	6799	700 666 1323 to	1349	835 813 3015 to	3099	860 600 0021 to	0999
682 965 1178 to	1199	700 786 9106 to	9142	838 518 1257 to	1299	861 637 6010 to	6099
682 965 1201 to	1299	700 859 0744 to	0758	839 718 8257 to	8299	861 979 7292 to	7499
683 118 2389 to	2399	701 028 6780 to	6899	840 323 0600 to	0699	863 871 5138 to	5199
683 378 2000 to	2099	701 213 3900 to	3999	840 875 6235 to	6299	866 004 3000 to	3999
683 378 2117 to	2299	701 267 2000 to	3999	840 910 0900 to	0999	869 800 0000 to	999 9999
683 415 1200 to	1499	701 335 7312 to	7399	841 349 5000 to	5099	870 054 4814 to	4899
683 444 8159 to	8199	701 369 2005 to	2050	841 805 7747 to	7899	870 491 4812 to	4849
685 154 7780 to	7789	701 503 2247 to	2299	841 805 7944 to	8099	870 536 5820 to	5829
685 623 5264 to	5299	701 541 2271 to	2299	842 226 0685 to	0695	870 541 7167 to	7239
685 650 9487 to	9499	701 553 6557 to	6599	842 685 4600 to	4699	870 575 8155 to	8999
685 669 4200 to	4299	701 601 3457 to	3499	842 685 4742 to	4999	870 589 0485 to	0494
685 757 8452 to	8499	701 605 5913 to	5999	842 860 0300 to	0399	870 691 7060 to	7099
686 071 2694 to	2799						

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.

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

725 464 591	to	4 920	732 355 201	to	5 380	740 265 811	to	6 290	751 539 121	to	9 180
725 475 321	to	5 330	732 472 320	to	2 560	740 299 111	to	9 170	751 541 311	to	1 790
725 711 057	to	1 070	732 541 605	to	1 620	740 299 231	to	9 260	751 757 641	to	7 700
725 738 581	to	8 730	732 572 221	to	2 490	740 329 266	to	9 320	751 936 951	to	7 010
725 981 311	to	1 430	732 586 479	to	6 710	740 889 081	to	9 090	751 951 861	to	1 890
725 987 835	to	7 880	732 994 037	to	4 080	741 010 421	to	0 530	751 999 021	to	9 110
726 060 811	to	0 900	733 163 449	to	3 460	741 113 041	to	3 370	752 139 516	to	9 570
726 391 970	to	2 520	733 297 171	to	7 290	741 373 891	to	4 340	752 182 892	to	2 950
726 484 771	to	4 800	733 446 631	to	7 110	741 452 369	to	2 490	752 206 861	to	7 100
726 493 351	to	5 300	733 474 665	to	4 770	741 492 991	to	3 140	752 295 241	to	5 600
726 504 031	to	4 063	733 704 482	to	4 570	741 553 460	to	3 470	752 731 351	to	1 410
726 504 070	to	4 090	733 751 041	to	1 130	741 764 431	to	4 520	752 767 441	to	7 470
726 504 331	to	4 390	734 009 101	to	9 130	742 178 834	to	8 880	753 008 941	to	9 030
726 563 701	to	4 060	734 290 759	to	0 770	742 325 500	to	5 520	753 194 311	to	4 370
726 599 371	to	9 460	734 389 273	to	9 290	742 325 668	to	5 700	753 620 378	to	0 400
726 626 356	to	6 370	734 440 031	to	0 111	742 408 771	to	8 830	754 013 917	to	3 940
727 182 271	to	2 510	734 797 201	to	7 320	742 512 120	to	2 150	754 161 061	to	1 120
727 416 181	to	6 240	734 939 611	to	9 640	742 684 849	to	4 890	754 358 445	to	8 610
727 481 431	to	1 460	734 950 111	to	0 170	742 839 553	to	9 630	754 410 451	to	0 660
727 749 241	to	9 780	735 120 331	to	0 840	742 913 668	to	3 700	754 438 393	to	8 410
728 382 331	to	2 480	735 283 008	to	3 020	742 917 287	to	7 296	754 493 109	to	3 130
728 702 338	to	2 400	735 293 131	to	3 220	742 921 891	to	1 980	754 664 182	to	4 220
728 915 371	to	5 850	735 635 010	to	5 040	742 983 631	to	3 810	754 816 377	to	6 470
728 953 141	to	3 410	735 783 961	to	3 990	743 020 021	to	0 170	755 487 421	to	7 600
728 954 280	to	4 310	735 803 401	to	3 430	743 206 491	to	6 500	755 592 901	to	3 140
729 169 081	to	9 140	736 005 420	to	5 440	743 235 992	to	6 050	755 790 020	to	0 030
729 363 841	to	3 870	736 366 021	to	6 110	743 940 631	to	0 900	755 791 730	to	1 800
729 682 891	to	3 190	736 624 456	to	4 500	743 978 011	to	8 070	755 926 951	to	7 070
729 838 940	to	9 070	736 670 851	to	1 060	744 234 751	to	4 780	755 934 332	to	4 510
729 839 101	to	9 130	736 767 061	to	7 090	744 499 591	to	9 680	755 957 701	to	8 000
730 077 683	to	7 840	736 767 093	to	7 120	744 626 901	to	6 910	755 962 981	to	3 280
730 109 847	to	9 880	736 982 191	to	2 370	745 388 794	to	8 910	756 035 371	to	5 490
730 373 761	to	3 850	736 982 551	to	2 730	746 446 806	to	6 820	756 301 257	to	1 290
730 501 951	to	2 130	737 110 141	to	0 170	746 818 351	to	8 410	756 371 565	to	1 580
730 519 379	to	9 470	737 185 501	to	5 710	747 245 266	to	5 280	756 876 031	to	6 120
730 569 278	to	9 360	737 317 321	to	7 350	747 364 813	to	4 830	756 876 151	to	6 240
730 711 711	to	1 740	737 517 781	to	7 840	747 501 434	to	1 450	756 970 129	to	0 140
730 722 991	to	3 230	737 628 181	to	8 210	747 739 891	to	0 070	757 059 613	to	9 630
730 845 970	to	5 990	737 634 258	to	4 270	748 148 649	to	8 760	757 078 540	to	8 560
730 888 291	to	8 320	738 361 971	to	1 980	748 259 960	to	9 970	757 086 209	to	6 240
730 927 591	to	7 680	738 447 601	to	7 660	748 565 162	to	5 280	757 240 591	to	0 650
731 307 914	to	7 930	738 648 355	to	8 450	748 874 988	to	5 030	757 277 371	to	7 700
731 402 431	to	2 460	738 849 811	to	9 900	749 137 381	to	7 410	757 291 591	to	2 730
731 407 232	to	7 320	738 892 270	to	2 290	749 190 192	to	0 210	757 964 251	to	4 280
731 588 301	to	8 340	738 997 259	to	7 380	749 685 421	to	5 450	758 105 221	to	5 250
731 767 273	to	7 320	739 161 451	to	1 540	749 846 791	to	6 850	758 324 941	to	5 000
731 781 061	to	1 120	739 219 381	to	9 440	749 993 131	to	3 580	758 593 628	to	3 650
731 837 821	to	7 910	739 740 151	to	0 180	750 071 587	to	1 610	758 709 038	to	9 060
731 841 377	to	1 450	739 793 491	to	3 520	750 408 167	to	8 183	758 744 101	to	4 160
732 018 481	to	8 600	739 793 527	to	3 550	750 438 421	to	8 501	758 850 883	to	0 900
732 067 972	to	8 370	739 942 621	to	2 650	750 743 911	to	4 030	759 152 851	to	2 880
732 188 649	to	8 670	739 999 231	to	9 320	750 779 118	to	9 400	759 740 941	to	1 090
732 193 460	to	3 470	740 011 517	to	1 530	750 910 981	to	1 010	760 004 596	to	4 610
732 201 241	to	1 390	740 030 701	to	0 970	750 960 841	to	0 900	760 118 191	to	8 250
732 220 431	to	0 440	740 261 740	to	1 820	751 296 211	to	6 240	760 155 001	to	5 090

760 378 002 to 8 020	761 881 171 to 1 560	763 522 141 to 2 470	764 650 231 to 0 470
761 055 460 to 5 480	762 304 144 to 4 170	763 717 694 to 7 800	766 120 286 to 0 320
761 504 941 to 5 120	762 324 931 to 4 960	763 826 461 to 6 520	766 125 716 to 5 750
761 516 836 to 6 850	762 439 261 to 9 290	763 900 460 to 0 471	766 158 824 to 8 840
761 516 851 to 6 910	762 524 158 to 4 220	763 900 479 to 0 530	766 205 616 to 5 640
761 613 588 to 3 600	762 584 872 to 4 970	763 917 271 to 7 750	766 388 433 to 8 460
761 688 631 to 8 690	763 155 160 to 5 180	764 125 801 to 5 860	766 509 421 to 9 660
761 805 199 to 5 240	763 178 631 to 8 660	764 526 241 to 6 330	766 572 901 to 3 020
761 826 106 to 6 120	763 506 001 to 6 060	764 601 421 to 1 600	767 326 471 to 6 590

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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, 2-22-01*

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, 2-22-01*

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

number” 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.

005027	015318	018568	021239	032047	068207	080256	096106	108075	124019	159048	207883	220244
005384	015320	018574	021370	036004	068370	080260	096302	108567	124183	159086	207897	220371
005434	015322	018646	021398	038004	068456	080280	096326	108574	125275	159200	207925	220378
005451	015367	018700	021416	038417	068528	080300	096465	108768	125475	159206	207926	220634
005452	015373	018751	021434	039021	069073	080303	096614	109007	126008	159212	208702	220790
005465	015389	018752	021516	040327	069149	080309	097094	109292	126064	159269	208868	220840
005799	015442	018763	021527	041102	069259	080316	097368	109952	129921	165049	210027	221541
005832	015447	018789	021558	042023	069758	080334	097524	110732	130030	165148	210058	222134
005847	015469	018791	021559	045016	070116	080372	097639	110809	133048	165232	210102	222149
005855	015498	018809	021563	045035	070230	080377	097713	110884	135148	170171	210103	222202
006278	015532	018815	021564	047131	070431	080386	097716	111301	137004	174067	210135	222232
007045	015549	018832	021630	052007	070500	080444	097767	111371	142048	174076	210151	222240
007067	015603	018855	021637	053030	070572	080453	098048	111476	142083	174088	210163	222260
007207	015658	018936	021673	053086	070611	080480	098154	111779	142096	175078	210174	222270
007268	016063	018947	021696	054009	071106	080483	098174	111954	142106	175080	210322	222320
007269	016134	018962	021762	054233	071141	080511	098224	111992	142154	175081	210333	223370
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008317	016357	018974	021938	055145	071341	080566	098331	113029	142182	177040	210344	225020
008895	016375	018986	021967	055177	071427	080581	098332	113118	142184	180013	210416	226051
009129	016481	019077	022019	055183	071661	080615	098358	113153	142194	180097	210436	231014
009203	016503	019092	022055	055190	071854	080622	098374	113191	142246	184065	210496	232303
009277	016652	019105	022110	055194	075244	080644	098417	113352	142260	185030	210504	232370
009320	016678	019227	022128	055198	075344	080676	098705	113401	142295	185051	210519	235269
009702	016711	019274	022178	055209	075492	085039	098875	114371	142419	185073	210520	235398
009758	016733	019286	022331	055216	075672	085611	098913	114439	142688	186030	210527	235403
009771	016855	019288	022672	055225	075951	085687	098974	114510	142878	187071	210531	235519
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International Mail

ICM UPDATE

International Customized Mail

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- b. Type of mail:** International Surface Air Lift Service (ISAL) and International Priority Airmail Service (IPA). Every item must conform to the mailing requirements set forth in the IMM for Qualifying Mail.
- c. Destination countries:** Worldwide.
- d. Service provided by the Postal Service:** The Postal Service has agreed to:
 1. Furnish Mailer, or Mailing Agent, with the equipment and supplies necessary for the use of Qualifying Mail.
 2. Provide Mailer, or Mailing Agent, with the preparation requirements for Qualifying Mail and any training necessary to prepare Qualifying Mail in conformity with Postal Service requirements.
 3. Transport Qualifying Mail to international destinations for delivery by the appropriate authority.
- e. Minimum volume commitment:** The Mailer has agreed to tender a minimum of \$2 million in international postage in each calendar year of the Agreement. At least ninety-nine (99) percent of IPA and ISAL Qualifying Mail in drop shipments to the appropriate locations.

f. Worksharing: The Mailer has agreed to:

1. Provide the Postal Service with notification of intent to drop ship mail at a specific International Service Center (ISC) two weeks before the initial shipment to that ISC.
2. Provide the Postal Service with notification of new dedicated permit numbers two weeks in advance of using the new dedicated permit numbers.
3. Provide the appropriate Postal Service acceptance sites with projections of mailing to include the intended date of mailing, weight, and volume of the mailings.

g. Rates: The Mailer has agreed to pay postage for IPA and ISAL Qualifying Mail at a rate discounted at five (5) percent off of nondiscounted published rates in effect on the date of mailing.

Note: If Mailer does not tender at least \$2 million in actual postage on an annualized basis, the Mailer must reimburse the Postal Service the amount of the additional discount it received above the discount earned subject to the Agreement in accordance with Exhibit 1.

Exhibit 1

Annual IPA and ISAL Postage (After Discount)	Percentage Discount Applied to IPA and ISAL
\$2,000,000–\$4,999,999	5.00%
5,000,000–5,999,999	10.00
6,000,000–6,999,999	11.00
7,000,000–7,999,999	12.00
8,000,000–8,999,999	13.00
9,000,000–9,999,999	14.00
10,000,000 +	15.00

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 2. Provide Mailer, or Mailing Agent, with the preparation requirements for Qualifying Mail and any training necessary to prepare Qualifying Mail in conformity with Postal Service requirements.
 3. Transport Qualifying Mail to international destinations for delivery by the appropriate authority.
- e. **Minimum volume commitments:** The Mailer has agreed to tender a minimum of \$10 million in international postage in each calendar year of the Agreement. At least ninety-nine (99) percent of IPA and ISAL Qualifying Mail in drop shipments to the appropriate locations.
- f. **Worksharing:** The Mailer has agreed to:
 1. Provide the Postal Service with notification of intent to drop ship mail at a specific International Service Center (ISC) two weeks before the initial shipment to that ISC.
 2. Provide the Postal Service with notification of new dedicated permit numbers two weeks in advance of using the new dedicated permit numbers.
 3. Provide the appropriate Postal Service acceptance sites with projections of mailing to include the intended date of mailing, weight, and volume of the mailings.

- g. **Rates:** The Mailer has agreed to pay postage for IPA and ISAL Qualifying Mail at a rate discounted at fifteen and one-quarter (15.25) percent off of nondiscounted published rates in effect on the date of mailing.

Note: If Mailer does not tender at least \$10 million in actual postage on an annualized basis, the Mailer must reimburse the Postal Service the amount of the additional discount it received above the discount earned subject to the Agreement in accordance with Exhibit 1.

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\$2,000,000–\$4,999,999	5.00%
5,000,000–5,999,999	10.00
6,000,000–6,999,999	11.00
7,000,000–7,999,999	12.00
8,000,000–8,999,999	13.00
9,000,000–9,999,999	14.00
10,000,000–14,999,999	15.25
15,000,000–19,999,999	15.50
20,000,000–24,999,999	15.75
25,000,000 +	16.00

— *International Business, 2-22-01*

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- d. **Service provided by the Postal Service:** The Postal Service has agreed to:
 1. Furnish Mailer, or Mailing Agent, with the equipment and supplies necessary for the use of Qualifying Mail.
 2. Provide Mailer, or Mailing Agent, with the preparation requirements for Qualifying Mail and any training necessary to prepare Qualifying Mail in conformity with Postal Service requirements.
 3. Transport Qualifying Mail to international destinations for delivery by the appropriate authority.
- e. **Minimum volume commitment:** The Mailer has agreed to tender a minimum of \$10 million in international postage in each calendar year of the Agreement. At least ninety-nine (99) percent of IPA and ISAL Qualifying Mail in drop shipments to the appropriate locations.
- f. **Worksharing:** The Mailer has agreed to:
 1. Provide the Postal Service with notification of intent to drop ship mail at a specific International Service Center (ISC) two weeks before the initial shipment to that ISC.
 2. Provide the Postal Service with notification of new dedicated permit numbers two weeks in advance of using the new dedicated permit numbers.
 3. Provide the appropriate Postal Service acceptance sites with projections of mailing to include the intended date of mailing, weight, and volume of the mailings.

- g. **Rates:** The Mailer has agreed to pay postage for IPA and ISAL Qualifying Mail at a rate discounted at fifteen and one-quarter (15.25) percent off of nondiscounted published rates in effect on the date of mailing.

Note: If Mailer does not tender at least \$10 million in actual postage on an annualized basis, the Mailer must reimburse the Postal Service the amount of the additional discount it received above the discount earned subject to the Agreement in accordance with Exhibit 1.

Exhibit 1

Annual IPA, ISAL Postage (After Discount)	Percentage Discount Applied to IPA and ISAL
\$2,000,000–\$4,999,999	5.00%
5,000,000–5,999,999	10.00
6,000,000–6,999,999	11.00
7,000,000–7,999,999	12.00
8,000,000–8,999,999	13.00
9,000,000–9,999,999	14.00
10,000,000–14,999,999	15.25
15,000,000–19,999,999	15.50
20,000,000–24,999,999	15.75
25,000,000 +	16.00

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- b. **Type of mail:** Express Mail International Service (EMS), International Surface Air Lift Service (ISAL), and International Priority Airmail Service (IPA). Every item must conform to the mailing requirements set forth in the IMM for Qualifying Mail.
- c. **Destination countries:** Worldwide.
- d. **Service provided by the Postal Service:** The Postal Service has agreed to:
 - 1. Furnish Mailer, or Mailing Agent, with the equipment and supplies necessary for the use of Qualifying Mail.
 - 2. Provide Mailer, or Mailing Agent, with the preparation requirements for Qualifying Mail and any training necessary to prepare Qualifying Mail in conformity with Postal Service requirements.
 - 3. Transport Qualifying Mail to international destinations for delivery by the appropriate authority.
- e. **Minimum volume commitment:** The Mailer has agreed to tender a minimum of \$15 million in international postage in each calendar year of the Agreement. At least ninety-nine (99) percent of IPA and ISAL Qualifying Mail in drop shipments to the appropriate locations.
- f. **Worksharing:** The Mailer has agreed to:
 - 1. Provide the Postal Service with notification of intent to drop ship mail at a specific International Service Center (ISC) two weeks before the initial shipment to that ISC.
 - 2. Provide the Postal Service with notification of new dedicated permit numbers two weeks in advance of using the new dedicated permit numbers.
 - 3. Provide the appropriate Postal Service acceptance sites with projections of mailing to include the intended date of mailing, weight, and volume of the mailings.

g. Rates: The Mailer has agreed to pay postage:

- 1. For IPA and ISAL Qualifying Mail at a rate discounted at fifteen and one-half (15.50) percent off of nondiscounted published rates in effect on the date of mailing.
- 2. For EMS mail in accordance with Exhibit 1.

Note: If Mailer does not tender at least \$15 million in actual postage on an annualized basis, the Mailer must reimburse the Postal Service the amount of the additional discount it received above the discount earned subject to the Agreement in accordance with Exhibit 2.

Exhibit 1

Group	Rates (\$US)	
	Per Piece	Plus Per Pound
2 (Mexico)	\$15.21	\$1.90
3 (UK)	18.17	2.54
4 (Japan)	16.73	2.83
5 (China)	14.15	3.59
6	13.52	2.62
7	18.67	2.70
8	12.80	3.55
9	14.15	3.93
10	16.48	3.59
11	21.97	4.01
12	16.90	3.38

Exhibit 2

Annual IPA, ISAL Postage (After Discount)	Percentage Discount Applied to IPA and ISAL
\$2,000,000–\$4,999,999	5.00%
5,000,000–5,999,999	10.00
6,000,000–6,999,999	11.00
7,000,000–7,999,999	12.00
8,000,000–8,999,999	13.00
9,000,000–9,999,999	14.00
10,000,000–14,999,999	15.25
15,000,000–19,999,999	15.50
20,000,000–24,999,999	15.75
25,000,000 +	16.00

ICM UPDATE

International Customized Mail

On December 19, 2000, the Postal Service entered into an International Customized Mail (ICM) Service Agreement with a qualifying mailer. In accordance with *International Mail Manual* (IMM) 297.4, the Postal Service hereby makes public the following information concerning the Agreement:

- a. **Term:** January 1, 2001, through December 31, 2004.
- b. **Type of mail:** International Surface Air Lift Service (ISAL) and International Priority Airmail Service (IPA). Every item must conform to the mailing requirements set forth in the IMM for Qualifying Mail.
- c. **Destination countries:** Worldwide.
- d. **Service provided by the Postal Service:** The Postal Service has agreed to:
 1. Furnish Mailer, or Mailing Agent, with the equipment and supplies necessary for the use of Qualifying Mail.
 2. Provide Mailer, or Mailing Agent, with the preparation requirements for Qualifying Mail and any training necessary to prepare Qualifying Mail in conformity with Postal Service requirements.
 3. Transport Qualifying Mail to international destinations for delivery by the appropriate authority.
- e. **Minimum volume commitment:** The Mailer has agreed to tender a minimum of \$10 million in international postage in each calendar year of the Agreement. At least ninety-nine (99) percent of IPA and ISAL Qualifying Mail in drop shipments to the appropriate locations.
- f. **Worksharing:** The Mailer has agreed to:
 1. Provide the Postal Service with notification of intent to drop ship mail at a specific International Service Center (ISC) two weeks before the initial shipment to that ISC.
 2. Provide the Postal Service with notification of new dedicated permit numbers two weeks in advance of using the new dedicated permit numbers.
 3. Provide the appropriate Postal Service acceptance sites with projections of mailing to include the intended date of mailing, weight, and volume of the mailings.

- g. **Rates:** The Mailer has agreed to pay postage for IPA and ISAL Qualifying Mail at a rate discounted at fifteen and one-quarter (15.25) percent off of nondiscounted published rates in effect on the date of mailing.

Note: If Mailer does not tender at least \$10 million in actual postage on an annualized basis, the Mailer must reimburse the Postal Service the amount of the additional discount it received above the discount earned subject to the Agreement in accordance with Exhibit 1.

Exhibit 1

Annual IPA, ISAL Postage (After Discount)	Percentage Discount Applied to IPA and ISAL
\$2,000,000–\$4,999,999	5.00%
5,000,000–5,999,999	10.00
6,000,000–6,999,999	11.00
7,000,000–7,999,999	12.00
8,000,000–8,999,999	13.00
9,000,000–9,999,999	14.00
10,000,000–14,999,999	15.25
15,000,000–19,999,999	15.50
20,000,000–24,999,999	15.75
25,000,000 +	16.00

— *International Business, 2-22-01*

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- b. **Type of mail:** International Priority Airmail Service (IPA), International Surface Air Lift Service (ISAL), and Global Express Mail Service (EMS). Every item must conform to the mailing requirements set forth in the IMM for Qualifying Mail.
- c. **Destination countries:** Worldwide.
- d. **Service provided by the Postal Service:** The Postal Service has agreed to:
 - 1. Furnish Mailer, or Mailing Agent, with the equipment and supplies necessary for the use of Qualifying Mail.
 - 2. Provide Mailer, or Mailing Agent, with the preparation requirements for Qualifying Mail and any training necessary to prepare Qualifying Mail in conformity with Postal Service requirements.
 - 3. Transport Qualifying Mail to international destinations for delivery by the appropriate authority.
 - 4. For EMS, provide at the end of each postal accounting period a Corporate Account mailing statement showing a beginning balance, deposits, a listing of each shipment mailed and date, label numbers, office of mailing, number of shipments, postage and fees, and the ending balance in the account.
- e. **Minimum volume commitment:** The Mailer has agreed to tender a minimum of \$25 million in international postage in each calendar year of the Agreement.
 At least ninety-nine (99) percent of IPA and ISAL Qualifying Mail in drop shipments to the appropriate locations.
- f. **Worksharing:** The Mailer has agreed to:
 - 1. Provide the Postal Service with notification of intent to drop ship mail at a specific International Service Center (ISC) two weeks before the initial shipment to that ISC.
 - 2. Provide the Postal Service with notification of new dedicated permit numbers two weeks in advance of using the new dedicated permit numbers.

- 3. Provide the appropriate Postal Service acceptance sites with projections of mailing to include the intended date of mailing, weight, and volume of the mailings.

g. Rates: The Mailer has agreed to pay postage:

- 1. For IPA and ISAL Qualifying Mail at a rate discounted at sixteen (16) percent off of nondiscounted published rates in effect on the date of mailing.
- 2. For EMS rates contained in Exhibit 1.

Note: If Mailer does not tender at least \$25 million in actual postage on an annualized basis, the Mailer must reimburse the Postal Service the amount of the additional discount it received above the discount earned subject to the Agreement in accordance with Exhibit 2.

Exhibit 1

Group	Rates (\$US)	
	Per Piece	Plus Per Pound
2 (Mexico)	\$15.12	\$1.89
3 (UK)	18.06	2.52
4 (Japan)	16.63	2.81
5 (China)	14.07	3.57
6	13.44	2.60
7	18.56	2.69
8	12.73	3.53
9	14.07	3.91
10	16.38	3.57
11	21.84	3.99
12	16.80	3.36

Exhibit 2

Annual IPA, ISAL Postage (After Discount)	Percentage Discount Applied to IPA and ISAL
\$2,000,000–\$4,999,999	5.00%
5,000,000–5,999,999	10.00
6,000,000–6,999,999	11.00
7,000,000–7,999,999	12.00
8,000,000–8,999,999	13.00
9,000,000–9,999,999	14.00
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- c. **Destination countries:** Worldwide.
- d. **Service provided by the Postal Service:** The Postal Service has agreed to:
 1. Furnish Mailer, or Mailing Agent, with the equipment and supplies necessary for the use of Qualifying Mail.
 2. Provide Mailer, or Mailing Agent, with the preparation requirements for Qualifying Mail and any training necessary to prepare Qualifying Mail in conformity with Postal Service requirements.
 3. Transport Qualifying Mail to international destinations for delivery by the appropriate authority.
 4. For EMS provide at the end of each postal accounting period a Corporate Account mailing statement.
- e. **Minimum volume commitment:** The Mailer has agreed to tender a minimum of \$10 million in international postage in each calendar year of the Agreement. At least ninety-nine (99) percent of IPA and ISAL Qualifying Mail in drop shipments to the appropriate locations.
- f. **Worksharing:** The Mailer has agreed to:
 1. Provide the Postal Service with notification of intent to drop ship mail at a specific International Service Center (ISC) two weeks before the initial shipment to that ISC.
 2. Provide the Postal Service with notification of new dedicated permit numbers two weeks in advance of using the new dedicated permit numbers.
 3. Provide the appropriate Postal Service acceptance sites with projections of mailing to include the intended date of mailing, weight, and volume of the mailings.

g. Rates: The Mailer has agreed to pay postage:

1. For IPA and ISAL Qualifying Mail at a rate discounted fifteen and one-quarter (15.25) percent off of nondiscounted published rates in effect on the date of mailing.
2. For EMS mail in accordance with Exhibit 1.
3. For GPM at a rate discounted fifteen and one-quarter (15.25) percent off of GPM published rates in effect on the date of mailing.

Note: If Mailer does not tender at least \$10 million in actual postage on an annualized basis, the Mailer must reimburse the Postal Service the amount of the additional discount it received above the discount earned subject to the Agreement in accordance with Exhibit 2.

Exhibit 1

Group	Rates (\$US)	
	Per Piece	Plus Per Pound
2 (Mexico)	\$15.26	\$1.91
3 (UK)	18.22	2.54
4 (Japan)	16.78	2.84
5 (China)	14.20	3.60
6	13.56	2.63
7	18.73	2.71
8	12.84	3.56
9	14.20	3.94
10	16.53	3.60
11	22.04	4.03
12	16.95	3.39

Exhibit 2

Annual IPA, ISAL Postage (After Discount)	Percentage Discount Applied to IPA and ISAL
\$2,000,000–\$4,999,999	5.00%
5,000,000–5,999,999	10.00
6,000,000–6,999,999	11.00
7,000,000–7,999,999	12.00
8,000,000–8,999,999	13.00
9,000,000–9,999,999	14.00
10,000,000–14,999,999	15.25
15,000,000–19,999,999	15.50
20,000,000–24,999,999	15.75
25,000,000 +	16.00

Mail Recovery Centers

ALL DELIVERY UNITS AND PROCESSING FACILITIES

Do Not Send All Undeliverable Mail to Mail Recovery Centers

Mail Recovery Centers (MRCs) continue to receive undeliverable mail that should be processed or handled at the delivery unit or processing facility. To minimize the expense of unnecessary handling at the MRC, do not forward the following categories of mail:

- Any undeliverable or unendorsed bulk business mail letters and flats.
- Any printed matter: circulars, newspapers, magazines, telephone books, catalogs, and similar publications.
- No-value, nonmail, or loose-in-mail contents (less than \$10) such as used wallets, purses, pens, pencils, keys, key chains, samples, and pins.
- Medicines, perishables, and articles likely to harm employees or damage equipment.
- Articles likely to attract pests.
- Postcards and postal cards. Recycle or destroy those by shredding or tearing them into pieces before local disposal.

If you can, recycle all of those items locally. As a last resort you may destroy them and treat them as waste at the local plant, bulk mail center, station, or Post Office.

Forward any damaged mail (rewrapped mail) that has an identifiable address to the addressee, if possible; otherwise, return to sender.

See *Postal Operations Manual* (Issue 8) 69, Dead Mail, for complete procedures.

— *Mail Recovery Program,
Consumer Affairs Operations, 2-22-01*

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STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT 01-20

The Nobel Prize Commemorative Stamp



Copyright USPS 2000

The Postal Service will issue a 34-cent *The Nobel Prize* commemorative stamp (Item Number 451100) in Washington, DC 20066, on March 22, 2001. The stamp, designed by Olöf Baldursdottir of Stockholm, Sweden, and engraved by Czeslaw Slania of Stockholm, Sweden, goes on sale nationwide March 23, 2001.

In partnership with Sweden Post, the Postal Service honors the centennial of the distinguished Nobel Prize. Sweden Post is issuing its stamp commemorating the Nobel Prize with three associated stamps in a booklet at the same time. These stamps can be ordered from Stamp Fulfillment Services (SFS) by telephone at 1 800 STAMP-24.

Since 1901, the Nobel Foundation has awarded five annual prizes for outstanding achievement in physics, chemistry, physiology or medicine, literature, and peace. In 1968, an annual prize in economic sciences was established in memory of Alfred Nobel. Nobel Prize winners receive a gold medal, a diploma, and prize money. This stamp depicts a profile portrait of Alfred Nobel, the gold medal for peace designed by Norwegian sculptor Gustav Vigeland, and the gold medal for physics, chemistry, physiology or medicine, and literature designed by Swedish sculptor and engraver Erik Lindberg.

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 U.S. stamps at their local Post Office, affix the stamps to envelopes of their choice, address the envelopes (to themselves or

Issue:	<i>The Nobel Prize</i>
Item Number:	451100
Denomination & Type of Issue:	34-cent commemorative
Format:	Pane of 20 (1 design)
Series:	N/A
Issue Date & City:	March 22, 2001 Washington, DC 20066
Designer:	Olöf Baldursdottir, Sweden Post, Stockholm, Sweden
Offset Engravers:	De La Rue Security Printing
Intaglio Engravers:	Czeslaw Slania, Sweden Post, Stockholm, Sweden
Art Directors:	Terrence W. McCaffrey, USPS, Washington, DC Stephan Fransius, Sweden Post, Stockholm, Sweden
Typographer:	Olöf Baldursdottir, Sweden Post, Stockholm, Sweden
Modeler:	Sandra Lane
Manufacturing Process:	Offset/Intaglio
Printer:	De La Rue Security Printing
Printed at:	De La Rue Security Printing, Dulles, VA
Offset Press Types:	Miller
Intaglio Press Types:	De La Rue
Stamps per pane:	20
Print Quantity:	35 million stamps
Paper Type:	Prephosphored, Type I
Gum Type:	Water-activated
Processed at:	Unique Binders, Fredericksburg, VA
Offset Colors:	Gold, Brown
Intaglio Colors:	Dark Brown
Stamp Orientation:	Horizontal
Image Area (w x h):	1.41 x 0.84 in./35.81 x 21.34 mm
Overall Size (w x h):	1.56 x 0.99 in./39.62 x 25.15 mm
Full Pane Size (w x h) :	7.3745 x 5.94 in./187.20 x 150.88 mm
Plate Size:	240 stamps per revolution
Plate Numbers:	"S" followed by three (3) single digits
Marginal Markings:	"© USPS 2000" • Plate Numbers • Price • Plate Position • Diagram
Catalog Item Number(s):	451140 Full Pane — \$6.80 451130 Block of 10 — \$3.40 451120 Block of 4 — \$1.36 451161 First Day Cover — \$0.55 451170 Joint First Day Cover — \$1.33 451179 Swedish Stamp Booklet (4 stamps) — \$3.10
Sale Date:	March 22, 2001
Nationwide Sale Date:	March 23, 2001

others), and place them in a larger envelope addressed to:

THE NOBEL PRIZE COMMEMORATIVE STAMP
 POSTMASTER
 900 BRENTWOOD RD NE
 WASHINGTON DC 20066-9991

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 April 21, 2001.

Customers can also request a first day of issue Swedish Post postmark by affixing the stamp or stamps to an envelope, providing a stamped self-addressed envelope for its return, placing these in a larger envelope, and mailing to the address above. This cancelled envelope cannot be used for U.S. or Swedish mail. Again, customers can purchase the Sweden Post stamp booklet only through SFS.

SFS also offers first day covers for new stamp issues and postal stationery items postmarked with the official first day of issue cancellation. (See the technical details in this article for the catalog numbers for the Swedish stamps and for the joint first day cover.) Each item has an individual catalog number and is offered in the quarterly *USA Philatelic* catalog. Customers may order stamps by telephoning 1 800 STAMP-24. 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 1 year after the stamp's issuance.

Philatelic Products

The Nobel Prize Joint First Day Cover, Item Number 451170 — \$1.33, featuring both U.S. and Swedish stamps with first day of issue cancellations.

Distribution

Stamp distribution offices (SDOs) will receive one-quarter of their standard automatic distribution quantities for *The Nobel Prize* commemorative stamp. Distributions are rounded up to the nearest master carton size (70,000 stamps).

Initial Supply to Post Offices

SDOs will make a subsequent automatic distribution to Post Offices for one-quarter of their standard automatic distribution quantities using PS Form 3309, *Advice of Shipment/Stamp Invoice*, and PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*. SDOs must not distribute stamps to Post Offices before March 12, 2001.

Additional Supply

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

Philatelic Requirement

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

SDOs That Serve This Many Philatelic Windows...	Will Receive This Quantity of <i>The Nobel Prize</i> Commemorative Stamp, Item Number 451100...
1	12,000
2	12,000
3	24,000
4	24,000
5	36,000
6	36,000
7	48,000
8	48,000
9	60,000
12	72,000
13	84,000
16	96,000
19	120,000

Sales Policy

All Post Offices must acquire and maintain a supply of each new commemorative stamp as long as customer demand exists, until inventory is depleted, or until the stamp is officially withdrawn from sale. If supplies run low, Post Offices must reorder additional quantities using their normal ordering procedures.

— Stamp Services,
 Public Affairs and Communications, 2-22-01

STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT 01-21

Mt. McKinley International Rate Stamp

Copyright USPS 2000

The Postal Service will issue an 80-cent *Mt. McKinley* international rate stamp (Item Number 561500) in Fairbanks, AK 99709, on March 23, 2001. The stamp, designed by Ethel Kessler of Bethesda, MD, and based on a photograph by John Eastcott and Yva Momatiuk of Hurley, NY, goes on sale nationwide March 24, 2001.

Mt. McKinley is North America's highest mountain at 20,320 feet and is part of the Alaska Range in the Denali National Park and Preserve. The original park was established as Mt. McKinley National Park on February 26, 1917, as a wilderness area and was incorporated into Denali National Park and Preserve in 1980.

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:

MT. MCKINLEY INTERNATIONAL RATE STAMP
POSTMASTER
5400 MAIL TRAIL
FAIRBANKS AK 99709-9991

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 April 23, 2001.

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

Issue:	<i>Mount McKinley</i>
Item Number:	561500
Denomination & Type of Issue:	80-cent international
Format:	Pane of 20 (1 design)
Series:	N/A
Issue Date & City:	March 23, 2001 Fairbanks, AK 99709
Photographers:	John Eastcott and Yva Momatiuk, Hurley, NY
Designer:	Ethel Kessler, Bethesda, MD 20814
Engraver:	Southern Graphics System
Art Director:	Ethel Kessler, Bethesda, MD 20814
Typographer:	Ethel Kessler, Bethesda, MD 20814
Modeler:	Avery Dennison, SPD
Manufacturing Process:	Gravure
Printer:	Avery Dennison (AVR)
Printed at:	AVR, Clinton, SC
Press Type:	Dia Nippon Kiko (DNK)
Stamps per Pane:	20
Print Quantity:	85 million stamps
Paper Type:	Prephosphored, Type I
Gum Type:	Self-adhesive
Processed at:	AVR, Clinton, SC
Colors:	Yellow, Cyan, Magenta, Black, Silver
Stamp Orientation:	Horizontal
Image Area (w x h):	1.410 x 0.840 in./35.814 x 21.336 mm
Overall Size (w x h):	1.560 x 0.990 in./39.624 x 25.146 mm
Full Pane Size (w x h):	6.5 x 5.875 in./165.10 x 149.225 mm
Plate Size:	200 stamps per revolution
Plate Numbers:	"V" followed by five (5) single digits
Marginal Markings:	"© 2000 USPS" • Price • Plate Position Diagram • Plate Numbers • Bar Code 561500 (1 at top & 1 at bottom)
Catalog Item Number(s):	561540 Full Pane of 20 — \$16.00 561530 Block of 10 — \$8.00 561520 Block of 4 — \$3.20 561561 First Day Cover — \$1.01
Sale Date:	March 23, 2001
Nationwide Sale Date:	March 24, 2001

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 1 year after the stamp's issuance.

Philatelic Products

There are no philatelic products for this stamp issue.

Distribution

Stamp distribution offices (SDOs) will receive a full automatic distribution for the 20-stamps-per pane issue, rounded up to the nearest master carton size (40,000 stamps).

Initial Supply to Post Offices

The Minneapolis Information System Service Center will not use PS Form 3309, *Advice of Shipment Invoice*, to distribute this definitive stamp. To obtain initial quantities of this stamp, Post Offices must immediately submit a separate PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*, to their designated SDO. SDOs must not distribute stamps to Post Offices before March 16, 2001.

Additional Supply

Post Offices requiring additional stamps must requisition them from their designated SDO using PS Form 17.

Philatelic Requirement

SDOs with authorized philatelic centers will receive an automatic distribution of these stamps in 10 positions for subsequent distribution to each philatelic window.

SDOs That Serve This Many Philatelic Windows...	Will Receive This Quantity of the Mt. McKinley International Rate Stamp, Item Number 561500...
1	20,000
2	40,000
3	60,000
4	80,000
5	100,000
6	120,000
7	140,000
8	160,000
9	180,000
12	240,000
13	260,000
16	320,000
19	380,000

— Stamp Services,
Public Affairs and Communications, 2-22-01

DISTRIBUTION UPDATE

2001 Stamps With No Automatic Distributions

Stamp distribution offices will not automatically distribute to Post Offices via PS Form 3309, *Advice of Shipment/Stamp Invoice*, for the following stamps items:

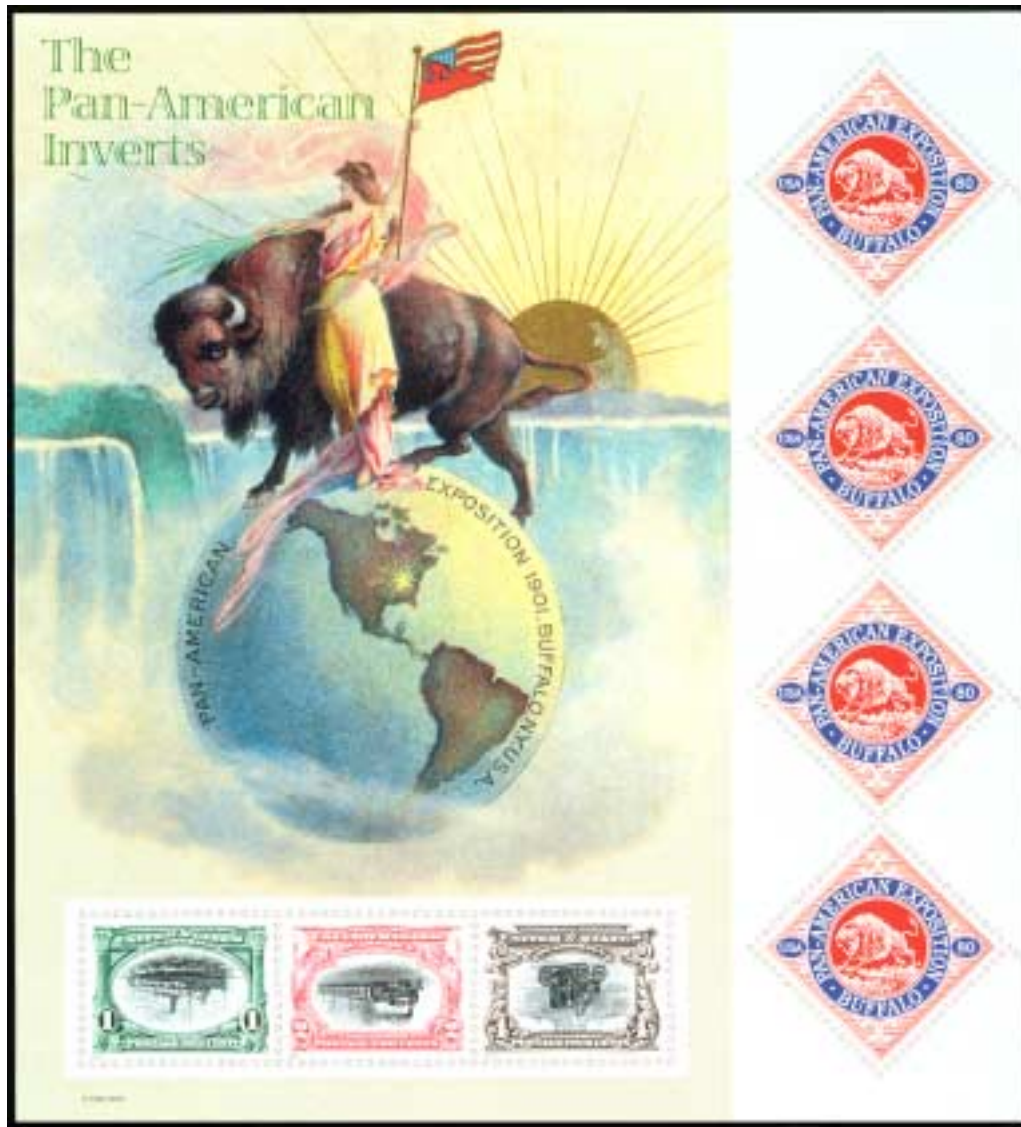
- Item 101100, 21-cent *Bison*
- Item 101200, 55-cent *Art Deco Eagle*
- Item 101400, 76-cent *Hattie W Caraway* stamps
- Item 111900, \$3.50 *US Capitol* (Priority)
- Item 112000, \$12.25 *Washington Monument* (Express)
- Item 561200, 55-cent *Love Letters* (2 oz)
- Item 664100, \$6.80 *Love Letters* booklet
- Item 669200, \$6.80 *Flowers* booklet
- Item 669800, \$6.80 *Statue of Liberty* booklet

The Minneapolis Information System Service Center (MNISSC) will not use PS Form 3309 to automatically distribute these stamp items to Post Offices. To obtain an initial supply of these items, all Post Offices must submit a separate PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*, to their designated SDO.

— Stamp Services,
Public Affairs and Communications, 2-22-01

STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT 01-22

The Pan-American Inverts Souvenir Sheet



Copyright USPS 2000

The Postal Service will issue *The Pan-American Inverts* souvenir sheet (Item Number 560700) in New York, NY 10199, on March 29, 2001. The sheet, designed by Richard Sheaff of Scottsdale, AZ, goes on sale nationwide March 29, 2001, and will be sold only as a souvenir sheet. No individual stamps are available.

The Pan-American Exposition (May 1, 1901–November 2, 1901) in Buffalo, New York, highlighted advancements of the 19th century in industry, transportation, manufacturing, and the arts. On opening day, the U.S. Post Office Department issued a series of six bicolored stamps

commemorating the exposition using the theme of transportation. A limited number of the stamp sheets were printed with inverted centers: the 1-cent stamp depicting the steamship *City of Alpena*; the 2-cent stamp depicting the train *Empire State Express*; and the 4-cent stamp depicting an early electric automobile. The rare inverts quickly became collectibles.

This 2001 souvenir sheet includes reproductions of these famous Pan-American inverts in their original colors as well as four reproductions of a “cinderella” that originally commemorated the 1901 Pan-American Exposition.

(A cinderella is an item that resembles, but is not, an official government-issued postage stamp). The design of the red and blue, diamond-shaped cinderella features a charging buffalo in the center encircled with the words "Pan-American Exposition Buffalo." The addition of an 80-cent denomination makes each of the four cinderella reproductions official postage stamps. A detail of the cover illustration from a 1901 souvenir guide also appears on the 2001 souvenir sheet. In the illustration, an allegorical female representing unity among the Americas stands on top of a globe. In her left hand she holds a flag — half Canadian, half American — and her right arm rests on the back of a buffalo. The globe shows the Western hemisphere and includes the words "Pan-American Exposition 1901. Buffalo, N.Y. U.S.A." Niagara Falls appears in the background.

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 philatelic centers nationwide, postal stores nationwide, and Stamp Fulfillment Services (P.O. Box 7247, Philadelphia, PA 19101-7097); affix the stamp(s) or entire sheet to envelopes of their choice; address the envelopes (to themselves or others); and place them in a larger envelope addressed to:

THE PAN-AMERICAN INVERTS SOUVENIR SHEET
 POSTMASTER
 421 EIGHTH AVE RM 2029B
 NEW YORK NY 10199-9991

The postage on the envelopes to be cancelled must be equal to or greater than the First-Class Mail rate of 34 cents.

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 April 28, 2001.

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 1 year after the stamp's issuance.

Philatelic Products

The Pan-American Inverts Uncut Press Sheet, Item Number 560784 — \$19.62.

Issue:	<i>The Pan-American Inverts</i>
Item Number:	560700
Denomination & Type of Issue:	\$3.27 Souvenir Sheet
Format:	Pane of 7 (4 designs)
Series:	N/A
Issue Date & City:	March 29, 2001 New York, NY 10199
Designer:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Engraver:	Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP)
Art Director:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Typographer:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Modeler:	Banknote Corporation of America, Inc. (BCA)
Manufacturing Process:	Offset/Intaglio
Printer:	Banknote Corporation of America, Inc. (BCA)
Printed at:	BCA, Browns Summit, NC
Press Types:	Man-Roland, 300 Epikos, 5009
Stamps Per Pane:	7
Print Quantity:	14 million stamps
Paper Type:	Phosphor Tagged, Nonphosphored Type III
Gum Type:	Water-activated
Processed at:	BCA, Browns Summit, NC
Offset Colors:	Black, Cyan, Magenta, Yellow, PMS 199 (Special Red), PMS 287 (Special Blue)
Intaglio Colors:	Black, PMS 186 (Red), PMS 469 (Brown), PMS 349 (Green)
Stamps Orientation:	Horizontal and Diamond
Orientation 1:	Horizontal
Image Area (w x h):	1.07 x 0.78 in./27.18 x 19.81 mm
Overall Size (w x h):	1.20 x 0.91 in./30.50 x 23.2 mm
Full Pane Size (w x h):	6.14 x 6.77 in./155.96 x 171.96 mm
Orientation 2:	Diamond
Image Area (w x h):	1.42 x 1.42 in./36.07 x 36.07 mm
Overall Size (w x h):	1.58 x 1.58 in./40.00 x 40.00 mm
Full Pane Size (w x h):	6.14 x 6.77 in./155.96 x 171.96 mm
Plate Size:	63 stamps per revolution
Marginal Markings:	"© 2000 USPS" • "The Pan-American Inverts"
Catalog Item Number(s):	560740 Souvenir Sheet — \$3.27 560762 First Day Cover (Full Pane) — \$5.27 560784 Press Sheet — \$19.62
Sale Date:	March 29, 2001
Nationwide Sale Date:	March 29, 2001

Distribution: \$3.27, *The Pan-American Inverts* Souvenir Sheet, Item 560700

The Pan-American Inverts souvenir sheets will be distributed and sold only at the first day city of New York, NY; at philatelic centers and postal retail stores nationwide; and

through the SFS in Kansas City, MO. There will be no standard automatic distribution to stamp distribution offices (SDOs).

Initial Supply to Post Offices

The New York, NY, Post Office should immediately requisition *The Pan-American Inverts* using a separate PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*.

Philatelic Requirement

SDOs with authorized philatelic centers will receive an automatic distribution of these souvenir sheets for subsequent distribution to each philatelic window. SDOs must not distribute stamps to Post Offices before March 26, 2001.

SDOs That Serve This Many Philatelic Windows...	Will Receive This Quantity of <i>The Pan-American Invert</i> Souvenir Sheets, Item Number 560700...
1	200
2	400
3	600
4	800
5	1,000
6	1,200
7	1,300
8	1,500
9	1,700
12	2,300
13	2,500
16	3,000
19	3,700

Additional Supply

Authorized philatelic centers requiring additional souvenir sheets must requisition them from their designated SDO using PS Form 17. There will be no additional quantities available at accountable paper depositories (APDs) for filling supplemental orders from SDOs.

Sales Policy

All Post Offices with authorized philatelic centers must acquire and maintain a supply of these souvenir sheets as long as customer demand exists, until inventory is depleted, or until the stamp is officially withdrawn from sale. If supplies run low, Post Offices must reorder additional quantities using their normal ordering procedures. *Note: Sales are restricted to the full pane of stamps. No individual, single-stamp sales are permitted.*

— Stamp Services,
Public Affairs and Communications, 2-22-01

DISTRIBUTION UPDATE

Stamp Announcement 00-45 — Federal Eagle Stamped Envelopes (Banded)

The following distribution information is for *Postal Bulletin* 22040 (12-28-00, pages 66–70).

Distribution: Item 215000 (10-inch banded envelopes) and Item 268000 (6 3/4-inch banded envelopes)

Stamp distribution offices (SDOs) will receive two automatic distributions of the *Federal Eagle* stamped envelopes (banded). The first shipment was completed February 5, 2001, and the second will be completed by March 2, 2001.

Initial Supply to Post Offices

Federal Eagle stamped envelopes (banded) are available in the 10-inch and 6 3/4-inch styles. Banded envelopes may be purchased through the self service units only.

All Post Offices must requisition an initial supply of envelopes from their SDO by submitting a separate PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*.

Additional Supply

Accountable paper depositories (APDs), SDOs, and authorized CAG A-G Post Offices requiring additional envelopes must submit PS Form 3205, *Requisition for Plain Stamped Envelopes*, to Stamp Fulfillment Services.

— Stamp Services,
Public Affairs and Communications, 2-22-01

STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT 01-23

Yale University Stamped Card



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The Postal Service will issue a 20-cent *Yale University* stamped card (Item Number 220100) in New Haven, CT 06511, on March 30, 2001. The stamped card, designed by Derry Noyes of Washington, DC, and based on a photograph, courtesy of Yale University, goes on sale nationwide March 31, 2001.

The Postal Service commemorates the 300th anniversary of the founding of Yale University with this stamped card as part of the Historic Preservation series. Chartered as the Collegiate School on October 9, 1701, the third oldest university in the United States was renamed Yale College in 1718 (after benefactor Elihu Yale). The school's final name change to Yale University occurred in 1887.

A contemporary photograph of Connecticut Hall — a symbol of Yale's long-standing commitment to tradition — appears on the stamped card. Builders Francis Letort and Thomas Bills began construction of Connecticut Hall in 1750 and completed it in 1753. The first of Yale's brick buildings and the oldest remaining academic structure on the campus, Connecticut Hall is a national historic landmark.

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 stamped cards only at Post Offices in Connecticut, authorized philatelic centers nationwide, or Stamp Fulfillment Services (P.O. Box 7247, Philadelphia, PA 19101-7097); address the stamped cards (to themselves or others); and place them in an envelope addressed to:

YALE UNIVERSITY STAMPED CARD
 POSTMASTER
 500 BREWERY ST
 NEW HAVEN CT 06511-9991

Issue:	<i>Yale University</i>
Item Number:	220100
Denomination & Type of Issue:	20-cent stamped card
Format:	Stamped card
Series:	Historic Preservation
Issue Date & City:	March 30, 2001 New Haven, CT 06511
Photograph:	Courtesy Yale University
Designer:	Derry Noyes, Washington, DC
Engraver:	N/A
Art Director:	Derry Noyes, Washington, DC
Typographer:	Derry Noyes, Washington, DC
Modeler:	N/A
Manufacturing Process:	Offset
Printer:	Government Printing Office (GPO)
Printed at:	GPO, Washington, DC
Press Type:	Offset
Stamps per Coil/Pane:	N/A
Print Quantity:	6 million stamped cards
Paper Type:	22-lb. bright white
Gum Type:	N/A
Processed at:	GPO, Washington, DC
Colors:	Magenta, Yellow, Cyan, Black
Card Orientation:	Horizontal
Image Area (w x h):	1.40 x 1.25 in./35.56 x 31.78 mm
Overall Size (w x h):	5.5 x 3.5 in./139.59 x 88.83 mm
Full Pane Size (w x h):	N/A
Plate Size:	N/A
Plate Numbers:	N/A
Marginal Markings:	© 2000 USPS • Recycled logo followed by "recycled"
Catalog Item Number(s):	220140 Stamped Card — \$0.22 220161 Card w/First Day Cancellation — \$0.32
Sale Date:	March 30, 2001
Nationwide Sale Date:	March 31, 2001

After applying the first day of issue postmark, the Postal Service will return the stamped cards through the mail. There is no charge for the postmark. All orders must be postmarked by April 30, 2001.

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 1 year after the stamp's issuance.

Philatelic Products

There are no philatelic products for this stamp issue.

Distribution

The 20-cent *Yale University* stamped card (Item 220100) is to be sold only at regular Post Office windows within the state of Connecticut, through SFS, at postal retail stores, and authorized philatelic centers nationwide. Distribution of the stamped card will correspond with this policy.

Initial Supply to Post Offices

To obtain an initial supply of this stamped card, all Connecticut Post Offices must immediately submit a separate PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*, to their designated SDO. SDOs must not distribute these stamped cards to Post Offices before March 23, 2001.

Additional Supply

The Government Printing Office (GPO) will disburse all of these stamped cards; therefore, they will not have any cards available for reordering. Connecticut Post Offices requiring additional stamped cards must requisition them from their designated SDO using PS Form 17.

Philatelic Requirement

Although sale of the *Yale University* stamped card is restricted to Post Offices within the state of Connecticut, authorized philatelic centers nationwide will be supplied this stamped card for philatelic sale.

SDOs That Serve This Many Philatelic Windows...	Will Receive This Quantity of the <i>Yale University</i> Stamped Card, Item Number 220100...
1	5,000
2	10,000
3	15,000
4	20,000
5	25,000
6	30,000
7	35,000
8	40,000
9	45,000
12	60,000
13	65,000
16	80,000
19	95,000

Sales Policy

Only Post Offices within the state of Connecticut and authorized philatelic centers nationwide must acquire and maintain a supply of this new stamped card. It will remain on sale at Connecticut Post Offices until it is officially withdrawn from sale.

— Stamp Services,
Public Affairs and Communications, 2-22-01

DISTRIBUTION UPDATE

Stamp Announcement 01-08 — Lovebirds Stamped Envelopes (Banded)

The following distribution information is for *Postal Bulletin* 22042 (1-25-01, pages 55–56).

Distribution: Item 217000 (10-inch banded envelopes) and Item 267000 (6 3/4-inch banded envelopes)

Stamp distribution offices (SDOs) will receive one automatic distribution of the *Lovebirds* stamped envelope (banded). The shipment was completed by February 16, 2001.

Initial Supply to Post Offices

Lovebirds banded envelopes are available in the 10-inch and 6 3/4-inch styles. Banded envelopes may be purchased through the self service units only.

All Post Offices must requisition an initial supply of envelopes from their SDO by submitting a separate PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*.

Additional Supply

Accountable paper depositories (APDs), SDOs, and authorized CAG A-G Post Offices requiring additional envelopes must submit PS Form 3205, *Requisition for Plain Stamped Envelopes*, to Stamp Fulfillment Services.

— Stamp Services,
Public Affairs and Communications, 2-22-01

PICTORIAL CANCELLATION

Diabetes Awareness Station Pictorial Cancellation

The first day of issue for the *Diabetes Awareness* stamp is March 16, 2001, in Boston, MA 02205. This stamp is also being issued nationwide on March 16, 2001. The *Diabetes Awareness* station pictorial cancellation art was developed exclusively for use for diabetes awareness events. This authorized pictorial cancellation may not be altered in any way, except as instructed in the guidelines below.

Guidelines for Finalizing Diabetes Awareness Station Pictorial Cancellation Art

To finalize the *Diabetes Awareness* station pictorial cancellation art, insert for the "ANYTOWN, USA 00000," the city, state, and ZIP Code of the physical location where your event is being held along with the month, day, and year (2001) that the cancellation is to be offered. You must use the word "STATION" or "STA." Overall dimensions of the pictorial cancellation must not exceed 3.5 inches horizontally and 1.5 inches vertically, as shown in the original unfinished and final art examples on this page.

Please finalize the art work with your own city, state and ZIP Code, and the actual date of your event, *if you are not having the event on* March 16, 2001. Do not use "ANYTOWN USA 00000." Do not send in a copy of the artwork on this page. Have a cancellation stamp made that uses your city, state, and ZIP Code. The date on your cancellation should be either March 16, 2001, or the date of your actual event.

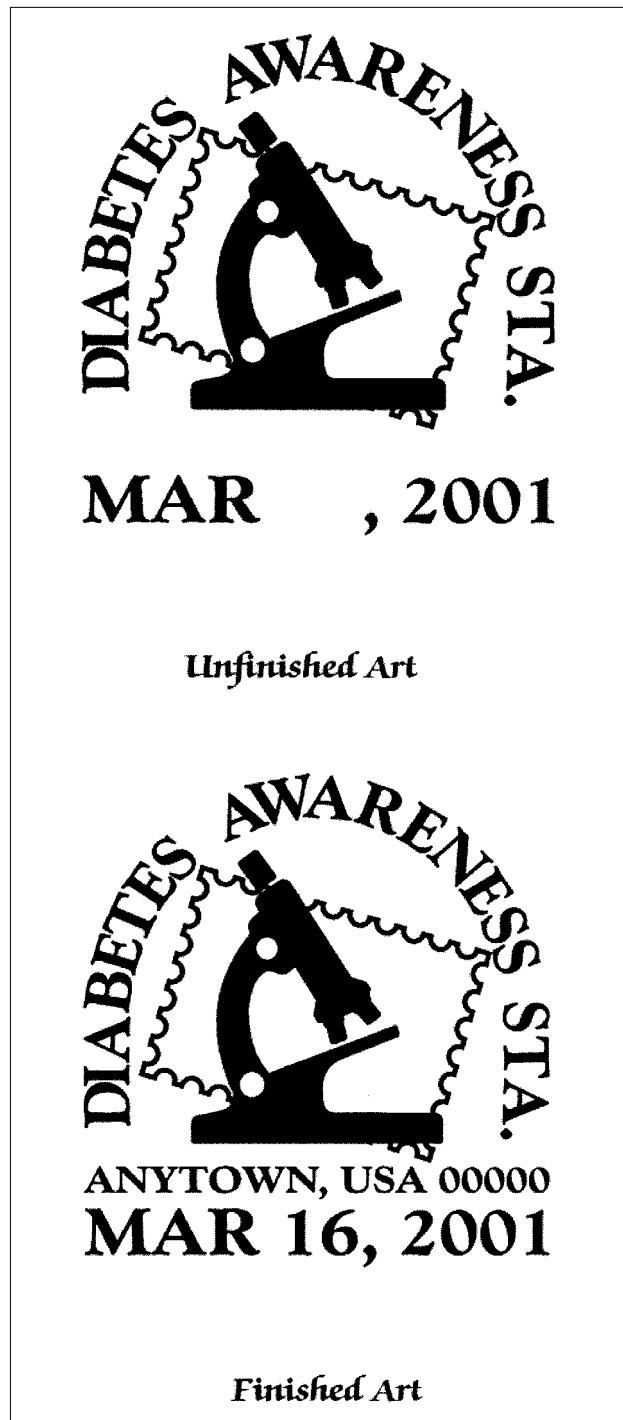
Guidelines for Approval of Pictorial Cancellations

As a reminder, the Postal Service must endeavor to make all unusual postmarking widely known to collectors through advance national publicity to avoid such postmarks being available only to small groups of people. Therefore, all pictorial cancellations for local events, including *Diabetes Awareness*, must be reported to Stamp Development on the *Pictorial Cancellation Announcement Form* (page 13 of Handbook PO-230) so that national publicity may be arranged.

Send all pictorial cancellation announcements to:

PICTORIAL CANCELLATIONS
475 L'ENFANT PLAZA SW RM 5610
WASHINGTON DC 20260-2435

Participating Post Offices must honor mail-back service for 30 days following the event.



Stamp Stock and Philatelic Items Withdrawn From Regular Sale and From Sale at Philatelic Centers

Effective close-of-business March 31, 2001, all Post Offices, stations, branches, postal stores, vending outlets, and authorized philatelic centers must (1) withdraw the stamp stock and philatelic items listed below and their related vending and store-prepared stamp items from sale and (2) prepare them for destruction. The stamp stock and philatelic items should be submitted to destruction sites according to local established procedures, under the guidelines in Handbook F-1, *Post Office Accounting Procedures*, Part 45, Destroying Stamp Stock.

Absolutely no sales of the stamp stock and philatelic items and their related vending and store-prepared stamp items listed below are permitted at retail windows and outlets after March 31, 2001. Items listed are also removed from sale at Stamp Fulfillment Services (SFS).

Item Number	Description
Stamp Stock Items:	
448000	33-cent North Atlantic Treaty Organization Stamp
441100	33-cent James Cagney Stamp
441184	\$39.60 James Cagney Uncut Press Sheet

Item Number	Description
Philatelic Products:	
880000 (01)	\$5.95 Ballet Stamped Cards
880100 (01)	\$6.95 Love Stamped Cards
880300 (01)	\$6.95 Tropical Birds Stamped Cards
881501	\$38.40 American Ballet Uncut Press Sheet
896100	\$24.95 Gone With the Wind Framed Piece
897201	\$29.95 American Aircraft Matted Pane Signed
897300 (01)	\$16.95 American Aircraft Matted Pane Unsigned
897400 (01)	\$19.95 American Aircraft Print Set
897701	\$29.95 World of Dinosaurs Matted Pane Signed
897801	\$16.95 World of Dinosaurs Matted Pane Unsigned
998400 (01)	\$4.95 Hanukkah StampFolio
998701	\$4.95 Year of the Tiger Commemorative Souvenir

— Stamp Services,
Public Affairs and Communications, 2-22-01

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.*

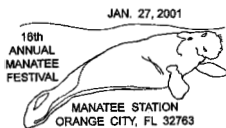
All requests must include a stamped envelope or postcard bearing at least the minimum First-Class Mail postage (33 cents per envelope or 20 cents per postcard).

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

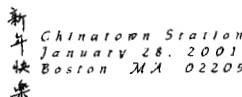
Customers wishing to obtain a cancellation should affix stamps to any envelope or postcard of their choice, address the envelope or postcard to themselves or others, insert a card of postcard thickness in envelopes for sturdiness, and tuck in the flap. Place the envelope or postcard in a larger envelope 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 cancellations have been extended for 30 days.



January 27, 2001
 MANATEE STATION
 POSTMASTER
 260 INDUSTRIAL DR
 ORANGE CITY FL 32763-9998

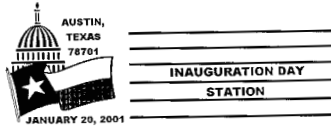


January 28, 2001
 CHINATOWN STATION
 CUSTOMER SERVICE SUPPORT
 25 CORCHESTER AVE RM 4009
 BOSTON MA 02205-9996

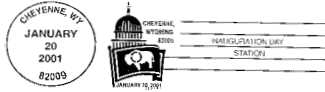


January 30, 2001
 CELEBRATING YEAR OF THE SNAKE STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 9998
 HERSEY PA 17033-9998

The following pictorial cancellations have been extended for 60 days.



January 20, 2001
 INAUGURATION DAY STATION
 POSTMASTER
 510 GUADALUPE ST
 AUSTIN TX 78701-9998



January 20, 2001
 INAUGURATION DAY STATION
 POSTMASTER
 4800 CONVERSE AVE
 CHEYENNE WY 82009-9998



January 20, 2001
 PRESIDENTIAL INAUGURATION STATION
 SPECIAL CANCELLATIONS
 PO BOX 92282
 WASHINGTON DC 20090-2282



January 30–February 2, 2001
 PONY EXPRESS STATION
 POSTMASTER
 216 E HOPI DR
 HOLBROOK AZ 86025-9998



February 6, 2001
 BLACK HISTORY STATION
 CUSTOMER SERVICE
 SUPPORT
 25 DORCHESTER AVE RM 4009
 BOSTON MA 02205-9996



February 1–14, 2001
 Romance Volunteer Fire
 Department
 LOVE STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 9998
 ROMANCE AR 72136-9998



February 10, 2001
 Casanova Hunt
 CASANOVA HUNT STATION
 POSTMASTER
 5137 WESTON RD
 CASANOVA VA 20139-9998



February 1–28, 2001
 CELEBRATE BLACK HISTORY
 MONTH STATION
 SUPERVISOR, MOWS
 900 E FAYETTE ST
 BALTIMORE MD 21233-9715



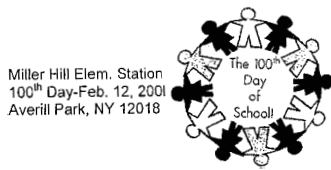
February 11, 2001
 EXHIBITION STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 9998
 WISCONSIN RAPIDS WI
 54494-9998



February 3–18, 2001
 SAN ANTONIO STOCK SHOW &
 RODEO STATION
 POSTMASTER
 10410 PERRIN BEITEL RD
 SAN ANTONIO TX 78284-9998



February 12, 2001
 Community of Odum, Georgia
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 9998
 ODUM GA 31555-9998



Miller Hill Elem. Station
100th Day-Feb. 12, 2001
Averill Park, NY 12018

February 12, 2001
Miller Hill Elementary School
MILLER HILL ELEMENTARY
STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
AVERILL PARK NY 12018-9998



HOMETOWN STATION
JONESBORO, ARKANSAS 72401
FEBRUARY 22, 2001

February 22, 2001
Craighead County Historical
Society
HOMETOWN STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
JONESBORO AR 72401-9998

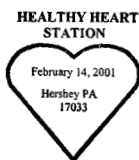


February 14, 2001
City Council
SWEETHEART STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
LOVELY KY 41231-9998



February 23, 2001
Bicentennial Celebration 1801-2001
Howell Township Municipal Station
Howell NJ 07731

February 23, 2001
Howell Township
HOWELL TOWNSHIP
MUNICIPAL STATION
POSTMASTER
4170 US HWY 9
HOWELL NJ 07731-9998

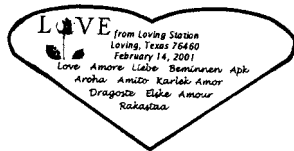


February 14, 2001
HEALTHY HEART STATION
PO BOX 9998
HERSHEY PA 17033-9998



Sesquicentennial Station
Founders Week: Feb. 19-25
February 23, 2001
Minneapolis, MN 55455

February 23, 2001
University of Minnesota
UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
MINNEAPOLIS MN 55414-9998

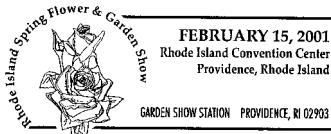


February 14, 2001
LOVING STATION
POSTMASTER
110 FOURTH ST
LOVING TX 76460-9998



101st Airborne Division (Air Assault)
G-Day IRAQ
February 24, 1991 - February 24, 2001
Desert Storm
February 24, 2001
10th Anniversary Station
Fort Campbell, Kentucky 42223

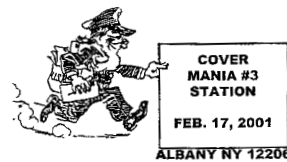
February 24, 2001
101st Airborne Division
DESERT STORM, 10TH
ANNIVERSARY STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
FT CAMPBELL KY 42223-9998



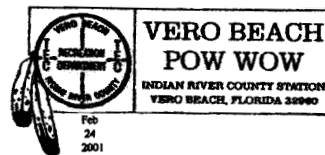
February 15-18, 2001
RI Spring and Garden Show
GARDEN SHOW STATION
POSTMASTER
1 CORLISS ST
PROVIDENCE RI 02903-9998



February 24, 2001
BLACK HISTORY MONTH
STATION
POSTMASTER
2000 ROYAL OAKS DR
SACRAMENTO CA 95813-9998



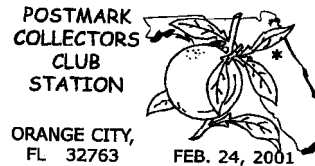
February 17-18, 2001
Civil War Round Table Committee
COVER MANIA #3 STATION
POSTMASTER
50001 COLONIE CENTER MALL
ALBANY NY 12205-9998



February 24, 2001
Indian River Teen Escape Council
INDIAN RIVER COUNTY
STATION
POSTMASTER
2050 13TH AVE
VERO BEACH FL 32960-9998



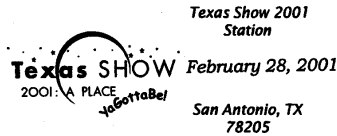
February 17-18, 2001
Minnesota Israeli Philatelic
Society and the American Topical
Association
MIPS/ATA STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
HOPKINS MN 55343-9998



February 24, 2001
Postmark Collectors Club
POSTMARK COLLECTORS
CLUB STATION
POSTMASTER
BOX 9998
ORANGE CITY FL 32763-9998

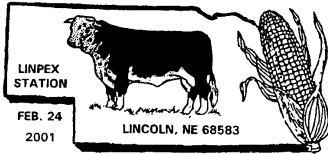


February 24-25, 2001
GRANT STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
GRANT FL 32949-9998



Texas Show 2001
Station

February 28-March 2, 2001
TEXAS SHOW 2001 STATION
POSTMASTER
10410 PERRIN BEITEL RD
SAN ANTONIO TX 78284-9998



February 24-25, 2001
LINPEX STATION
PHILATELIC CLERK
700 R ST
LINCOLN NE 68501-9998



Pioneer Park Days Celebration

February 28-March 4, 2001
PIONEER PARK DAYS
CELEBRATION STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
ZOLFO SPRINGS FL
33890-9998



February 25, 2001

SPACE 2001:
To the Moon and Beyond

Bruce Museum Station
Greenwich CT. 06830

February 25, 2001
Bruce Museum
SPACE 2001 STATION
POSTMASTER
29 VALLEY DR
GREENWICH CT 06831-9998



WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

MEET THE PEOPLE

26th Anniversary Station
March 1, 2001 Toms River, NJ 08753

March 1, 2001
Meet the People
26TH ANNIVERSARY STATION
POSTMASTER
130 WEST WATER ST
TOMS RIVER NJ 08753-9998



February 27, 2001
International Pancake Day of
Liberal, Inc.
52ND INTERNATIONAL
PANCAKE DAY STATION
POSTMASTER
25 E 5TH ST
LIBERAL KS 67901-9998



ANNIVERSARY STATION

BECKLEY VA
MEDICAL
CENTER
50 YEARS OF SERVING VETERANS

March 1, 2001
VA Medical Center
ANNIVERSARY STATION
POSTMASTER
134 INDUSTRIAL DR
BECKLEY WV 25801-9998



1801 - 2001 Bicentennial Station
Hadley Mountain Fire Tower
Hadley, New York 12835
February 27, 2001

February 27, 2001
Town of Hadley
1801-2001 BICENTENNIAL
STATION
POSTMASTER
354 OLD CORINTH RD
HADLEY NY 12835-9998



STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL
STATION

PLANT CITY, FLORIDA

33566-9998

MARCH 1 2001

Florida Strawberry Festival®

March 1-11, 2001
FLORIDA STRAWBERRY
FESTIVAL STATION
POSTMASTER
2501 WALDEN WOODS DR
PLANT CITY FL 33566-9998



Black History Station
Roxbury MA 02119-9998
February 28, 2001

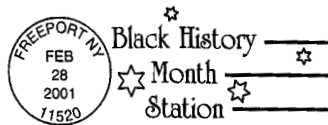
February 28, 2001
BLACK HISTORY STATION
CUSTOMER SERVICE
SUPPORT
25 DORCHESTER AVE RM 4009
BOSTON MA 02205-9996



ST LOUIS STAMP EXPO 2001
MARCH 2-4 2001
STATION
ST LOUIS, MO 63134



March 2-4, 2001
St. Louis Stamp Expo Committee
ST LOUIS STAMP EXPO 2001
STATION
POSTMASTER
1720 MARKET ST RM 2078
ST LOUIS MO 63155-9623



Black History
Month
Station

February 28, 2001
BLACK HISTORY MONTH
STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
FREEPORT NY 11520-9998



Friendly Neighbor
Postal Station

100TH ANNIVERSARY MARCH 1 1901-2001

March 3, 2001
FRIENDLY NEIGHBOR POSTAL
STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
SMOOTH WY 83126-9998



FINPEX 2001 STATION
MARCH 3, 2001
FINDLAY, OH 45840

March 3-4, 2001
 FINPEX 2001 STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 9998
 FINDLAY OH 45840-9998



AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION
National Money Show
 CONVENTION STATION
 SALT LAKE CITY, UT 84101
March 10, 2001

March 8-10, 2001
 NATIONAL MONEY SHOW
 CONVENTION STATION
 POSTMASTER
 230 W 200 S
 SALT LAKE CITY UT
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— Stamp Services,
 Public Affairs and Communications, 2-22-01

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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
Smile America, National Children's Dental Health Month	Jan. 15–Feb. 28
We Are Fighting for Your Life, American Heart Association	Feb. 1–Feb. 28
Save Your Vision Week	Feb. 1–March 31
March Is Kidney Month, Give to the National Kidney Foundation	March 1–March 31
March Is Red Cross Month	March 1–March 31
Easter Seals, Fight Crippling	March 1–April 22
April Is Child Abuse Prevention Month	April 1–April 30
April Is Organ Donor Awareness Month — Donors Make Miracles	April 1–April 30
Law Day USA Freedom Under Law, May 1	April 1–April 30
Strike Back at Cancer, Give to the American Cancer Society	April 1–April 30
National Carih Asthma Week	April 1–May 6
Only You Can Prevent Forest Fires	April 1–Oct. 31
National Salvation Army Week, 4 th Week in May	May 1–May 31
Support Research for "NF," Neurofibromatosis	May 1–May 31
Support Your Mental Health Association	May 1–May 31
National Flag Day, June 14, Pause for the Pledge	May 1–June 14
Goodwill Industries — Our Business Works So People Can	May 1–June 30
Support National Historic Preservation Week	May 9–May 15
National Transportation Week	May 14–May 20
Fight Disease, Support City of Hope Pilot Medical Center	May 15–June 15
Defeat Muscular Dystrophy, Support MDAA	May 15–June 17
Conquer Multiple Sclerosis	May 17–June 17
Conquer Cystic Fibrosis	Sept. 1–Sept. 30
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

NOTICE TO ALL EMPLOYEES

THRIFT SAVINGS PLAN FACT SHEET

C, F, and G Fund Monthly Returns

Released February 8, 2001

ANNUAL RETURNS	C	F	G
1989 JAN.–DEC. %	31.03	13.89*	8.81
1990	-3.15	8.00*	8.90
1991	30.77	15.75	8.15
1992	7.70	7.20	7.23
1993	10.13	9.52	6.14
1994	1.33	-2.96	7.22
1995	37.41	18.31	7.03
1996	22.85	3.66	6.76
1997	33.17	9.60	6.77
1998	28.44	8.70	5.74
1999	20.95	-.85	5.99
2000	-9.14	11.67	6.42
2000	C	F	G
FEBRUARY	-1.93	1.07	.53
MARCH	9.74	1.32	.55
APRIL	-2.98	-.29	.52
MAY	-2.05	-.03	.54
JUNE	2.44	2.07	.53
JULY	-1.56	.89	.53
AUGUST	6.19	1.46	.52
SEPTEMBER	-5.27	.64	.49
OCTOBER	-0.40	.66	.51
NOVEMBER	-7.87	1.65	.48
DECEMBER	.50	1.86	.48
2001	C	F	G
JANUARY	3.55	1.65	.46
LAST 12 MONTHS	0.93	13.90	6.32

*Through 1990 the F Fund was invested in the Wells Fargo Bond Index Fund.

The C Fund is invested in the Barclays Equity Index Fund, which tracks the S&P 500 stock index. The F Fund is invested in the Barclays U.S. Debt Index Fund, which tracks the Lehman Brothers Aggregate Bond index. Because of expenses and changing balances in the C and F Funds, their returns vary from Barclays' returns. The G Fund is invested in special issues of U.S. Treasury securities.

Future performance of the three funds will vary and may differ significantly from the returns shown above. See the "Summary of the Thrift Savings Plan" for detailed information about the funds and their investment risks.

The monthly C, F, and G Fund returns represent net earnings after deduction of accrued administrative expenses. The C and F Fund returns also reflect the deduction of trading costs and accrued investment management fees.

The C, F, and G Fund monthly returns are dollar-weighted: they reflect net earnings on the changing balances invested during the month. The C, F, and G Fund returns for the last 12 months assume, except for the crediting of earnings, unchanging balances (time-weighting) from month to month and that earnings are compounded on a monthly basis.



Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board

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Purchasing and Materials

ORDERING OFFICES

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— *Materials, Purchasing and Materials, 2-22-01*

Retail

Obtaining Replacement Postal Service Vending Equipment

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- 2a. Local personnel: Notify and coordinate the request through the retail specialist/vending program coordinator at the district office.
- 2b. Servicing technician: Contact Postal Service vending help desk personnel at 800-451-4196. Describe the nature of your request for a replacement.
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- 3b. For chronic recurring malfunctions, help desk personnel will determine whether troubleshooting options have been exhausted and a replacement machine is warranted. Help desk personnel will make the necessary notifications to Postal Service management to initiate a replacement machine shipment.

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Retail, Consumers and Small Business, 2-22-01*

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