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Dear Fellow Postal Employee:

Recent alarming swings in the stock markets have taught us all a valuable lesson — no matter how profitable any such investment may appear, it does not guarantee us a secure future.

Purchasing U.S. Savings Bonds through payroll deduction does guarantee the start of a personal savings program for you and your family. A personal savings program that includes Savings Bonds is a smart addition to retirement programs like Thrift Savings Plans and individual retirement accounts, and it can be an excellent way to save for your child's or grandchild's college education.

There is even more good news: The interest rate on Savings Bonds just jumped from 5.19 percent to 5.73 percent for the next six months. You pay no state or local income taxes on Savings Bond interest — and no federal tax until you cash the Bonds. And saving through payroll deductions makes saving easier.

More than 240,000 postal employees enjoy these advantages and more because they invest in U.S. Savings Bonds regularly through payroll savings programs. If you are not already enrolled, take a moment to read the information on pages 76–77 of this *Postal Bulletin* and return your completed authorization form before July 4. If you already are enrolled, this is the time to consider increasing the amount you save.

You can get more Savings Bond information on the Internet at <http://www.savingsbonds.gov> or by calling 1-888-588-BOND. Please take time now to consider this savings program for life.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "William J. Henderson".

WILLIAM J. HENDERSON
POSTMASTER GENERAL, CEO

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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*, and then *Publications*.

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-506	3/00	Architect/Engineer Project Requirements	N/A	FAC	IWEB	N/A
HBK EL-400	4/00	Sponsorship Event Policy and Evaluation Process	7610-04-000-8894	MKT	MDC	N/A
MI EL-660-2000-4	3/17/00	Gifts and Decorations From Foreign Governments	N/A	GC	IWEB	N/A
MI EL-810-2000-2	3/1/00	Bloodborne Disease Exposure Control Plans	7610-05-000-0359	HR	MDC	N/A
MOP FI-03-31-2000	3/31/00	SP Letter #8, FY 2000, IORFOE Frame Update — Global Priority Mail (GPM)	N/A	FIN	IWEB	N/A
MOP IT-01-28-2000	1/28/00	Change/Configuration Management	N/A	IT	IWEB	N/A
MOP IT-04-04-2000	4/4/00	Accommodating Web Pages to Persons with Disabilities	N/A	IT	IWEB	N/A
POS 150	10/1/99	Security Control Officer Program	7690-05-000-0361	IS	MDC	N/A
PUB 109	3/00	Special Services Technical Guide: Postal Forms & Labels (Domestic Services Only)	7610-05-000-0355	MKT	MDC, IWEB	WWW
PUB 804	4/00	Drop Shipment Guidelines for Destination Entry	7610-05-000-0716	O	HQO, IWEB	WWW

Revised Directives

Document ID	Edition Date	Title	NSN	Org	USPS Source	Public Source
HKB MS-182-VOL-A	5/00	Siemens Tray Management System, System Level Maintenance, Maintenance Information	7610-04-000-5549	ENG	MDC	R
HKB MS-182-VOL-B	5/00	Siemens Tray Management System, Induction Unit, Maintenance Information	7610-04-000-5550	ENG	MDC	R
HKB MS-182-VOL-C	5/00	Siemens Tray Management System, Vertical Lift Unit, Maintenance Information	7610-04-000-5551	ENG	MDC	R
HKB MS-182-VOL-D	5/00	Siemens Tray Management System, Conveyors & Chutes, Maintenance Information	7610-04-000-5552	ENG	MDC	R
HKB MS-182-VOL-E	5/00	Siemens Tray Management System, Barcode Scanner, Maintenance Information	7610-04-000-5553	ENG	MDC	R
HKB MS-182-VOL-F	5/00	Siemens Tray Management System, In-Line Scale, Maintenance Information	7610-04-000-5554	ENG	MDC	R
HKB MS-182-VOL-G	5/00	Siemens Tray Management System, Daifuku Staging Unit, Maintenance Information	7610-04-000-5555	ENG	MDC	R
HKB MS-182-VOL-H	5/00	Siemens Tray Management System, NovaSort, Maintenance Information	7610-04-000-5556	ENG	MDC	R
PUB 370	1/00	Extra Services — Get More From Your Post Office	7610-04-000-5602	CBM	MDC	P/F
PUB 541	4/00	Computer and Phone Job Bidding Card	7610-03-000-4041	HR	MCD, IWEB	N/A
PUB 544	4/00	Two Easy Methods to Bid Jobs (brochure)	7610-04-000-8864	HR	MDC, IWEB	N/A
PUB 553	2/00	Employee's Guide to Understanding Sexual Harassment	7610-04-000-5098	DIV	MDC, IWEB	N/A

Obsolete Directives

Document ID	Edition Date	Title	Obsolete Date	Replaced By
NOT 5	8/93	Return to Sender	5/11/00	N/A
POS 19	9/91	Mail Early — Military and International Mail	5/12/00	N/A
PUB 517	6/98	Valuepost Service Guide	3/31/00	N/A

New Forms

Form Number	Edition Date	Oldest Usable Date	Title	NSN	Where Used	Unit of Issue	Org	USPS Source	Public Source
PS 3600-IFC	3/00	3/00	Postage Statement — International Inbound First-Class Mail Permit Imprint	N/A	PU	SH	IB	IWEB	WWW
PS 3600-IPM	3/00	3/00	Postage Statement — International Inbound Priority Mail Permit Imprint	N/A	PU	SH	IB	IWEB	WWW
PS 3602-IR	3/00	3/00	Postage Statement — International Inbound Regular Standard Mail Permit Imprint	N/A	PU	SH	IB	IWEB	WWW
PS 3605-IP	3/00	3/00	Postage Statement — International Inbound Parcel Post Permit Imprint	N/A	PU	SH	IB	IWEB	WWW

Revised Forms

Form Number	Edition Date	Oldest Usable Date	Title	NSN	Where Used	Unit of Issue	Org	USPS Source	Public Source
PS 3152-E	5/00	5/00	Express Mail Manifestation Certification	N/A	NCS	SH	P&PD	NCS	N/A
PS 3227-H	3/00	3/00	Stamps by Mail — Holiday Issue	7530-03-000-0861	PU	EA	RET	HQO	HQO
PS 3613	3/00	3/00	Refunds From Advance Deposit Accounts	7530-02-000-9007	PO	SH	FIN	MDC, IWEB	P/F
PS 3666	1/00	1/00	Certification for Postal Service Employment of Individuals With Severe Disabilities	7530-02-000-9025	PS	SH	HR	MDC, IWEB	N/A
PS 3811-A	3/00	3/00	Domestic Return Receipt (After Mailing)	7530-02-000-9054	PS	SH	MKT	MDC, IWEB	N/A
PS 8184	4/00	4/00	Zone Chart Data & DMM Module L Labeling List Order Form	N/A	PU	SH	O	IWEB	WWW

Corrections (changes highlighted in bold)

Document ID	Edition Date	Title	NSN	Org	USPS Source	Public Source
HBK DM-109 TL-2	1/00	Business Mail Center	7610-05-000-0323	P&PD	MDC, IWEB	MDC
HBK MS-120 VOL A	12/99	Computerized Forwarding System (CFS), Background Information	7610-03-000-4218	ENG	MDC	R
HBK MS-120 VOL B	12/99	Computerized Forwarding System (CFS), Maintenance Information	7610-03-000-4219	ENG	MDC	R
PUB 218	1/95	An Invitation to Join Your Postal Customer Council	7610-03-000-9449	MKT	MDC	P/F
MI DM-140-1999-1	9/99	Assessing and Collecting Deficiencies in Postage or Fees	N/A	FIN	HQO	N/A

Child Alert Program

May 2000

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.



Darci Warde
 Age Progression to 25 Years
 Born: 10-1-73
 Date Missing: 4-24-90
 Missing From: Seattle, WA



Anthony Pisano
 Born: 2-20-84
 Date Missing: 4-14-00
 Missing From: Nevada City, CA



Krystle Schulze
 Born: 2-18-86
 Date Missing: 3-31-00
 Missing From: North Las Vegas, NV



Earl Neathery
 Born: 6-12-84
 Date Missing: 4-23-00
 Missing From: Shreveport, LA



Rushele Epperson
 Born: 6-7-85
 Date Missing: 4-28-00
 Missing From: Conyers, GA



Jesse Draper
 Age Progression to 14 Years
 Born: 11-22-85
 Date Missing: 9-18-97
 Missing From: San Jose, CA

**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 the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children. For policy and information on Postal Service support in efforts to recover missing children, see *Postal Bulletin* 21967 (3-12-98).

Missing Children posters are available for the U.S. Postal Service only through periodic issues of the *Postal Bulletin*.

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Kensey Abdo
 Born: 4-7-88
 Date Missing: 4-24-00
 Missing From: Grand Junction,
 CO



Rachel Abdo
 Born: 4-1-84
 Date Missing: 4-24-00
 Missing From: Grand Junction,
 CO



Jessica Loomis
 Age Progression to 8 Years
 Born: 11-1-82
 Date Missing: 1-4-88
 Missing From: Hyannis, MA



Julian Pottle
 Age Progression to 9 Years
 Born: 2-3-86
 Date Missing: 6-17-90
 Missing From: Saint John,
 Canada



Emily Sawyer
 Age Progression to 10 Years
 Born: 4-6-83
 Date Missing: 4-1-88
 Missing From: Toledo, OH



Rachanda Pickle
 Age Progression to 20 Years
 Born: 3-15-77
 Date Missing: 7-10-90
 Missing From: Sweet Home, OR

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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
Sears June Wholehouse Mailer	Standard A/Flat	6/5-6/7	14.4	Nationwide	Enhanced CarRt, Basic	Harte-Hanks
Service Merchandise Father's Day	Standard A/Flat	6/12-6/13	5.0	Nationwide	3/5-Digit	RR Donnelley, Lynchburg, VA
Andrew Jergens Curel Brand Extreme Care Sample	Standard A/Flat	6/12-6/14	1.1	Nationwide	3/5-Digit, Basic	Valassis, Calexico, CA; 5 2/3" x 10 3/4" sample with clear overwrap
Current Sale 2000	Standard A/Flat	6/12-6/16	3.2	Nationwide	CarRt, 3/5-Digit, Basic	Quad Graphics, Saratoga, NY
Eddie Bauer Ultimate Summer Sale	Standard A/Flat	6/19-6/21	2.8	Nationwide	CarRt, 3/5-Digit	RR Donnelley, Warsaw, IN
Territory Ahead Lighting Out 2	Standard A/Flat	6/19-6/21	1.6	Nationwide	CarRt, 3/5-Digit	RR Donnelley, Lancaster, PA; 48 pages and 40-page sale
Smithsonian Catalogue Mid Summer 1	Standard A/Catalog	6/19-6/22	1.0	Nationwide	CarRt, 3/5-Digit, Basic	Quad Graphics, Lomira, WI; 8" x 8", 92 pages
Sportman's Guide June Camping	Standard A/Catalog	6/19-6/23	1.1	Nationwide	CarRt, 3/5-Digit	RR Donnelley
Billy Graham Letter	Standard A/Letter	6/19-6/30	1.3	Nationwide	3/5-Digit, Basic, Barcoded	Minneapolis, MN; 3 7/8" x 7 1/8" envelope
JC Penney Fall Men's Workwear	Standard A/Catalog	6/23-6/26	2.2	Nationwide	CarRt	Quebecor World
JC Penney Fall/Winter Uniforms	Standard A/Catalog	6/23-6/26	2.0	Nationwide	CarRt	Quebecor World
Home Depot July Sale	Standard A/Flat	6/28-6/30	8.5	Nationwide	Walk Sequence, Basic	American Color Graphics, Pittsburgh, PA, Lufkin, TX, Marengo, IA

Domestic Mail

DMM REMINDER

Standard Mail (A) Rate Marking Requirements

Mailers and employees are reminded that effective January 10, 2001, all regular rate Presorted and Enhanced Carrier Route (ECR) Standard Mail (A) must bear the "Presorted Standard" rate marking (or the authorized abbreviation "PRSRT STD") and may no longer use "Bulk Rate" (or "Blk. Rt."). Additional required markings used to identify automation or specific carrier route rates are not affected by this change.

There are no changes to the marking requirements for Nonprofit and Nonprofit ECR Standard Mail (A) mailings. Those mailings must continue to bear the marking "Nonprofit Organization" or one of the two authorized abbreviations ("Nonprofit Org." or "Nonprofit").

The marking change was part of the R97-1 omnibus rate case. This standard was first published on July 14, 1998, in the *Federal Register* and again on July 30, 1998, and November 12, 1998, in the *Postal Bulletin*. All of the notices explained the reason for the change, notified mailers that they could begin using the new marking immediately, and announced a two-year transition period beginning January 10, 1999, to comply with the requirement.

All employees who accept Standard Mail (A) mailings should remind mailers who have not already made the change about the approaching deadline. The standards for all rate markings can be found in *Domestic Mail Manual* (DMM) M012.

Questions regarding this rate marking change should be directed to the district manager, business mail entry.

— *Mail Preparation and Standards,
Product and Pricing Design, 6-1-00*

NEW BARCODED LABELS

Special Services Information Package

New efforts are under way to increase the awareness and use of the new barcoded special services labels. Use of the new labels is the final key that will enable the Postal Service to start electronically storing and retrieving delivery and signature records. As of May 15, the saturation survey shows we are at 44.2% nationally. In an effort to further encourage customers to begin using the new barcoded special services labels, an information package was provided to postmasters, station and branch managers, district managers, area retail managers, and district retail

managers. The package included two lobby tent cards, a "New Label Alert" flyer for customers, a service talk to be delivered to all employees, and a swing/workroom poster. If you have not done so, please display the tent cards and the swing/workroom poster in their appropriate venues immediately.

— *Special Services, Core Business Marketing, 6-1-00*

REVISION

Special Services Barcoded Labels

The following forms have been redesigned to include barcodes: PS Form 3800, *Certified Mail Receipt*; PS Form 3813-P, *Receipt for Insured Mail — Domestic—International*; PS Form 8099, *Receipt for Recorded Delivery*; and PS Form 3804, *Return Receipt for Merchandise*.

Two versions of these forms have been issued: July 1999 and February 2000. The February version was designed to eliminate confusion over which name and address to insert in the address block. As it turns out, adding the words "Recipient's Name" has not cleared up the confusion. Some customers are still entering their own name and address in the address block. Also, the words "to be completed by the mailer," located on the first line of the address block, indicates to some customers that they should enter their own address instead of the recipient's. To eliminate this confusion, the entire first line of the address block, "Recipient's Name (Please Print Clearly) (To be completed by mailer)," is being eliminated from all four forms and replaced by the words "Sent To." (See example of changes below.)

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This entire first line will be deleted and replaced by the words "Sent To."

Note: The May 2000 version of these special services forms will not be issued by the material distribution centers until the current inventory of the July 1999 and February 2000 forms is exhausted. *The July 1999 and February 2000 forms are still valid.* Offices should continue to use these versions until their supplies are depleted.

Carrier Release Program

The Carrier Release Program was designed to increase customer convenience and satisfaction surrounding the delivery of both Standard Mail (A) and Standard Mail (B) parcels. It allows letter carriers to leave uninsured parcels in a safe location protected from the weather when no one is available at the address to receive the parcel. There are no restrictions regarding size or sub-class of the parcel, only that the mail is not accountable.

This program is based on our assumption that carriers know their customers and their neighborhoods. We still believe this to be true, but we remind you that the mailer's choice, by requesting this service, is that we leave the parcel if at all possible. The recurring issue for the mailers who use this service is convenience to their addressees. Two Carrier Release customers, Amway and Omaha Steaks, have indicated that they can actually lose customers when PS Form 3849, *Delivery Notice/Reminder/Receipt*, is left instead of the parcel.

Carrier Release parcels are accompanied by an endorsement from the mailer that states "Carrier — Leave if No Response." The endorsement may be printed on the parcel by the mailer; or label 235, *Carrier Release*, may be applied at the retail counter.

Carriers are not liable for loss or damage under these circumstances. Mailers are aware that there are risks associated with this type of delivery but have accepted the risks as reasonable. Carriers use their judgment and experience to decide if an area is reasonably safe and protected to determine whether to leave the parcel.

— *Delivery Policies and Programs, Delivery, 6-1-00*

Distribution of Special Services Forms

Effective immediately, the following special services forms will be distributed to customers from the Express and Priority Mail Supply Center (EPMSC):

- PS Form 3800, *Certified Mail Receipt*
- PS Form 3811, *Domestic Return Receipt*
- PS Form 3813-P, *Receipt for Insured Mail — Domestic–International*

Customers can order these forms as follows:

- By calling 1-800-610-8734.
- Via the Shipping Supplies Online Web site (<http://supplies.usps.gov>).

Distribution of these forms from the EPMSC is solely for customer orders. All postal facilities must continue to order these forms from the material distribution centers using normal ordering procedures.

— *Expedited Package Services, Marketing and Strategy, 6-1-00*

Finance

HANDBOOK F-15 REVISION

International Travel

Effective immediately, Handbook F-15, *Travel and Relocation*, is revised to reflect changes in requirements for international travel. This revision will be incorporated into an incremental update of the online Handbook F-15 accessible through the Policies and Procedures page of the corporate intranet (<http://blue.usps.gov/cpim>) and in the next printed edition.

Handbook F-15, *Travel and Relocation*

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2 Before You Begin Traveling

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2-2 Responsibilities of Approving Officials

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2-2.1 Authorizing Travel

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2-2.1.6 For International Travel

2-2.1.6.1 To Canada and Mexico

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[Revise the last two paragraphs to read as follows:]

The chief postal inspector is responsible for approving international travel for postal inspectors on official investigations. That travel is governed by internal instructions from the Postal Inspection Service.

The inspector general, assistant inspectors general, deputy assistant inspectors general, and directors are responsible for approving international travel for inspector general personnel. That travel is governed by internal instructions from the Office of Inspector General (OIG). Signatures of the above individuals on a travel voucher indicate OIG approval.

2-2.1.6.2 To Other Countries

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[Revise the first bulleted item to read as follows:]

- Concurs with all international travel except travel to Canada and Mexico.

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[Revise the second and third paragraphs to read as follows:]

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4 Preparing to Travel

4-1 Getting Approval

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4-1.3 For International Travel

4-1.3.1 What's Required

[Revise the first paragraph and items a through e to read as follows:]

You must write a letter to your vice president for approval of your international travel. This letter must include your proposed itinerary and the purpose of your trip. Once approved, this letter is forwarded to the office of the chief operating officer for concurrence. The office of the chief operating officer will forward the approvals to the office of the vice president, International Business Unit, which will coordinate any necessary arrangements to facilitate the travel.

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— Corporate Accounting, Finance, 6-1-00

HANDBOOK F-1 REVISION

New AIC for Global Direct Inbound

Handbook F-1, *Post Office Accounting Procedures*, is revised effective accounting period (AP) 11 to establish a new account identifier code (AIC) for Global Direct Inbound, a new international service. Global Direct Inbound includes mail that originates from individual mailers in foreign countries that is prepared like U.S. domestic mail, with postage, indicia, and endorsements according to the *Domestic Mail Manual* (DMM) regulations for the applicable class of mail.

The new AIC and title is:

AIC	Description	GLA Number	PSFR Number
240	Global Direct Inbound	41645.240	01

A more detailed description of the new AIC is as follows:

- AIC 240 — Global Direct Inbound Permit Imprint Postage: This AIC is to be used for permit imprint postage for Global Direct Inbound, mailing statements:
 - PS Form 3600-IFC, *Postage Statement — International Inbound First-Class Mail Permit Imprint*
 - PS Form 3600-IPM, *Postage Statement — International Inbound Priority Mail Permit Imprint*
 - PS Form 3602-IR, *Postage Statement — International Inbound Regular Standard Mail Permit Imprint*
 - PS Form 3605-IP, *Postage Statement — International Inbound Parcel Post Permit Imprint*

The new forms are available through Print-on-Demand on the corporate intranet, <http://blue.usps.gov> (click on *Information*, then *Policies and Procedures*, then *Forms*). They are also accessible on the Postal Service Web site on the Internet, <http://www.usps.com> (click on the *Business* tab, then *get info*, then *Forms*, then *International Forms*).

The Permit System has been updated with the new AIC, and it will be included in the Standard Field Accounting/Permit System Interface. The mapping of general ledger number 41645.240 will change from line number 7 to line number 1 in the PSFR. This new AIC will allow the Postal Service to more effectively track international revenue.

This revision will be incorporated into the next update of the online Handbook F-1 located on the corporate intranet at <http://blue.usps.gov> (click on *Information*, then *Policies and Procedures*, then *Handbooks*). This revision will also be incorporated into the next printed edition.

Handbook F-1, Post Office Accounting Procedures

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Appendix A Account Identifier Code and General Ledger Account Crosswalk

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[Insert new AIC 240, Global Direct Inbound, as shown.]

AIC	GLA	PSFR	Title	Description
234–239			Unassigned	
240	41645.240	01	Global Direct Inbound	Revenue for permit imprint postage for Global Direct Inbound mail, International Service.
241–249			Unassigned	

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— Corporate Accounting, Finance, 6-1-00

HANDBOOK F-4 REVISION

Discontinuance of Split Statements of Account

Effective accounting period (AP) 1, fiscal year (FY) 2001, Handbook F-4, *Examination of Postmasters Accounting Transactions*, has been revised to discontinue the requirement for split statements of account when more than one postmaster/officer in charge is in an office during any one reporting period.

When a change in postmaster/officer in charge occurs, PS Form 546, *Post Office Telephone Number Register*; PS Form 971, *Certificate of Transfer*; PS Form 8020, *Report of Installation (Postmaster/Officer in Charge)*; and a certification memorandum from the outgoing postmaster/officer in charge must be prepared at the close of business (COB) on

the date of transfer. The incoming and outgoing postmaster(s)/officer(s) in charge must place their signatures and the date along the left-hand margin of the disbursement page in the account book indicating agreement with ending accountability as of the COB on the date of transfer as indicated on that page. PS Forms 546, 971, and 8020 and a certification memorandum will be forwarded to the district accounting office (DAO) and retained for 4 years. One statement of account representing the entire reporting period must be sent to the DAO at the end of the reporting period.

This revision will be incorporated into the next printed edition of Handbook F-4.

Handbook F-4, Examination of Postmasters Accounting Transactions

[Revise chapter 2 as follows:]

2 Verifying Statements of Accounts at the District Level

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220 Receipt

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[Delete 222, Split Statements of Account.]

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230 Preparation of Statements of Account for Input

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233 Further Verification

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[Delete 233.4.]

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240 Data Entry

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242 General Instructions

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3 Auditing Postmaster Statements of Account

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360 Change in Postmasters

[Revise and rename 361 to read as follows:]

361 Transfer of Office

When more than one postmaster/officer in charge is in an office during a reporting period, the accountability of the office on the date of transfer must be determined. Form 971, *Certificate of Transfer*, must be prepared at the close of business (COB) on the date of transfer. The balances in the account book and on the Form 971 must represent the verified amounts at the COB. The incoming and outgoing postmaster(s)/officer(s) in charge must place their signatures

and the date along the left-hand margin of the disbursement page in the account book indicating agreement with the ending accountability as of the COB on the date of transfer as indicated on that page. Also, the outgoing postmaster/officer in charge must submit a signed and dated certification memorandum with other supporting documentation that must include the following wording:

I certify that, as of the close of business on the date of transfer, the account book is a true statement of the entire amount of postage, box rents, charges, and monies collected or received in this office during the period stated; and that I have not knowingly delivered, or permitted to be delivered, any mail matter on which postage was not at the time paid, and this account exhibits truly and faithfully the entire receipts collected at this office, and which could have been collected; that all credits are just and right, and that cash balances in office and in bank and stamp stock balances are as stated in the account book.

Submit Forms 546, 971, 8020 and the certification memorandum to the district accounting office (DAO). The DAO will retain documentation for 4 years. One statement of account representing the entire reporting period must be sent to the DAO at the end of each reporting period.

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[Delete 363.1, How to Verify, and 363.2, Audit Differences; rename and renumber 363.3, Form 971, Certificate of Transfer, to 363 as follows:]

363 Separated Postmasters

Whenever a change of postmaster takes place, Form 971, *Certificate of Transfer*, and all supporting documents certifying the amount of funds and accountable paper released by the outgoing postmaster/officer in charge and assumed by the incoming postmaster/officer in charge are sent to the district accounting office (DAO). This applies to both standard field accounting procedures (SFAP) offices and non-SFAP offices. The DAO retains the transfer paperwork for 4 years.

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Fraud Alert

Counterfeit United States Postal Money Orders

Recently, the United States Postal Service has been victimized by a number of individuals who presented counterfeit POS ONE–style postal money orders for cashing in various states, including New York, Virginia, North Carolina, and Florida. The counterfeit money orders were copied from original money orders purchased at post offices, stations, and branches in the greater New York metropolitan area. Several of the counterfeit money orders were recently seized, and several arrests were made.

Suspects were successful when window clerks did not follow proper authentication and cashing procedures. Window clerks should examine the document security features (see below) on every postal money order presented for cashing and also check that money orders do not appear on the list of “Missing, Lost, or Stolen U.S. Money Order Forms” published every two weeks in the *Postal Bulletin*. Additionally, proper positive identification must be obtained from customers before cashing any postal money order.

Document Security Features

Before cashing any postal money order, it must be examined for the following security features:

1. Check the most recent list of “Missing, Lost, or Stolen U.S. Money Order Forms” published in the *Postal Bulletin*. A text version can be viewed or downloaded from the St. Louis Accounting Service Center Web page, <http://blue.usps.gov/stasc>. You can also type “Postal Money Orders” in the search field of both the Postal Service’s internal and external Web sites. The file is updated daily.
2. Check for altered dollar amounts by holding the postal money order up to the light.
3. A Ben Franklin watermark portrait appears on the left side of the money order.
4. A silver thread is woven into the paper on the left side of the document from top to bottom, containing “USPS” on the thread.
5. The United States Postal Service shield appears on the right side of the money order.
6. Any postal money order starting with the digit “6” will either look similar to the description of the money orders above or will feature the following:
 - The dollar and check writer amounts will appear in black instead of the violet to red coloration.
 - A wider silver thread will be woven into the paper, with “USPS” on the thread.
7. Any postal money order starting with the digit “3” or lower will be beige with a solid beige bar at the top (except for Military Postal Money Orders, which have a solid dark green bar on the top) and will not necessarily be the size of a personal check. The serial number, issue date, issue ID, and issue amount will appear in black.
8. Any postal money order that starts with the digit “4” will be a multicolor form, changing from beige to blue when reviewing from left to right, with a solid green bar at both the top and the bottom of the document. The serial number, issue date, and issue ID will appear in red, while the dollar amount and the check writer amount will be colored in violet to red (examining from left to right).
9. *The maximum issue amount for any postal money order is \$700.00. Never cash a money order for a higher amount.*
10. Obtain at least two forms of positive identification, including at least one photo identification document such as a valid state driver’s license.
11. If, after examining the postal money order, you are unsure as to whether or not to cash it, contact your supervisor.

When It Looks Like Fraud

If you suspect a postal money order may be counterfeit, missing, lost, stolen, or altered, *do nothing that would place yourself or others in jeopardy*. Ask the customer for two forms of positive identification, including one valid photo identification such as a state driver’s license. If possible, retain the identification documents and the postal money order form(s) presented. *But return the items if necessary to ensure your personal safety*. Lock your cash drawer and advise the customer that you have to obtain the cash from the rear of the office. Immediately contact your local law enforcement agency and the nearest office of the Postal Inspection Service. Give a full description of the suspect(s) and of any suspect vehicle, particularly the license plate number, if possible. Do not return to the screenline area until the police or postal inspectors arrive and it is safe to do so.

An Important Partnership

For over 200 years, the United States Postal Service has continued its proud tradition of protecting postal employees, postal property, and postal revenue. Most importantly, the Postal Inspection Service works to protect all postal employees so they can continue to perform their jobs without the fear of coming under criminal attack. Postal employees complete the partnership by helping us apprehend those individuals who seek to harm them or the Postal Service.

The United States Postal Service offers a reward up to \$10,000 for information and services leading to the arrest and conviction of any person for offenses involving postal money orders. These offenses include theft or possession of stolen money orders or any Postal Service equipment used to imprint money orders and altering, counterfeiting, forging, unlawful uttering, or passing of postal money orders.

If you have any questions, contact the nearest office of the Postal Inspection Service.

— Postal Inspection Service, 6-1-00

Withholding of Mail Orders

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

State/City	Names Covered
CA, West Covina 91791-1728	Any And All Names, 136 N. Grand Avenue, #292
MI, Southfield 48034-4417	Any And All Of Various Names Other Than The Surname Of Gross, Apartment #104 20925 Lahser Road
RI, Providence 02906-5206	Brett Bear, PMB 331 11 South Angell Street
TX, Humble 77346-3187	ChriStar, 7561 FM 1960 Road East PMB 502

— Recorder's Office, Judicial Officer, 6-1-00

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

Do Not Cash — Upon Receipt, Notify Local Postal Inspectors

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

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

011 582 1889 to 011 582 1899	385 568 2331 to 2399	401 045 1571 to 1599	414 411 7348 to 7399
011 588 2900 to 011 588 3099	385 599 7554 to 7575	401 294 2700 to 2799	414 640 0757 to 0799
012 579 5675 to 012 579 5699	385 774 2024 to 2099	401 310 9505 to 9599	414 965 1727 to 1799
013 289 6176 to 013 289 6199	386 624 1412 to 1599	401 382 5312 to 5399	417 302 8104 to 8199
013 610 0014 to 013 610 0099	386 883 8936 to 8999	402 578 7876 to 7899	417 387 6532 to 6599
014 932 1000 to 014 932 1099	387 314 5574 to 5599	403 125 6744 to 6799	417 496 6800 to 6999
014 972 0800 to 014 972 0899	387 837 6300 to 6399	403 260 7000 to 7499	417 871 9250 to 9299
210 221 0548 to 210 221 0599	388 828 0656 to 0699	403 280 6470 to 6499	417 930 9533 to 9599
273 070 8059 to 273 070 8099	389 696 2400 to 2799	403 685 8600 to 8699	418 164 6500 to 6799
273 775 7700 to 273 775 7899	389 846 3104 to 3135	404 003 0300 to 0399	418 423 9863 to 9899
302 000 0000 to 302 123 9999	389 846 3145 to 3195	404 041 8838 to 8899	418 633 5922 to 5999
349 746 2056 to 2099	389 887 9211 to 9230	404 071 4268 to 4299	418 719 8520 to 8599
350 518 7350 to 7374	389 887 9234 to 9299	404 347 5356 to 5399	418 744 2235 to 2299
360 011 1690 to 1699	390 001 3182 to 3199	404 347 5548 to 5599	418 962 2848 to 2899
360 168 6008 to 6099	390 001 3500 to 3699	404 726 4500 to 4599	419 543 0286 to 0299
360 173 8800 to 8899	390 545 5974 to 5999	404 961 5001 to 5199	419 730 0300 to 0399
360 324 2326 to 2399	391 104 6146 to 6199	405 325 0188 to 0198	420 277 0015 to 0049
362 861 3064 to 3099	391 574 1466 to 1499	406 009 4587 to 4599	420 599 0734 to 0798
373 006 2176 to 2199	391 783 3020 to 3599	406 260 6830 to 6899	420 661 4115 to 4199
374 768 2600 to 2699	391 792 6100 to 6199	406 459 6641 to 6999	420 758 9500 to 9699
375 169 4400 to 4599	391 792 6100 to 6199	406 733 3000 to 3999	420 969 3951 to 3971
375 829 3400 to 3499	392 668 2956 to 2999	407 545 1557 to 1599	420 969 3973 to 3999
375 851 9100 to 9199	392 854 8500 to 8899	407 594 0412 to 0599	421 116 3565 to 3599
376 196 0911 to 0999	393 584 7566 to 7699	407 692 9100 to 9299	421 130 9300 to 9399
378 085 3679 to 3699	393 650 0074 to 0099	407 959 2190 to 2199	421 313 4500 to 4999
378 351 1063 to 1099	393 838 8316 to 8499	408 265 2275 to 2288	421 364 5537 to 5599
379 843 5100 to 5199	393 893 6007 to 6099	408 499 7700 to 7799	421 656 2609 to 2699
380 093 9600 to 9699	394 126 6907 to 6999	408 499 7900 to 7999	421 988 9700 to 9799
380 165 1165 to 1199	394 189 0405 to 0599	408 682 8484 to 8599	422 172 4667 to 4699
381 325 4500 to 4599	394 822 3243 to 3278	408 698 7015 to 7099	422 484 4212 to 4299
381 604 2510 to 2699	394 990 1810 to 1899	409 072 3941 to 3999	422 556 1270 to 1299
381 645 9525 to 9599	395 343 3264 to 3299	410 491 2311 to 2399	422 587 7024 to 7099
383 314 3968 to 3999	395 373 3035 to 3099	410 694 8400 to 8599	422 819 7533 to 7599
383 892 1000 to 1344	395 396 9649 to 9799	410 775 1500 to 1599	422 842 5073 to 5087
383 892 1382 to 1399	395 970 3240 to 3299	410 795 7927 to 7999	422 907 7563 to 7599
384 925 3641 to 3654	397 622 4054 to 4099	410 867 0917 to 0966	424 500 6050 to 6099
	397 819 8902 to 8999	410 867 0970 to 0999	424 641 8500 to 8599
	398 149 7200 to 7699	411 868 1023 to 1199	424 871 6600 to 6699
	399 070 0872 to 0899	411 922 2322 to 2399	425 298 2352 to 2399
	399 156 7119 to 7199	412 193 0900 to 0999	425 418 4269 to 4299
	399 203 5064 to 5099	412 395 8599 to 8699	425 418 4405 to 4499
	399 296 9910 to 9999	412 485 6500 to 6599	426 547 4566 to 4599
	399 396 8935 to 8999	412 485 6610 to 6699	427 412 6337 to 6499
	399 792 7775 to 7799	412 885 5953 to 5999	427 481 0900 to 0999
	399 792 8300 to 8399	414 193 3608 to 3674	428 027 2742 to 2752
	400 427 1051 to 1999	414 193 3677 to 3699	429 474 4172 to 4199
	401 045 1505 to 1549		

429 889 2900 to 2999	453 603 7841 to 7891	466 798 6056 to 6067	481 072 9463 to 9499
430 150 4401 to 4599	453 650 1140 to 1199	467 147 4300 to 4399	481 673 0074 to 0095
430 172 9800 to 9899	453 741 1300 to 1399	468 079 5782 to 5799	482 527 1500 to 1599
430 177 1900 to 2099	454 013 2919 to 2999	469 067 2817 to 2899	482 541 5255 to 5299
430 444 9500 to 9699	454 186 2411 to 2499	469 127 8000 to 8199	482 729 6800 to 6899
430 664 4070 to 4099	454 268 4883 to 4899	469 213 0359 to 0399	483 363 7207 to 7299
432 168 8419 to 8499	454 302 5400 to 5499	469 213 0500 to 0599	483 402 2356 to 2399
432 708 6800 to 6999	454 490 8300 to 8399	469 561 8011 to 8099	483 486 5100 to 5199
432 744 1544 to 1599	454 547 7434 to 7499	469 658 1961 to 1999	483 632 1521 to 1599
432 995 9775 to 9799	454 922 4867 to 4895	469 666 9900 to 9999	483 632 2600 to 2799
433 003 5800 to 5899	455 221 1348 to 1499	469 678 1900 to 1999	483 849 1615 to 1699
433 757 3047 to 3099	455 364 2147 to 2199	469 781 4900 to 4999	484 174 4803 to 5299
433 765 4003 to 4099	455 399 5400 to 5499	469 947 6960 to 6999	484 323 8900 to 9199
434 482 7060 to 7199	455 476 0676 to 0699	470 755 5800 to 5818	484 680 5000 to 5038
434 513 2386 to 2399	455 543 0618 to 0699	471 918 0300 to 0999	484 680 5040 to 5074
434 968 3076 to 3092	456 410 9006 to 9099	471 985 2408 to 2419	484 680 5077 to 5099
435 303 1831 to 1842	456 470 4146 to 4299	472 191 6700 to 6799	485 029 4913 to 4999
435 303 1986 to 1999	456 619 4460 to 4499	472 270 2555 to 2599	486 176 0600 to 0699
435 666 6092 to 6399	457 333 2686 to 2699	472 987 0213 to 0241	486 559 7555 to 7599
436 082 6400 to 6899	457 729 1767 to 1777	472 987 0290 to 0299	486 696 3023 to 3199
436 160 6441 to 6499	457 937 8615 to 8699	473 151 2069 to 2199	488 173 7900 to 7999
437 316 7115 to 7199	458 028 9810 to 9899	473 666 9138 to 9199	488 206 4100 to 4199
437 427 0500 to 3499	458 057 2712 to 2999	473 952 3429 to 3499	488 226 0200 to 0299
439 179 2300 to 2399	458 069 9537 to 9599	474 108 5402 to 5499	488 709 3906 to 3999
439 310 0458 to 0499	458 069 9665 to 9699	474 356 5193 to 5299	488 855 8359 to 8399
440 698 1947 to 1999	458 337 5222 to 5299	474 949 3366 to 3399	489 181 8963 to 8999
440 858 6300 to 6399	458 354 7653 to 7999	475 134 9362 to 9399	489 223 2000 to 2099
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443 673 7900 to 7999	459 365 5432 to 5499	475 424 8410 to 8499	489 997 5252 to 5299
443 800 9335 to 9399	459 378 5764 to 5799	475 629 9156 to 9199	490 669 5850 to 6099
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450 620 3135 to 3199	462 277 8373 to 8399	478 010 4243 to 4268	492 254 4800 to 4899
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450 801 2700 to 2799	463 011 5529 to 5540	478 450 5071 to 5099	492 610 6813 to 6899
451 109 2967 to 2984	463 176 4115 to 4199	478 469 7838 to 7858	493 394 5568 to 5599
451 115 4110 to 4125	463 176 4229 to 4299	478 469 7883 to 7899	493 470 2562 to 2599
451 115 4127 to 4199	463 185 2600 to 2799	479 280 9800 to 9899	493 473 7700 to 7799
452 265 0074 to 0099	463 227 7711 to 7799	479 365 9116 to 9176	493 716 2153 to 2199
452 265 0246 to 0299	463 414 4869 to 4899	479 412 9900 to 9999	494 206 2972 to 2999
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452 855 6471 to 6499	464 629 9000 to 9399	479 860 7000 to 7199	495 145 0600 to 0699
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452 900 8215 to 8238	465 692 3963 to 3999	480 640 6330 to 6399	496 213 8728 to 8799
453 117 9146 to 9199	465 698 8300 to 8599	480 658 0568 to 0599	496 474 5226 to 5248
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498 929 8285 to	8499	612 774 2500 to	2599	634 886 3428 to	3499	647 398 8481 to	8499
498 936 5310 to	5399	614 469 0979 to	0999	635 559 3449 to	3499	647 437 3000 to	4999
499 016 5425 to	5499	614 474 3000 to	3099	636 289 6214 to	6299	647 811 2188 to	2199
499 440 8575 to	8899	614 521 3490 to	3499	636 634 8007 to	8042	648 009 6057 to	6099
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600 645 3223 to	3299	617 711 6609 to	6699	638 049 4984 to	4999	649 100 3989 to	3999
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601 661 7700 to	7799	618 840 9200 to	9299	638 885 0000 to	0299	649 647 5237 to	5399
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601 928 1600 to	1699	619 859 3000 to	3099	639 415 1929 to	1999	649 666 7800 to	8299
602 512 2972 to	2999	620 073 9400 to	9499	639 415 2019 to	2099	650 114 7707 to	7719
602 555 2400 to	2799	621 614 7907 to	7930	639 420 6200 to	6299	650 130 3400 to	3599
602 829 7061 to	7099	621 614 7932 to	7999	639 469 3517 to	3799	650 213 0406 to	0499
603 483 9572 to	9599	621 648 8021 to	8199	639 605 2143 to	2199	650 555 1749 to	1799
603 490 7200 to	7299	621 648 8500 to	8599	639 657 8600 to	8799	650 564 1900 to	1999
603 678 7100 to	7199	621 904 8351 to	8599	640 289 7500 to	7599	650 627 4212 to	4299
603 678 7662 to	7699	621 916 1978 to	1989	640 289 7700 to	7999	650 736 2043 to	2099
603 678 7902 to	7999	622 989 8032 to	8099	641 170 4420 to	4499	650 739 1540 to	1699
603 678 8418 to	8499	623 076 9300 to	9399	641 318 3133 to	3199	651 741 4415 to	4499
603 678 8700 to	9999	623 819 5006 to	5099	641 378 6500 to	6999	651 882 2800 to	2899
604 086 0880 to	0899	623 895 8200 to	8399	641 383 8739 to	8799	652 754 6317 to	6399
604 349 1414 to	1499	623 917 0000 to	0099	641 877 3187 to	3299	653 131 4945 to	4999
604 503 7776 to	7799	623 917 0200 to	0299	641 877 3310 to	3399	653 426 3300 to	3399
605 520 9037 to	9099	624 468 5288 to	5299	642 355 8094 to	8199	653 455 4874 to	4899
605 685 4010 to	4099	624 665 3162 to	3198	642 355 8308 to	8999	654 238 0000 to	0399
605 988 6467 to	6499	625 088 6735 to	6799	642 900 0018 to	0099	654 404 3065 to	3092
607 689 7951 to	7960	625 916 9500 to	9799	643 030 6254 to	6299	654 962 2900 to	3199
607 728 1276 to	1299	625 968 8956 to	8999	644 066 0882 to	0899	655 103 5081 to	5199
608 727 7100 to	7199	627 005 3938 to	3999	644 069 0600 to	0699	655 523 2600 to	2999
608 727 7273 to	7599	627 384 3907 to	4099	644 077 7506 to	7699	656 305 2448 to	2499
608 813 9950 to	9999	627 496 7549 to	7599	644 085 8157 to	8199	657 347 4438 to	4999
609 067 5325 to	5399	627 708 3605 to	3699	644 112 9839 to	9899	657 710 8100 to	8999
609 067 5488 to	5499	627 776 2500 to	2599	644 373 9083 to	9099	657 780 0985 to	0999
609 067 5600 to	5699	628 226 3100 to	3199	644 380 1460 to	1499	658 586 1400 to	1499
609 289 6123 to	6199	628 814 4702 to	4799	644 733 4715 to	4799	658 877 8000 to	8199
609 438 4400 to	4499	628 851 9689 to	9699	644 900 9712 to	9799	658 880 8000 to	8199
609 493 1100 to	1199	629 510 7200 to	7299	644 901 0109 to	1299	659 398 7300 to	7399
609 766 8091 to	8999	629 964 4200 to	4294	644 901 1325 to	1399	659 706 8113 to	8199
609 825 4100 to	4115	630 389 3056 to	3071	644 923 6800 to	7799	659 846 7837 to	7899
609 884 2981 to	2999	630 463 0588 to	0599	644 932 4655 to	4699	660 510 4100 to	4199
609 893 1000 to	1099	631 459 9117 to	9199	645 318 7240 to	7499	660 673 0400 to	0599
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611 879 6939 to	6999	632 500 0000 to	99 9999	645 821 0657 to	0699	661 716 9420 to	9499
612 291 8013 to	8099	633 110 4165 to	4199	645 930 7948 to	7999	661 906 6522 to	6599
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663 883 7039 to	7499	683 378 2117 to	2299	700 190 3350 to	3359	830 983 3635 to	3699
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665 174 6400 to	6499	685 154 7780 to	7789	700 666 1323 to	1349	832 525 3810 to	3899
665 274 8208 to	8299	685 623 5264 to	5299	700 786 9106 to	9142	833 159 1884 to	1899
665 669 5400 to	5499	685 650 9487 to	9499	700 859 0744 to	0758	833 456 2567 to	2599
666 132 8226 to	8299	685 669 4200 to	4299	701 028 6780 to	6899	833 566 3015 to	3071
666 696 2209 to	2299	685 757 8452 to	8499	701 213 3900 to	3999	834 316 5444 to	5499
666 696 2309 to	2399	686 071 2694 to	2799	701 267 2000 to	3999	835 269 5700 to	5799
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668 383 8400 to	8699	686 644 5879 to	5899	701 503 2247 to	2299	839 718 8257 to	8299
670 368 3400 to	3499	686 931 7636 to	7699	701 541 2271 to	2299	840 323 0600 to	0699
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670 750 7169 to	7199	687 614 6774 to	6799	701 601 3457 to	3499	840 910 0900 to	0999
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676 365 5958 to	5999	691 313 6383 to	6399	702 171 1603 to	1699	843 077 6288 to	6299
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677 333 9979 to	9999	691 664 1800 to	1999	702 264 7569 to	7599	843 786 2554 to	2699
677 466 1088 to	1099	691 664 2400 to	2499	702 713 1800 to	1809	845 746 2618 to	2635
678 071 4500 to	4799	692 727 9362 to	9399	702 821 5730 to	5799	847 284 2481 to	2499
678 096 7531 to	7599	693 249 0779 to	0799	702 821 5805 to	5899	847 374 7055 to	7065
679 909 2578 to	2599	693 249 0877 to	1699	702 878 0114 to	0199	847 636 5304 to	5399
680 112 9565 to	9599	693 445 0566 to	0999	740 002 7710 to	7719	847 700 5447 to	5499
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683 118 2389 to	2399	700 065 4800 to	4899	830 983 3500 to	3599	870 691 7060 to	7099

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

725 981 311	to	1 430	732 472 320	to	2 560	740 030 701	to	0 970	750 408 167	to	8 183
725 987 835	to	7 880	732 541 605	to	1 620	740 261 740	to	1 820	750 438 421	to	8 501
726 060 811	to	0 900	732 572 221	to	2 490	740 265 811	to	6 290	750 743 911	to	4 030
726 391 970	to	2 520	732 586 479	to	6 710	740 299 111	to	9 170	750 779 118	to	9 400
726 484 771	to	4 800	732 994 037	to	4 080	740 299 231	to	9 260	750 910 981	to	1 010
726 493 351	to	5 300	733 163 449	to	3 460	740 329 266	to	9 320	750 960 841	to	0 900
726 504 031	to	4 063	733 297 171	to	7 290	740 889 081	to	9 090	751 296 211	to	6 240
726 504 070	to	4 090	733 446 631	to	7 110	741 010 421	to	0 530	751 539 121	to	9 180
726 504 331	to	4 390	733 474 665	to	4 770	741 113 041	to	3 370	751 541 311	to	1 790
726 563 701	to	4 060	733 704 482	to	4 570	741 373 891	to	4 340	751 757 641	to	7 700
726 599 371	to	9 460	733 751 041	to	1 130	741 452 369	to	2 490	751 936 951	to	7 010
726 626 356	to	6 370	733 971 138	to	1 210	741 492 991	to	3 140	751 951 861	to	1 890
727 182 271	to	2 510	734 009 101	to	9 130	741 553 460	to	3 470	751 999 021	to	9 110
727 416 181	to	6 240	734 290 759	to	0 770	741 764 431	to	4 520	752 139 516	to	9 570
727 481 431	to	1 460	734 389 273	to	9 290	742 178 834	to	8 880	752 182 892	to	2 950
727 749 241	to	9 780	734 440 031	to	0 111	742 325 500	to	5 520	752 206 861	to	7 100
728 382 331	to	2 480	734 797 201	to	7 320	742 325 668	to	5 700	752 731 351	to	1 410
728 458 201	to	8 260	734 939 611	to	9 640	742 408 771	to	8 830	752 767 441	to	7 470
728 702 338	to	2 400	734 950 111	to	0 170	742 512 120	to	2 150	753 008 941	to	9 030
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728 953 141	to	3 410	735 123 061	to	3 690	742 839 553	to	9 630	753 620 378	to	0 400
728 954 280	to	4 310	735 283 008	to	3 020	742 913 668	to	3 700	754 013 917	to	3 940
729 169 081	to	9 140	735 293 131	to	3 220	742 917 287	to	7 296	754 161 061	to	1 120
729 363 841	to	3 870	735 783 961	to	3,990	742 921 891	to	1 980	754 358 445	to	8 610
729 682 891	to	3 190	735 803 401	to	3 430	742 983 631	to	3 810	754 410 451	to	0 660
729 838 940	to	9 070	736 005 420	to	5 440	743 020 021	to	0 170	754 438 393	to	8 410
729 839 101	to	9 130	736 366 021	to	6 110	743 206 491	to	6 500	754 493 109	to	3 130
730 077 683	to	7 840	736 624 456	to	4 500	743 235 992	to	6 050	754 664 182	to	4 220
730 109 847	to	9 880	736 670 851	to	1 060	743 245 094	to	5 170	754 816 377	to	6 470
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730 722 991	to	3 230	737 185 501	to	5 710	744 626 901	to	6 910	755 934 332	to	4 510
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731 307 914	to	7 930	737 634 258	to	4 270	747 245 266	to	5 280	756 301 257	to	1 290
731 402 431	to	2 460	738 361 971	to	1 980	747 364 813	to	4 830	756 371 565	to	1 580
731 407 232	to	7 320	738 648 355	to	8 450	747 501 434	to	1 450	756 876 031	to	6 090
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732 188 649	to	8 670	739 793 491	to	3 520	749 685 421	to	5 450	757 277 371	to	7 700
732 193 460	to	3 470	739 793 527	to	3 550	749 846 791	to	6 850	757 291 591	to	2 730
732 201 241	to	1 390	739 942 621	to	2 650	749 993 131	to	3 580	758 324 941	to	5 000
732 220 431	to	0 440	739 999 231	to	9 320	750 071 587	to	1 610	761 504 941	to	5 120
732 355 201	to	5 380	740 011 517	to	1 530						

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, 6-1-00*

800 Number Available to Verify Canadian Money Orders

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

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

— *Postal Inspection Service, 6-1-00*

Invalid Express Mail Corporate Account Numbers

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

005016	007020	010634	018718	020516	023235	027158	028698	041314	065308	069805	076150	080466
005064	007105	011026	018731	020536	023239	027280	028711	050013	065328	069921	076159	080548
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005278	007223	014217	018822	020587	023465	027458	028809	053008	065720	070416	077252	085026
005309	007351	014749	018892	020594	023488	027476	028856	053018	065914	070755	077262	085044
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International Mail

IMM REVISION

International Mail — Mailing to the Czech Republic

Effective June 1, 2000, the Individual Country Listing for the Czech Republic is revised to reflect the elimination of special delivery service. This revision will be incorporated into both the printed version of *International Mail Manual* (IMM) Issue 24 and the online IMM, which can be accessed via Postal Explorer (<http://pe.usps.gov>).

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Country Conditions for Mailing — Czech Republic

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SPECIAL SERVICES

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[Revise Special Delivery to read as follows:]

SPECIAL DELIVERY (370)

NOT available

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IMM CORRECTION

International Mail — Priority Mail Global Guaranteed (PMGG)

Postal Bulletin 22024 (5-18-00) announced the implementation of new Priority Mail Global Guaranteed (PMGG) postage rates and the extension of PMGG service to additional destination countries. Effective immediately, the list of ZIP Code areas where PMGG shipments may originate in California, New York, and North Carolina is corrected as set forth below.

This correction will be reflected in both the printed version of *International Mail Manual* (IMM) Issue 24 and the online IMM, which can be accessed via Postal Explorer (<http://pe.usps.gov>).

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210 Express Mail International Service

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215 Priority Mail Global Guaranteed

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215.3 Service Areas

215.31 U.S. Origins

Priority Mail Global Guaranteed (PMGG) items must be entered at post offices that are located in the following ZIP Code areas:

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State	Zip Code Areas
California	900, 902–908, 910–918, 926–928, 937, 939–941, 943–944, 946–947, 949–951, 954
New York	100–101, 103–119, 124–127
North Carolina	270–282, 286

[The ZIP Code areas listed for all other states are unchanged.]

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ICM UPDATE

International Customized Mail

On February 2, 2000, the U.S. Postal Service (USPS) amended an International Customized Mail (ICM) service Agreement dated January 14, 2000. The purpose of this Amendment is to include an EMS rate to the Republic of Korea (South Korea) and Taiwan. In accordance with *International Mail Manual* (IMM) 294, the USPS hereby makes public the following information concerning the Amendment:

- a. Term:** February 9, 2000, through December 31, 2000.
- b. Type of mail:** *Express Mail International Service (EMS)*. Every item must conform to the mailing requirements set forth in the IMM for qualifying mail.
- c. Destination country:** Japan, the Republic of Korea (South Korea), and Taiwan.
- d. Service provided by the Postal Service:** The Postal Service has agreed to:
 1. Furnish the mailer, or mailing agent, with the equipment and supplies necessary to prepare qualifying mail.
 2. Provide the mailer, or mailing agent, with the training necessary to prepare qualifying mail in conformity with Postal Service requirements.
 3. Provide a Corporate Account mailing statement at the end of each Postal Accounting Period.
 4. Arrange for appropriate air and surface transportation for qualifying mail.

e. Minimum volume commitment: The mailer has agreed to a minimum annual total volume requirement of 182,000 EMS pieces to Japan, the Republic of Korea (South Korea), and Taiwan.

f. Worksharing: The mailer has agreed to:

1. Prepare mail in accordance with the applicable USPS requirements.
2. Pay postage for qualifying mail in accordance with payment methods as referenced the IMM and the *Domestic Mail Manual* (DMM) for Express Mail Corporate Accounts (EMCA).
3. Tender Qualifying Mail to the appropriate USPS facility in accordance with instructions the USPS provides.
4. Provide a schedule of mailings including the date of tender, weight, volume, and location where mail will originate in accordance with instructions provided by the USPS.

g. Rates: The mailer will pay a rate of \$12.50 per piece plus \$2.50 per pound for EMS shipments to Japan. The mailer will pay \$12.81 per piece plus \$4.21 per pound for EMS shipments to the Republic of Korea (South Korea) and Taiwan.

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International Business, 6-1-00

ICM UPDATE

International Customized Mail

On March 14, 2000, the U.S. Postal Service (USPS) entered into an International Customized Mail (ICM) service Agreement with a qualifying mailer. The Agreement governs use the mailer may make of Global Package Link (GPL) harmonization and technical support prior to signing a GPL Agreement and GPL harmonization after the Agreement is in effect. In accordance with *International Mail Manual* (IMM) 294, the USPS hereby makes public the following information concerning the Agreement:

- a. Term:** April 13, 2000, through March 31, 2001.
- b. Type of mail:** *Parcels*.
- c. Destination country:** Worldwide.

d. Service provided by the Postal Service: The Postal Service has agreed to:

Provide the mailer, or mailing agent, with the necessary technical support to prepare them to become a valid GPL mailer.

e. Minimum volume commitment: N/A

f. Worksharing: N/A

g. Rates:

1. Pay the USPS for these services in a manner and within the time agreed to by the USPS and mailer in the GPL service Agreement.
2. Charges will be \$250 per hour plus travel expenses.

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ICM UPDATE

International Customized Mail

On March 17, 2000, the U.S. Postal Service (USPS) amended an International Customized Mail (ICM) service Agreement dated March 3, 1999. The Amendment extends the term of the Agreement. In accordance with *International Mail Manual* (IMM) 294, the Postal Service previously announced entering into an International Customized Mail service Agreement with this qualifying mailer and hereby makes public the following information regarding this Amendment:

- a. Term:** From March 26, 2000, until such time as the mailer begins to use Global Package Link — European Union service.
- b. Type of mail:** *Parcels*.
- c. Destination countries:** France and Germany.
- d. Service provided by the Postal Service:** The USPS has agreed to:
 1. Furnish the mailer, or mailing agent, with the equipment and supplies necessary to prepare qualifying mail.
 2. Provide the mailer, or mailing agent, with the training necessary to prepare qualifying mail in conformity with Postal Service requirements.
 3. Arrange for appropriate air and surface transportation for qualifying mail.
 4. Accept and verify all mail pursuant to the Agreement at the USPS facility where the mailer tenders its mail.
- e. Minimum revenue commitment:** The mailer has agreed to tender a minimum of 10,000 parcels annually in accordance with IMM 622.11.
- f. Worksharing:** The mailer has agreed to:
 1. Package mail in accordance with the applicable Postal Service requirements set forth in the IMM.
 2. Pay postage for qualifying mail using a Mailing Manifest System (MMS).
 3. Maintain an established number of pieces over the course of the service Agreement.
 4. Tender qualifying mail to the Postal Service at designated Postal Service facilities.
 5. Provide projections of mailings including date, weight, volume, and location where mail will be tendered.
 6. Use the USPS for all of its parcels destined for France and Germany that meet USPS size and weight requirements during the term of the Agreement.

g. Rates:

Weight (lbs.)	France	Germany
1	\$13.75	\$13.25
2	\$15.00	\$15.00
3	\$16.50	\$16.75
4	\$17.75	\$18.25
5	\$19.25	\$20.00
6	\$20.50	\$21.50
7	\$22.00	\$23.25
8	\$23.50	\$25.00
9	\$24.75	\$26.50
10	\$26.25	\$28.25
11	\$27.50	\$30.00
12	\$29.00	\$31.50
13	\$30.50	\$33.25
14	\$31.75	\$34.75
15	\$33.25	\$36.50
16	\$34.50	\$38.25
17	\$36.00	\$39.75
18	\$37.25	\$41.50
19	\$38.75	\$43.25
20	\$40.25	\$44.75
21	\$41.50	\$46.50
22	\$43.00	\$48.00
23	\$44.25	\$49.75
24	\$45.75	\$51.50
25	\$47.00	\$53.00
26	\$48.50	\$54.75
27	\$50.00	\$56.50
28	\$51.25	\$58.00
29	\$52.75	\$59.75
30	\$54.00	\$61.25
31	\$55.50	\$63.00
32	\$57.00	\$64.75
33	\$58.25	\$66.25
34	\$59.75	\$68.00
35	\$61.00	\$69.75
36	\$62.50	\$71.25
37	\$63.75	\$73.00
38	\$65.25	\$74.50
39	\$66.75	\$76.25
40	\$68.00	\$78.00
41	\$69.50	\$79.50
42	\$70.75	\$81.25
43	\$72.25	\$83.00
44	\$73.75	\$84.50
45	\$75.00	\$86.25
46	\$76.50	\$87.75
47	\$77.75	\$89.50
48	\$79.25	\$91.25
49	\$80.50	\$92.75

Weight (lbs.)	France	Germany
50	\$82.00	\$94.50
51	\$83.50	\$96.25
52	\$84.75	\$97.75
53	\$86.25	\$99.50
54	\$87.50	\$101.00
55	\$89.00	\$102.75
56		\$104.50
57		\$106.00
58		\$107.75
59		\$109.50
60		\$111.00
61		\$112.75
62		\$114.25
63		\$116.00
64		\$117.75
65		\$119.25
66		\$121.00
67		\$122.50
68		\$124.25
69		\$126.00
70		\$127.50

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International Business, 6-1-00

ICM UPDATE

International Customized Mail

On March 20, 2000, the U.S. Postal Service (USPS) amended an International Customized Mail (ICM) service Agreement dated July 20, 1999. The Amendment modifies the Agreement to include EMS rates. In accordance with *International Mail Manual* (IMM) 294, the Postal Service previously announced entering into an International Customized Mail service Agreement with this qualifying mailer and hereby makes public the following information regarding this Amendment:

- a. **Term:** March 24, 2000, through December 31, 2000.
- b. **Type of mail:** EMS.
- c. **Destination countries:** Worldwide.
- d. **Service provided by the Postal Service:** The Postal Service has agreed to:
 1. Furnish the mailer, or mailing agent, with the equipment and supplies necessary to prepare qualifying mail.
 2. Provide the mailer, or mailing agent, with the training necessary to prepare ICM mail in conformity with the requirements for qualifying mail.
 3. Arrange for appropriate air and surface transportation for qualifying mail.
- e. **Minimum revenue commitment:** The mailer has agreed to a minimum requirement of \$15 million of combined ISAL, IPA, and Global Direct postage during Postal Fiscal Year 2000.
- f. **Worksharing:** The mailer has agreed to:
 1. Tender at least ninety-nine percent (99%) of qualifying mail to the appropriate USPS facility in accordance with instructions the USPS provides.
 2. Notify the USPS of any new acceptance sites and appropriate permit numbers that it will use at least two weeks before the startup of each additional site.
 3. Provide projections of mailings including date, weight, volume, and locations where mail will be tendered.
 4. Package mail in accordance with USPS requirements.
 5. Pay postage for qualifying mail in accordance with USPS regulations.

6. Give six month's notice in writing should the mailer wish to cancel the Agreement. Either party can cancel the Agreement upon six month's written notice. If the Agreement is cancelled, upon termination, the Mailer will receive the published discount for qualifying mail in accordance with the IMM.
7. Renegotiate the rates in the event that USPS costs increase more than ten percent (10%). The USPS must notify the mailer of such occurrence in writing.

g. Rates:

Group	Rate	
	Per Piece	Plus Per Pound
1	\$13.09	\$3.50
2	20.99	2.26
3	12.51	3.25
4	14.88	2.45
5	13.94	2.00
6	13.54	2.57
Canada	19.38	1.57
Mexico	14.08	2.59
England	11.14	2.40
China	12.50	3.50
Japan	8.93	3.49

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International Business, 6-1-00

ICM UPDATE

International Customized Mail

On April 10, 2000, the U.S. Postal Service (USPS) amended an International Customized Mail (ICM) service Agreement dated October 7, 1998. The Amendment modifies the Global Direct — Canada Admail rates and rate structure. In accordance with *International Mail Manual* (IMM) 294, the Postal Service hereby makes public the following information regarding this Amendment:

- a. Term:** April 17, 2000, through October 14, 2000.
- b. Type of mail:** *Letter Mail, Canada Admail.* Every item must conform to the mailing requirements set forth in the IMM for all qualifying Global Direct — Canada Admail and relevant USPS regulations for Global Direct — Canada Letter Mail.
- c. Destination country:** Canada.
- d. Service provided by the Postal Service:** The USPS has agreed to:
 1. Furnish the mailer with the equipment and other supplies necessary to prepare qualifying mail.
 2. Provide the mailer, or mailing agent, with the training necessary to prepare ICM mail in conformity with the requirements for qualifying mail.
 3. Arrange for appropriate air and surface transportation for qualifying mail.
- e. Minimum volume commitment:** The mailer has agreed to tender a minimum of 20 million pieces annually of qualifying mail.
- f. Worksharing:** The mailer has agreed to:
 1. Tender qualifying mail to the Postal Service at the designated Postal Service facility.

2. Prepare and sort mail in accordance with the applicable United States Postal Service and Canada Post Corporation requirements.
 3. Pay postage to the USPS for qualifying mail in accordance with payment methods in *Domestic Mail Manual* (DMM) P040 and P700.
 4. Work in cooperation with the USPS to ensure cost-effective management of operational resources.
 5. Provide the USPS with schedules of all mailings as soon as such schedules are determined.
- g. Rate:** Based on the mailer's commitment to tender 20 million pieces of qualifying mail, Attachment 1 to the Agreement, detailing the rates and rate structure for Global Direct — Canada Admail, is amended to read as follows:

ATTACHMENT 1

Global Direct — Canada Admail		
Letter Carrier Presort		National Distribution Guide
First 1.76 oz. (0.11 lb.) (50 g)	STANDARD	STANDARD US \$0.253
Delivery Mode Direct	US \$0.198	
Delivery Facility	US \$0.226	
Distribution Center Facility (DCF)	US \$0.226	
Residue	US \$0.281	

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International Business, 6-1-00

ICM UPDATE

International Customized Mail

On April 10, 2000, the U.S. Postal Service (USPS) amended an International Customized Mail (ICM) service Agreement dated June 9, 1999. The Amendment modifies the Global Direct — Canada Admail rates and rate structure. In accordance with *International Mail Manual (IMM)* 294, the Postal Service hereby makes public the following information about the Amendment:

- a. **Term:** April 17, 1999, through December 31, 2000.
 - b. **Type of mail:** *Printed Matter and Small Packets.* Every item must conform to the mailing requirements set forth in the IMM for all qualifying ISAL, IPA, Global Direct — Canada Admail and Global Direct — Canada Publications Mail.
 - c. **Destination countries:** Canada.
 - d. **Service provided by the Postal Service:** The Postal Service has agreed to:
 1. Furnish the mailer with the equipment and supplies necessary to prepare qualifying mail.
 2. Provide the mailer, or mailing agent, with the training necessary to prepare ICM qualifying mail according to the requirements for qualifying mail.
 3. Arrange for appropriate transportation.
 - e. **Minimum revenue commitment:** The mailer has agreed to a minimum annual requirement of \$25 million in international mail postage in Postal Fiscal Year (PFY) 2000 and each subsequent PFY.
 - f. **Worksharing:** The mailer has agreed to:
 1. Prepare and sort mail in accordance with the applicable Postal Service requirements and in accordance with Canada Post requirements for Global Direct — Canada Publications and Global Direct — Canada Admail.
 2. Pay postage in accordance with permit imprint payment methods, subject to the general conditions stated in *Domestic Mail Manual (DMM)* P040.
 3. Be responsible for any surcharges from Canada Post on Address Accuracy for nonqualifying mail.
 4. Tender qualifying mail to the designated USPS international facilities.
 5. Provide mailing projections including weights, volumes, and dates of mailing per plant of origin a minimum of fourteen (14) calendar days prior to the first mailing.
- g. Rates:** Based on a commitment of \$25 million in postage annually for international mail, the mailer will receive a sixteen percent (16%) discount off of the non-discounted published rates for ISAL and IPA mail in effect on the mailing date. If the mailer does not pay at least \$25 million in postage for international mail during all of PFY 2000, the discount for ISAL and IPA mail will be determined by the amount of postage paid during PFY 2000. The rate for qualifying Global Direct — Canada Letter Mail is US\$0.33.5 per piece. Based on a commitment of \$25 million in postage annually for international mail, the mailer will pay the rates for Global Direct — Canada Admail and Global Direct — Canada Publications mail as detailed in Exhibit 1.

Exhibit 1**GLOBAL DIRECT — CANADA
RATE SCHEDULES****Global Direct — Canada Publications
Rate Schedule**

Global Direct — Canada Publications Mail		
Letter Carrier Presort		National Distribution Guide
First 7.04 oz. (0.44 lb.) (200 g)		Up to First 3.52 oz. (0.22 lb.) (100 g) US \$0.333
Delivery Mode Direct	US \$0.236	
Delivery Facility	US \$0.270	
Distribution Center Facility (DCF)	US \$0.270	Over 3.52 oz. (0.22 lb.) (100 g) Per additional pound US \$0.688
Residue	US \$0.430	
Over 7.04 oz. (0.44 lb.) (200 g) Per additional pound	US \$0.531	

**Global Direct — Canada Admail
Rate Schedule**

Global Direct — Canada Admail				
Letter Carrier Presort			National Distribution Guide	
First 1.76 oz. (0.11 lb.) (50 g)	STANDARD	LARGE	First 1.76 oz. (0.11 lb.) (50 g)	
Delivery Mode Direct	US \$0.200	US \$0.249	STANDARD	LARGE
Delivery Facility	US \$0.228	US \$0.276	US \$0.255	US \$0.304
Distribution Center Facility (DCF)	US \$0.228	US \$0.276	Over 1.76 oz. (0.11 lb.) (50 g)	
Residue	US \$0.283	US \$0.332	Per additional pound	
Over 1.76 oz. (0.11 lb.) (50 g) Per additional pound	US \$0.525	US \$0.682	STANDARD	LARGE
			US \$0.525	US \$0.682

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ICM UPDATE

International Customized Mail

On April 10, 2000, the U.S. Postal Service (USPS) amended an International Customized Mail (ICM) service Agreement dated July 9, 1999. This Amendment modifies the Global Direct — Canada rates and rate structure. In accordance with *International Mail Manual* (IMM) 294, the USPS hereby makes public the following information concerning the Amendment:

- a. **Term:** April 17, 2000, through December 31, 2000.
- b. **Type of mail:** *Printed Matter and Small Packets*. Every item must conform to the mailing requirements set forth in the IMM for all qualifying ISAL, IPA, and Global Direct — Canada Admail.
- c. **Destination country:** Worldwide.
- d. **Service provided by the Postal Service:** The Postal Service has agreed to:
 - 1. Furnish the mailer, or mailing agent, with the equipment and supplies necessary to prepare qualifying mail.
 - 2. Provide the mailer, or mailing agent, with the training necessary to prepare qualifying mail in conformity with Postal Service requirements.
 - 3. Provide a Corporate Account mailing statement at the end of each Postal Accounting Period.
 - 4. Arrange for appropriate air and surface transportation for qualifying mail.
- e. **Minimum revenue commitment:** The mailer has agreed to a minimum annual requirement of \$10 million of combined IPA, ISAL, and Global Direct — Canada Admail postage during Postal Fiscal Year (PFY) 1999 and each subsequent PFY of the Agreement.
- f. **Worksharing:** The mailer has agreed to:
 - 2. Prepare mail in accordance with the applicable Postal Service requirements set forth in the IMM.
 - 3. Pay postage for qualifying mail in accordance with the IMM using a system approved by the appropriate rates and classification service center (RCSC).
 - 4. Give two week's notice to the USPS of any new tender sites and permit numbers.
 - 5. Tender qualifying mail to the Postal Service at the appropriate deposit locations for ISAL, IPA, and Global Direct — Canada Admail as specified in the IMM.
 - 6. Provide projections of mailings including date, weight, volume, and locations where mail will be tendered.
 - 7. Give six month's notice in writing should the Agreement be cancelled. Either party can cancel the Agreement as long as six month's notice is given. If the Agreement is cancelled, upon termination, the mailer will receive the published discount for qualifying mail in accordance with the IMM.
 - 8. Renegotiate the rates in the event that USPS costs increase more than ten percent (10%). The USPS must notify the mailer of such occurrence in writing.

- g. Rates:** Based on a commitment of \$10 million in postage annually for international mail, the mailer will receive a fifteen and one-quarter percent (15.25%) discount off of non-discounted published rates for ISAL and IPA mail in effect on the mailing date. If the mailer does not pay at least \$10 million in postage for international mail during all of PFY 2000, the discount for ISAL and IPA mail will be determined by the amount of postage paid during PFY 2000 in accordance with Exhibit 1. Based on a commitment of \$10 million in postage annually for international mail, the mailer will pay the rates for Global Direct — Canada Admail as detailed in Exhibit 2.

Exhibit 1

Annual IPA, ISAL, and Global Direct Revenue	Percentage Discount
\$2,000,000 – \$4,999,999	5.00%
\$5,000,000 – \$9,999,999	10.00%
\$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%

Exhibit 2

Global Direct — Canada Admail				
Letter Carrier Presort				
First 1.76 oz. (0.11 lb.) (50 g)	STANDARD	LARGE	First 1.76 oz. (0.11 lb.) (50 g)	
Delivery Mode Direct	US \$0.200	US \$0.249	STANDARD	LARGE
Delivery Facility	US \$0.228	US \$0.276	US \$0.255	US \$0.304
Distribution Center Facility (DCF)	US \$0.228	US \$0.276	Over 1.76 oz. (0.11 lb.) (50 g)	
Residue	US \$0.283	US \$0.332	Per additional pound	
Over 1.76 oz. (0.11 lb.) (50 g)			STANDARD	LARGE
Per additional pound	US \$0.525	US \$0.682	US \$0.525	US \$0.682

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ICM UPDATE**International Customized Mail**

On April 10, 2000, the U.S. Postal Service (USPS) amended an International Customized Mail (ICM) service Agreement dated May 15, 1998. The Amendment modifies the Global Direct — Canada Admail rates and rate structure. In accordance with IMM 294, the Postal Service previously announced entering into an International Customized Mail service Agreement with this qualifying mailer and hereby makes public the following information regarding this Amendment:

- a. Term:** April 17, 2000, through May 14, 2001.
- b. Type of mail:** *Parcels, Catalogues, and Global Direct — Canada.* Every item must conform to the mailing requirements set forth by the USPS for all qualifying EMS and to the requirements set forth in the IMM for all qualifying EMS mail.
- c. Destination countries:** Canada.
- d. Service provided by the Postal Service:** The USPS has agreed to:
 1. Furnish the mailer, or mailing agent, with the equipment and supplies necessary to prepare qualifying mail.
 2. Provide the mailer, or mailing agent, with the training necessary to prepare qualifying mail in conformity with Postal Service requirements.
 3. Arrange for appropriate air and surface transportation for qualifying mail.
- e. Minimum volume commitment:** The mailer has agreed to mail a minimum of \$7 million annually in postage for qualifying mail.

f. Worksharing: The mailer has agreed to:

Tender the mailpieces to be delivered under this service Agreement in accordance with Postal Service preparation requirements.

g. Rates: Based on the mailer’s commitment to tender qualifying mail with a postage value of at least \$7 million annually, Annex 3 to the Agreement, detailing the rates and rate structure for Global Direct — Canada Admail, is amended to read as follows:

Annex 3

Global Direct — Canada Admail			
Letter Carrier Presort			National Distribution Guide
First 1.76 oz. (0.11 lb.) (50 g)	STANDARD	LARGE	First 1.76 oz. (0.11 lb.) (50 g)
Delivery Mode Direct	US \$0.205	US \$0.254	STANDARD LARGE
Delivery Facility	US \$0.233	US \$0.281	US \$0.260 US \$0.309
Distribution Center Facility (DCF)	US \$0.233	US \$0.281	
Residue	US \$0.288	US \$0.337	Over 1.76 oz. (0.11 lb.) (50 g)
Over 1.76 oz. (0.11 lb.) (50 g)			Per additional pound
Per additional pound	US \$0.525	US \$0.682	STANDARD LARGE
			US \$0.525 US \$0.682

— Marketing and Sales, International Business, 6-1-00

ICM UPDATE

International Customized Mail

On, April 10, 2000, the U.S. Postal Service (USPS) amended an International Customized Mail (ICM) service Agreement dated July 7, 1999. This Amendment modifies the Global Direct — Canada Admail rates and rate structure. In accordance with *International Mail Manual* (IMM) 294, the Postal Service hereby makes public the following information concerning the Agreement:

a. Term: April 17, 2000, through July 31, 2000. This Agreement will automatically renew for a ninety (90) day period, unless written notification of change is given by either party sixty (60) days prior to the aforementioned expiration date.

b. Type of mail: *Letter Mail and Admail.* Every item must conform to the mailing requirements set forth in the IMM for all qualifying Global Direct — Canada Admail and Global Direct — Canada Letter Mail.

c. Destination country: Canada.

d. Service provided by the Postal Service: The Postal Service has agreed to:

1. Furnish the mailer with the equipment and supplies necessary to prepare qualifying mail.
2. Provide the mailer, or mailing agent, with the training necessary to prepare ICM qualifying mail according to the requirements for qualifying mail.
3. Arrange for appropriate air and surface transportation for qualifying mail.

e. Minimum revenue commitment: The mailer has agreed to a minimum annual requirement of five (5) million pieces of qualifying mail.

f. Worksharing: The mailer has agreed to:

1. Prepare and sort mail in accordance with the applicable Postal Service requirements and in accordance with Canada Post requirements for Global Direct — Canada Admail and Global Direct — Canada Letter Mail.
2. Pay postage in accordance with permit imprint payment methods, subject to the general conditions stated in *Domestic Mail Manual* (DMM) P040 and P710.2.4.
3. Be responsible for any surcharges from Canada Post on Address Accuracy for nonqualifying mail.
4. Tender qualifying mail to the appropriate and designated USPS international facilities.
5. Provide the USPS with an advance schedule of all mailings.

g. Rates: For Letter Mail, the mailer will pay the applicable Canada Post Corporation postage, converted to U.S. dollars at a conversion rate specified by the USPS, plus a handling charge. The postage and handling charges are included in the rates for Letter Mail in Exhibit 1. Based on a commitment of five (5) million pieces of qualifying mail annually, the mailer will pay the rates for Global Direct — Canada Admail as detailed in Exhibit 2.

Exhibit 1

 Letter Mail — ICM Incentive Rate @ US \$0.325 per piece

 Letter Mail — Standard Rate @ US \$0.43 per piece

Exhibit 2

Global Direct — Canada Admail				
Letter Carrier Presort			National Distribution Guide	
First 1.76 oz. (0.11 lb.) (50 g)	STANDARD	LARGE	First 1.76 oz. (0.11 lb.) (50 g)	
Delivery Mode Direct	US \$0.205	US \$0.254	STANDARD	LARGE
Delivery Facility	US \$0.233	US \$0.281	US \$0.260	US \$0.309
Distribution Center Facility (DCF)	US \$0.233	US \$0.281	Over 1.76 oz. (0.11 lb.) (50 g) Per additional pound	
Residue	US \$0.288	US \$0.337		
Over 1.76 oz. (0.11 lb.) (50 g) Per additional pound	US \$0.525	US \$0.682	STANDARD	LARGE
			US \$0.525	US \$0.682

— Marketing and Sales, International Business, 6-1-00

*ICM UPDATE***International Customized Mail**

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

- a. **Term:** May 29, 2000, through December 31, 2000.
- b. **Type of mail:** EMS.
- c. **Destination countries:** Japan.
- d. **Service provided by the Postal Service:** The Postal Service has agreed to:
 1. Furnish the mailer, or mailing agent, with the equipment and supplies necessary to prepare qualifying mail.
 2. Provide the mailer, or mailing agent, with the training necessary to prepare qualifying mail in conformity with Postal Service requirements.
 3. Provide direct transportation from the United States to all destinations.
 4. Arrange for appropriate air and surface transportation for qualifying mail.
 5. Provide a system that will include a computer workstation, in-line scale, printers, and manifesting software.
 6. Provide at the end of each Postal Accounting Period a statement of the status of the mailer's Corporate Account.

- e. **Minimum volume commitment:** The mailer has agreed to tender a minimum of 60,000 EMS pieces annually, weighing approximately 3 pounds each.
- f. **Worksharing:** The mailer has agreed to:
 1. Prepare mail in accordance with the applicable USPS requirements.
 2. Pay postage for qualifying mail in accordance with payment methods as referenced in the IMM and the *Domestic Mail Manual* (DMM) for EMS mail.
 3. Tender qualifying mail to the appropriate USPS facility in accordance with instructions the USPS provides.
 4. Provide a schedule of mailings including the date of tender, weight, volume, and location where mail will originate in accordance with instructions provided by the USPS.
- g. **Rates:** The mailer will pay a rate of \$11.34 per piece plus \$4.05 per pound for EMS mail to Japan. In the event the costs associated with USPS EMS service increase in excess of ten percent (10%), the USPS shall notify the mailer, in writing, and renegotiate rates or terminate the Agreement within sixty (60) days after receipt of the written notification.

— Marketing and Sales,
International Business, 6-1-00

REMINDER

International Mail — Customs Forms Usage

Canada Post Corporation (CPC) continues to receive significant numbers of United States–originating packages that do not bear the required customs form information. This situation is seriously impeding the ability of Canadian customs authorities to determine whether individual mailpieces are compatible with Canadian import regulations and whether mailpieces are susceptible to duty assessment. It is also causing delayed delivery of the affected items. See page 50 of *Postal Bulletin* 21972 (5-21-98) and page 37 of *Postal Bulletin* 21991 (2-11-99) for previous customs forms reminders.

Postal customers tendering packages for delivery in Canada must adhere to the customs form requirements that are specified in section 123.6 of the *International Mail Manual* (IMM). Accordingly, when a potentially dutiable article is presented for mailing, the USPS acceptance

employee must make certain that the sender has fully complied with the regulations by affixing a properly completed customs form to the mailpiece (either PS Form 2976, *Customs — CN 22 (Old C1) and Sender's Declaration*, or PS Form 2976-A, *Customs Declaration and Dispatch Note CP 72*). Any package lacking the required customs form may be subject to return by Canadian customs authorities.

See section 123.7 of the IMM for a detailed description of the sender preparation, employee acceptance, and enveloping procedures that govern the use of PS Forms 2976 and 2976-A on international mailpieces.

— *Finance and Classification, International Business, 6-1-00*

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STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT 00-24

Space Achievement and Exploration Souvenir Sheet



Copyright USPS 1999

The Postal Service will issue an \$11.75 *Space Achievement and Exploration* souvenir sheet featuring a circular commemorative stamp (Item Number 111700), the first ever issued by the U.S. Postal Service, in Anaheim, CA, on July 7, 2000. The stamp, designed by Richard Sheaff of Scottsdale, AZ, and based on NASA reference material goes on sale nationwide July 8, 2000.

This Express Mail stamp features a hologram of the Earth, another first for the U.S. Postal Service. The text encircling the stamp reads "Space Achievement and Exploration" and "World Stamp Expo 2000." This stamp will be the first issued in the Space Achievement and Exploration Commemorative Series and will be the first to be unveiled at World Stamp Expo 2000 in honor of America's space program.

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 the first day city of Anaheim, CA; at World Stamp Expo 2000; at authorized philatelic centers; and at Postal retail stores. Customers can affix the stamps to envelopes of their choice, address the envelopes (to themselves or

Issue:	<i>Space Achievement and Exploration</i>
Item Number:	111700
Denomination & Type of Issue:	\$11.75 Commemorative
Format:	Souvenir Sheet (1 design)
Series:	N/A
Issue Date & City:	July 7, 2000, Anaheim, CA 92803
Photographs & Illustrations:	Courtesy NASA
Designer:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Engraver:	Southern Gravure
Art Director:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Typographer:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Modeler:	Sennett Security Products (SSP)
Manufacturing Process:	Gravure
Printer:	Sennett Security Products (SSP)
Printed at:	American Packaging Corporation, Columbus, WI
Press Type:	Rotomec
Stamps per Pane:	One
Print Quantity:	1.695 million panes
Paper Type:	Phosphor Tagged Paper, Block
Gum Type:	Water-activated
Processed at:	Unique Binders, Fredericksburg, VA
Colors:	Magenta, Cyan, Yellow, Black
Stamp Orientation:	Circular
Image Area (diameter):	1.778 in./45.16 mm
Overall Size (diameter):	1.778 in./45.16 mm
Full Pane Size (diameter):	3.65 in./92.075 mm
Plate Size:	One stamp per revolution
Plate Numbers:	N/A
Marginal Markings:	N/A
Catalog Item Number(s):	111700 Pane of 1 — \$11.75
Sale Date:	July 7, 2000
Nationwide Sale Date:	July 8, 2000

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

SPACE ACHIEVEMENT AND EXPLORATION
 COMMEMORATIVE STAMP
 POSTMASTER
 701 N LOARA ST
 ANAHEIM CA 92803-9991

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 August 7, 2000.

Stamp Fulfillment Services (SFS) will not offer first day covers for this stamp issue. Customers may request a free quarterly *USA Philatelic* 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

Philatelic Products

There are no philatelic products associated with this stamp.

Distribution

The \$11.75 *Space Achievement and Exploration* stamp (Item Number 111700) is to be sold at the first day city of Anaheim, CA; through Stamp Fulfillment Services (SFS) in Kansas City, MO; and at postal retail stores and philatelic centers nationwide.

Initial Supply to Post Offices

There will be no distribution of the *Space Achievement and Exploration* stamp to regular post offices.

Philatelic Requirement

SDOs with authorized philatelic centers will receive an automatic distribution of these stamps in one position for subsequent distribution to each philatelic window. SDOs must not distribute stamps to post offices before June 30, 2000.

SDOs That Serve This Many Philatelic Windows	Will Receive This Quantity of the <i>Space Achievement and Exploration</i> Stamp, Item Number 111700
1	100
2	200
3	300
4	400
5	500
6	600
7	700
8	800
9	900
12	1,200
14	1,400
16	1,600
19	1,900
20	2,000

Additional Supply

Philatelic centers requiring additional stamps must requisition them from their designated SDO using PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*. SDOs requiring additional stamps must order them from the appropriate accountable paper depository (APD) using PS Form 17.

For filling supplemental orders for SDOs, the New York, NY, and Washington, DC, APDs will receive 10,000 additional stamps; the Chicago, IL, and San Francisco, CA, APDs will receive 7,500 additional stamps; the Memphis, TN, APD will receive 5,000 additional stamps; and the Denver, CO, APD will receive 1,800 additional stamps.

Sales Policy

All philatelic centers must acquire and maintain a supply of each new commemorative until the stamp is officially withdrawn from sale. All *Space Achievement and Exploration* stamp sales must be reported in AIC 088.

— Stamp Services, 6-1-00

STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT 00-25

Landing on the Moon Souvenir Sheet**Copyright USPS 1999**

The Postal Service will issue an \$11.75 *Landing on the Moon* souvenir sheet with one commemorative stamp (Item Number 111800) in Anaheim, CA, on July 8, 2000. The stamp, designed by Richard Sheaff of Scottsdale, AZ, goes on sale nationwide July 9, 2000.

This sheet features a single stamp with a hologram of a lunar lander based on computer and three-dimensional models from NASA. The selvage photograph was taken by astronaut John W. Young during the Apollo 16 mission in April 1972. It depicts astronaut Charles M. Duke, Jr. on the surface of the moon with a lunar rover 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 the first day city of Anaheim, CA; at World Stamp Expo 2000; at authorized philatelic centers; and at Postal retail stores. Customers can affix the stamps to envelopes of their choice, address the envelopes (to themselves or others), and place them in a larger envelope addressed to:

LANDING ON THE MOON COMMEMORATIVE STAMP
POSTMASTER
701 N LOARA ST
ANAHEIM CA 92803-9991

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 August 7, 2000.

Issue:	<i>Landing on the Moon</i>
Item Number:	111800
Denomination & Type of Issue:	\$11.75 Commemorative
Format:	Souvenir Sheet (1 design)
Series:	N/A
Issue Date & City:	July 8, 2000, Anaheim, CA 92803
Photographs & Illustrations:	NASA
Photographer:	Astronaut John W. Young
Designer:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Engraver:	Southern Gravure
Art Director:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Typographer:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Modeler:	Sennett Security Products (SSP)
Manufacturing Process:	Gravure
Printer:	Sennett Security Products (SSP)
Printed at:	American Packaging Corporation, Columbus, WI
Press Type:	Rotomec
Stamps per Pane:	One
Print Quantity:	1.695 million panes
Paper Type:	Phosphor Tagged Paper, Block
Gum Type:	Water-activated
Processed at:	Unique Binders, Fredericksburg, VA
Colors:	Magenta, Cyan, Yellow, Black
Stamp Orientation:	Horizontal
Image Area (w x h):	1.96 x 1.41 in./49.78 x 35.81 mm
Overall Size (w x h):	1.96 x 1.41 in./49.78 x 35.81 mm
Full Pane Size (w x h):	7.25 x 5.00 in./184.15 x 127 mm
Plate Size:	One stamp per revolution
Plate Numbers:	N/A
Marginal Markings:	N/A
Catalog Item Number(s):	111800 Pane of 1 — \$11.75
Sale Date:	July 8, 2000
Nationwide Sale Date:	July 9, 2000

Stamp Fulfillment Services (SFS) will not offer first day covers for this stamp issue. Customers may request a free quarterly *USA Philatelic* 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

Philatelic Products

There are no philatelic products associated with this stamp.

Distribution

The \$11.75 *Landing on the Moon* commemorative stamp (Item Number 111800) is to be sold at the first day city of Anaheim, CA; through Stamp Fulfillment Services (SFS) in Kansas City, MO; and at postal retail stores and authorized philatelic centers nationwide.

Initial Supply to Post Offices

There will be no distribution of the *Landing on the Moon* stamp to regular post offices.

Philatelic Requirement

SDOs with authorized philatelic centers will receive an automatic distribution of these stamps in one position for subsequent distribution to each philatelic window. SDOs must not distribute the stamps before July 1, 2000.

SDOs That Serve This Many Philatelic Windows	Will Receive This Quantity of the <i>Landing on the Moon</i> Stamp, Item Number 111800
1	100
2	200
3	300
4	400
5	500
6	600
7	700
8	800
9	900
12	1,200
14	1,400
16	1,600
19	1,900
20	2,000

Additional Supply

Philatelic centers 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.

For filling supplemental orders for SDOs, the New York, NY, and Washington, DC, APDs will receive 10,000 additional stamps; the Chicago, IL, and San Francisco, CA, APDs will receive 7,500 additional stamps; the Memphis, TN, APD will receive 10,000 additional stamps; and the Denver, CO, APD will receive 1,800 additional stamps.

Sales Policy

All post offices must acquire and maintain a supply of each new commemorative until the stamp is officially withdrawn from sale. All *Landing on the Moon* stamp sales must be reported in AIC 088.

— Stamp Services, 6-1-00

CORRECTION

Stamp Announcement 00-23 — Fruit Berries Definitive Stamps

The *Fruit Berries* definitive stamp announcement on pages 55–56 of *Postal Bulletin* 22024 (5-18-00) listed incorrect linerless self-adhesive stamp coil information. A tab of leading liner is attached to the first stamp to facilitate the initial application, and a small strip of liner is attached to the last *eight* stamps (not five as previously indicated) for adhesive protection.

— Stamp Services, 6-1-00

STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT 00-26

Escaping the Gravity of Earth Souvenir Sheet



Copyright USPS 1999

The Postal Service will issue two \$3.20 *Escaping the Gravity of Earth* commemorative stamps on a souvenir sheet (Item Number 111600) in Anaheim, CA, on July 9, 2000. The stamps, designed by Richard Sheaff of Scottsdale, AZ, go on sale nationwide July 10, 2000.

These two Priority Mail stamps feature holograms of the International Space Station and represent American technology solving the problems of escaping the gravitational pull of Earth and learning how to send missions into Earth's orbit. The hologram on the left stamp is based on a computer-generated NASA image. The hologram on the right stamp is based on a NASA artist's conception of the International Space Station. The selvage photograph depicts astronauts David Leesma and Kathryn Sullivan in the open cargo bay of the *Challenger* space shuttle during an October 1984 mission.

Issue:	<i>Escaping the Gravity of Earth</i>
Item Number:	111600
Denomination & Type of Issue:	\$3.20 Commemorative
Format:	Souvenir Sheet (2 designs)
Series:	N/A
Issue Date & City:	July 9, 2000, Anaheim, CA 92803
Photographs & Illustrations:	Courtesy of NASA
Designer:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Engraver:	Southern Gravure
Art Director:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Typographer:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Modeler:	Sennett Security Products (SSP)
Manufacturing Process:	Gravure
Printer:	Sennett Security Products (SSP)
Printed at:	American Packaging Corporation, Columbus, WI
Press Type:	Rotomec
Stamps per Pane:	Two
Print Quantity:	1.695 million panes
Paper Type:	Phosphor Tagged Paper, Block
Gum Type:	Water-activated
Processed at:	Unique Binders, Fredericksburg, VA
Colors:	Magenta, Cyan, Yellow, Black
Stamp Orientation:	Horizontal
Image Area (w x h):	1.96 x 1.41 in./49.78 x 35.81 mm
Overall Size (w x h):	1.96 x 1.41 in./49.78 x 35.81 mm
Full Pane Size (w x h):	5.00 x 7.25 in./127 x 184.15 mm
Plate Size:	Two stamps per revolution
Plate Numbers:	N/A
Marginal Markings:	N/A
Catalog Item Number(s):	111600 Pane of 2 — \$6.40
Sale Date:	July 9, 2000
Nationwide Sale Date:	July 10, 2000

How to Order the First Day of Issue Postmark

Customers have 30 days to obtain the first day of issue postmark by mail. They may purchase the new stamps at the first day city of Anaheim, CA; at World Stamp Expo 2000; at authorized philatelic centers; and at Postal retail stores. Customers can affix the stamps to envelopes of their choice, address the envelopes (to themselves or others), and place them in a larger envelope addressed to:

ESCAPING THE GRAVITY OF EARTH COMMEMORATIVE
STAMPS
POSTMASTER
701 N LOARA ST
ANAHEIM CA 92803-9991

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 August 8, 2000.

Stamp Fulfillment Services (SFS) will not offer first day covers for this stamp issue. Customers may request a free quarterly *USA Philatelic* 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

Philatelic Products

There are no philatelic products associated with these stamps.

Distribution

The \$3.20 *Escaping the Gravity of Earth* stamps (Item Number 111600) are to be sold at the first day city of Anaheim, CA; through Stamp Fulfillment Services (SFS) in Kansas City, MO; and at postal retail stores and authorized philatelic centers nationwide.

Initial Supply to Post Offices

There will be no distribution of the *Escaping the Gravity of Earth* stamps to regular post offices.

Philatelic Requirement

SDOs with authorized philatelic centers will receive an automatic distribution of these stamps in one position for subsequent distribution to each philatelic window. SDOs must not distribute stamp sheets before July 1, 2000.

SDOs That Serve This Many Philatelic Windows	Will Receive This Quantity of the <i>Escaping the Gravity of Earth</i> Stamps, Item Number 111600
1	200
2	400
3	600
4	800
5	1,000
6	1,200
7	1,400
8	1,600
9	1,800
12	2,400
14	2,800
16	3,200
19	3,800
20	4,000

Additional Supply

Philatelic centers requiring additional stamps must requisition them from their designated SDO using PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*. SDOs requiring additional stamps must order them from the appropriate accountable paper depository (APD) using PS Form 17.

For filling supplemental orders for SDOs, the New York, NY, and Washington, DC, APDs will receive 20,000 additional stamps; the Chicago, IL, and San Francisco, CA, APDs will receive 7,500 additional stamps; the Memphis, TN, APD will receive 5,000 additional stamps; and the Denver, CO, APD will receive 1,800 additional stamps.

Sales Policy

All philatelic centers must acquire and maintain a supply of this stamp until the stamp is officially withdrawn from sale. This souvenir sheet is intended to be sold as a single unit. Individual stamp sales from this sheet are not permitted. All *Escaping the Gravity of Earth* stamp sales must be reported in AIC 088.

— Stamp Services, 6-1-00

STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT 00-27

Probing the Vastness of Space Souvenir Sheet



Copyright USPS 1999

The Postal Service will issue a souvenir sheet featuring six individual 60-cent *Probing the Vastness of Space* commemorative stamps (Item Number 550800) in Anaheim, CA, on July 10, 2000. The stamps, designed by Richard Sheaff of Scottsdale, AZ, and based on photographs described below, go on sale nationwide July 11, 2000.

These six stamps will be issued in international rate denominations and address the exploration of deep space. The 2.4-meter optical telescope is a conceptual drawing of NASA's Hubble Space Telescope by artist Vincent Di Fate. The radio interferometer is a photograph by David Nunuk depicting the National Science Foundation's very large array on the plains of San Agustin, west of Socorro, NM. The image of the twin 10-meter optical and infrared telescopes at W.M. Keck Observatory on Manua Kea, HI, is from a photograph by David Nunuk. The optical telescopes from the National Science Foundation's Cerro Tololo Inter-American Observatory, east of La Serena, Chile, are from a photograph by Roger H. Ressmeyer. The 100-inch Hooker Optical Telescope from Mount Wilson Observatory, near Pasadena, CA, is from a photograph by John Bedke, courtesy of Huntington Library. The 302-meter radio telescope at the National Science Foundation's Arecibo Observatory in Puerto Rico is from a photograph by David Parker. In the selvage is a digitally enhanced image from the Hubble Space Telescope depicting the gaseous pillars in the stellar nursery known as the Eagle Nebula, courtesy of the Space Telescope Science Institute.

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 the first day city of Anaheim, CA; at World Stamp Expo 2000; at authorized philatelic centers; and at Postal retail

Issue:	<i>Probing the Vastness of Space</i>
Item Number:	550800
Denomination & Type of Issue:	60-cent Commemorative
Format:	Souvenir Sheet (6 designs)
Series:	N/A
Issue Date & City:	July 10, 2000, Anaheim, CA 92803
Photographs & Illustrations:	Courtesy Corbis, Mt. Wilson Observatory, NASA, National Geographic Society, Photo Researchers, Space Telescope Science Institute, and Huntington Library
Photographers:	David Nunuk, Photo Researchers; Roger H. Ressmeyer, Corbis; David Parker, Photo Researchers; and John Bedke, Huntington Library
Artist:	Vincent Di Fate, National Geographic Society
Designer:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Engraver:	Southern Gravure
Art Director:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Typographer:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Modeler:	Sennett Security Products (SSP)
Manufacturing Process:	Gravure
Printer:	Sennett Security Products (SSP)
Printed at:	American Packaging Corporation, Columbus, WI
Press Type:	Rotomec
Stamps per Pane:	Six
Print Quantity:	1.695 million panes
Paper Type:	Phosphor Tagged Paper, Block
Gum Type:	Water-activated
Processed at:	Unique Binders, Fredericksburg, VA
Colors:	Magenta, Cyan, Yellow, Black
Stamp Orientation:	Horizontal
Image Area (w x h):	1.41 x 0.84 in./35.81 x 21.33 mm
Overall Size (w x h):	1.56 x 0.99 in./39.62 x 25.14 mm
Full Sheet Size (w x h):	7.25 x 5.00 in./184.15 x 127 mm
Plate Size:	Six stamps per revolution
Plate Numbers:	N/A
Marginal Markings:	N/A
Catalog Item Number(s):	500800 Pane of 6 — \$3.60
Sale Date:	July 10, 2000
Nationwide Sale Date:	July 11, 2000

stores. Customers can affix the stamps to envelopes of their choice, address the envelopes (to themselves or others), and place them in a larger envelope addressed to:

PROBING THE VASTNESS OF SPACE COMMEMORATIVE
STAMPS
POSTMASTER
701 N LOARA ST
ANAHEIM CA 92803-9991

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 August 9, 2000.

Stamp Fulfillment Services (SFS) will not offer first day covers for this stamp issue. Customers may request a free quarterly *USA Philatelic* 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

Philatelic Products

There are no philatelic products associated with these stamps.

Distribution

The 60-cent *Probing the Vastness of Space* souvenir sheet (Item Number 500800) is to be sold at the first day city of Anaheim, CA; through Stamp Fulfillment Services (SFS) in Kansas City, MO; and at postal retail stores and authorized philatelic centers nationwide.

Initial Supply to Post Offices

There will be no distribution of the *Probing the Vastness of Space* stamps to regular post offices.

Philatelic Requirement

SDOs with authorized philatelic centers will receive an automatic distribution of these stamps in one position for subsequent distribution to each philatelic window. SDOs must not distribute stamps before July 3, 2000.

SDOs That Serve This Many Philatelic Windows	Will Receive This Quantity of the <i>Probing the Vastness of Space</i> Panes, Item Number 500800
1	200
2	400
3	600
4	800
5	1,000
6	1,200
7	1,400
8	1,600
9	1,800
12	2,400
14	2,800
16	3,200
18	3,800
20	4,000

Additional Supply

Philatelic centers requiring additional stamps must requisition them from their designated SDO using PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*. SDOs requiring additional stamps must order them from the appropriate accountable paper depository (APD) using PS Form 17.

For filling supplemental orders for SDOs, the New York, NY, and Washington, DC, APDs will receive 60,000 additional stamps; the Chicago, IL, and San Francisco, CA, APDs will receive 50,000 additional stamps; the Memphis, TN, APD will receive 30,000 additional stamps; and the Denver, CO, APD will receive 800 additional stamps.

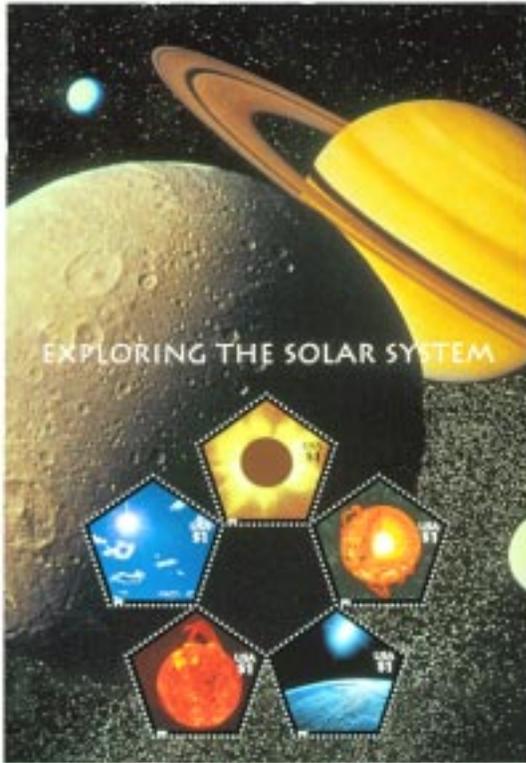
Sales Policy

All philatelic centers must acquire and maintain a supply of this stamp until the stamp is officially withdrawn from sale. This souvenir sheet is intended to be sold as a single unit. Individual stamp sales from this sheet are not permitted. All *Probing the Vastness of Space* stamps sales must be reported in AIC 088.

— *Stamp Services, 6-1-00*

STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT 00-28

Exploring the Solar System Souvenir Sheet



Copyright USPS 1999

The Postal Service will issue an *Exploring the Solar System* souvenir sheet featuring five \$1.00 commemorative stamps (Item Number 108100) in Anaheim, CA, on July 11, 2000. These stamps, designed by Richard Sheaff of Scottsdale, AZ, are based on different images of the Earth's sun, as described below, and go on sale nationwide July 12, 2000.

These five stamps represent the exploration of our solar system and are the first pentagonal stamps ever issued by the U.S. Postal Service. They depict (clockwise from the top) an image of a solar eclipse from a satellite by Dan McCoy; an illustrated cutaway view of the sun by artist Jim Lamb; a digitally restored NASA image of sunrise from space, courtesy of Stock Solution; an image made by Skylab on December 19, 1973, of a solar eruption, courtesy of Solar Physics Group/Naval Research Laboratory; and a photograph from Earth of the sun in a partly cloudy sky by Craig Aurness, courtesy of Corbiss. The selvage is a montage of Saturn and several of its moons imaged by Voyager I in November 1980, courtesy of NASA.

Issue:	<i>Exploring the Solar System</i>
Item Number:	108100
Denomination & Type of Issue:	\$1.00 Commemorative
Format:	Souvenir Sheet (5 designs)
Series:	N/A
Issue Date & City:	July 11, 2000, Anaheim, CA 92803
Photographs & Illustrations:	Courtesy Corbis, NASA, Solar Physics Group/Naval Research Laboratory, Rainbow, Stock Solution
Photographers:	Dan McCoy, Rainbow; Craig Aurness, Corbis
Artist:	Jim Lamb
Designer:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Engraver:	Southern Gravure
Art Director:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Typographer:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Modeler:	Sennett Security Products (SSP)
Manufacturing Process:	Gravure
Printer:	Sennett Security Products (SSP)
Printed at:	American Packaging Corporation, Columbus, WI
Press Type:	Rotomec
Stamps per Pane:	Five
Print Quantity:	1.695 million panes
Paper Type:	Phosphor Tagged Paper, Block
Gum Type:	Water-activated
Processed at:	Unique Binders, Fredericksburg, VA
Colors:	Magenta, Cyan, Yellow, Black
Stamp Orientation:	Pentagonal
Image Area (each side):	0.8125 in./20.63 mm
Overall Size (each side):	0.8125 in./20.63 mm
Full Pane Size (w x h):	5.00 x 7.25 in./127 x 184.15 mm
Plate Size:	Five stamps per revolution
Plate Numbers:	N/A
Marginal Markings:	N/A
Catalog Item Number(s):	108100 Pane of 5 — \$5.00
Sale Date:	July 11, 2000
Nationwide Sale Date:	July 12, 2000

How to Order the First Day of Issue Postmark

Customers have 30 days to obtain the first day of issue postmark by mail. They may purchase the new stamps at the first day city of Anaheim, CA; at World Stamp Expo 2000; at authorized philatelic centers; and at Postal retail stores. Customers can affix the stamps to envelopes of their choice, address the envelopes (to themselves or

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

EXPLORING THE SOLAR SYSTEM COMMEMORATIVE
STAMPS
POSTMASTER
701 N LOARA ST
ANAHEIM CA 92803-9991

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 August 10, 2000.

Stamp Fulfillment Services (SFS) will not offer first day covers for this stamp issue. Customers may request a free quarterly *USA Philatelic* 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

Philatelic Products

There are no philatelic products associated with these stamps.

Distribution

The pane of five \$1.00 *Exploring the Solar System* stamps (Item Number 108100) is to be sold at the first day city of Anaheim, CA; through Stamp Fulfillment Services (SFS) in Kansas City, MO; and at postal retail stores and authorized philatelic centers nationwide.

Initial Supply to Post Offices

There will be no distribution of the *Exploring the Solar System* stamps to regular post offices.

Philatelic Requirement

SDOs with authorized philatelic centers will receive an automatic distribution of these stamps in one position for subsequent distribution to each philatelic window. SDOs must not distribute stamps to post offices before July 3, 2000.

SDOs That Serve This Many Philatelic Windows	Will Receive This Quantity of the <i>Exploring the Solar System</i> Stamps, Item Number 108100
1	500
2	1,000
3	1,500
4	2,000
5	2,500
6	3,000
7	3,500
8	4,000
9	4,500
12	6,000
14	7,000
16	8,000
19	9,500
20	10,000

Additional Supply

Philatelic centers requiring additional stamps must requisition them from their designated SDO using PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*. SDOs requiring additional stamps must order them from the appropriate accountable paper depository (APD) using PS Form 17.

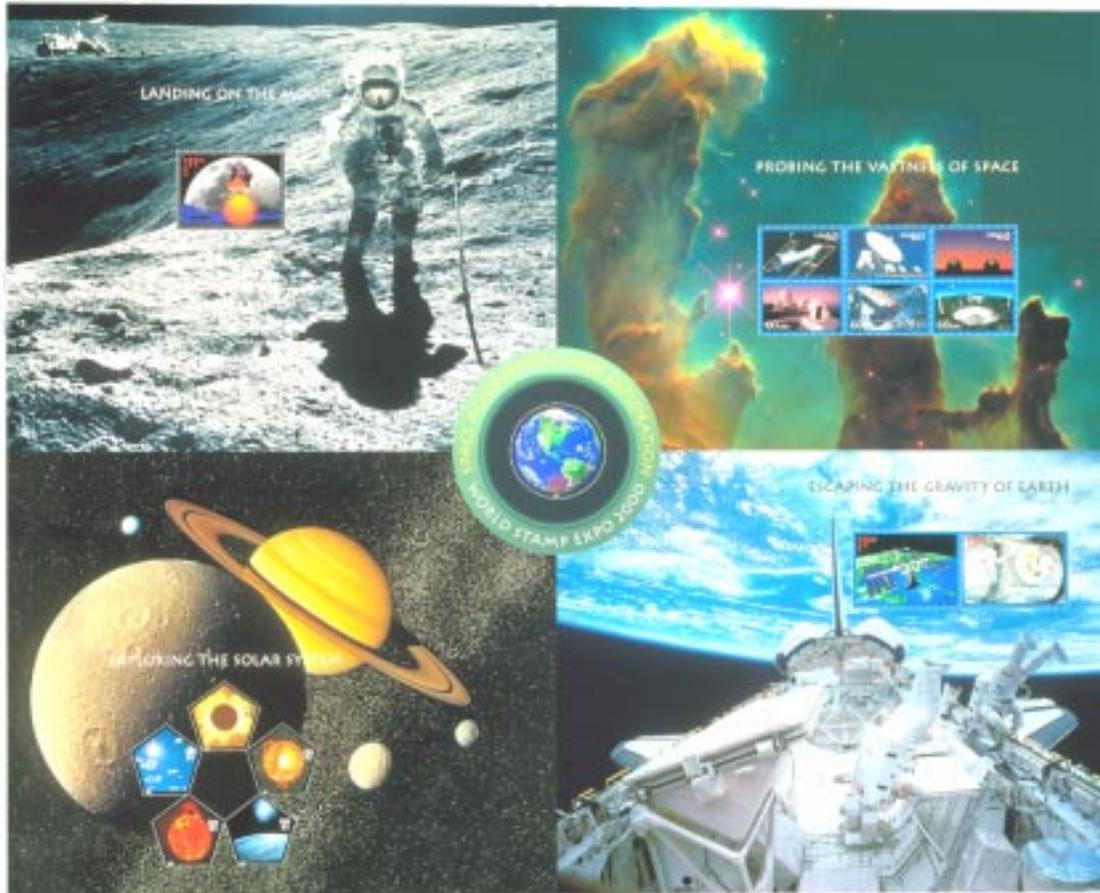
For filling supplemental orders for SDOs, the New York, NY, and Washington, DC, APDs will receive 50,000 additional stamps; the Chicago, IL, and San Francisco, CA, APDs will receive 37,500 additional stamps; the Memphis, TN, APD will receive 25,000 additional stamps; and the Denver, CO, APD will receive 9,000 additional stamps.

Sales Policy

All philatelic centers must acquire and maintain a supply of this stamp until it is officially withdrawn from sale. This souvenir sheet is intended to be sold as a single unit. Individual stamp sales from this sheet are not permitted. All *Exploring the Solar System* stamp sales must be reported in AIC 088.

STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT 00-29

Space Achievement and Exploration Commemorative Uncut Press Sheet



Copyright USPS 1999

The Postal Service will issue a special \$38.50 uncut press sheet of *Space Achievement and Exploration* commemorative stamps (Item Number 550300) that consists of the five previously issued space panes in Anaheim, CA, on July 11, 2000. The uncut press sheet of 15 stamps designed by Richard Sheaff of Scottsdale, AZ, goes on sale nationwide July 12, 2000.

This special sheet consists of five panes: *Probing the Vastness of Space*; *Escaping the Gravity of Earth*; *Exploring the Solar System*; *Landing on the Moon*; and a fifth central circular pane, *Space Achievement and Exploration*.

See Stamp Announcements 00-24 through 00-28 in this *Postal Bulletin* for details about the five different and unique stamp panes.

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 the first day city of Anaheim, CA; at World Stamp Expo 2000; and at Postal retail stores. Customers can affix the stamps to envelopes of their choice, address the envelopes (to themselves or others), and place them in a larger envelope addressed to:

SPACE ACHIEVEMENT AND EXPLORATION UNCUT
PRESS SHEET
POSTMASTER
701 N LOARA ST
ANAHEIM CA 92803-9991

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 August 10, 2000.

Stamp Fulfillment Services (SFS) will not offer first day covers for this stamp issue. Customers may request a free quarterly *USA Philatelic* 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

Philatelic Products

There are no philatelic products associated with these stamps.

Distribution

The \$38.50 *Space Achievement and Exploration* uncut press sheet (Item Number 550300) is to be sold at the first day city of Anaheim, CA; through Stamp Fulfillment Services (SFS) in Kansas City, MO; and at postal retail stores nationwide. The press sheets must not be distributed before July 3, 2000.

Initial Supply to Post Offices

There will be no distribution of the *Space Achievement and Exploration* uncut press sheet to regular post offices.

Philatelic Requirement

There will be no distribution of the *Space Achievement and Exploration* uncut press sheet to regular philatelic centers.

Sales Policy

All *Space Achievement and Exploration* uncut press sheet sales must be reported in AIC 088.

Issue:	<i>Space Achievement and Exploration</i>
Item Number:	550300
Denomination & Type of Issue:	\$38.50 (2 @ \$11.75 each, 2 @ \$3.20 each, 5 @ \$1.00 each, 6 @ \$.60 each)
Format:	Uncut Press Sheet (15 designs)
Series:	N/A
Issue Date & City:	July 11, 2000, Anaheim, CA 92803
Photographs & Illustrations:	Courtesy Corbis, Mt. Wilson Observatory, NASA, National Geographic Society, Photo Researchers, Solar Physics Group/Naval Research Laboratory, Space Telescope Science Institute, Stock Solution, Rainbow, and Huntington Library
Photographers:	David Nunuk and David Parker, Photo Researchers; Roger H Rasmeyer and Craig Aurness, Corbis; John Bedke, Mt. Wilson Observatory and Huntington Library; John W. Young, Astronaut, NASA; Dan McCoy, Rainbow
Artists:	Vincent Di Fate, National Geographic Society; Jim Lamb
Designer:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Engraver:	Southern Gravure
Art Director:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Typographer:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Modeler:	Sennett Security Products (SSP)
Manufacturing Process:	Gravure
Printer:	Sennett Security Products (SSP)
Printed at:	American Packaging Corporation, Columbus, WI
Press Type:	Rotomec
Stamps per Pane:	15
Print Quantity:	305,000 panes
Paper Type:	Phosphor Tagged Paper, Block
Gum Type:	Water-activated
Processed at:	Unique Binders, Fredericksburg, VA
Colors:	Magenta, Cyan, Yellow, Black
Stamp Orientation:	Various
Image Area (w x h):	Various
Overall Size (w x h):	Various
Full Sheet Size (w x h):	16 x 20 in./406.4 x 508 mm
Plate Size:	15 stamps per revolution
Plate Numbers:	N/A
Marginal Markings:	N/A
Catalog Item Number(s):	500300 Pane of 15 — \$38.50
Sale Date:	July 11, 2000
Nationwide Sale Date:	July 12, 2000

STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT 00-30

Stampin' The Future® Commemorative Stamps

Copyright USPS 1999

The Postal Service will issue four 33-cent *Stampin' The Future*® commemorative stamps (Item Number 449900) in Anaheim, CA, on July 13, 2000. The stamps, designed by Richard Sheaff of Scottsdale, AZ, and illustrated by the children listed below, go on sale nationwide July 14, 2000. The stamps from this pane of 20 may be sold individually.

In celebration of the approaching twenty-first century, the Postal Service held a Stampin' The Future design contest for children ages 8–12. Children from the United States and its various territories and possessions were invited to submit designs based on their visions of the future. Four finalists were selected from each state and territory from more than 120,000 entries.

The four winning stamps are based on the artwork of four young visionaries — Zachary Canter's *Astronauts*, Morgan Hill's *Rocket*, Sarah Lipsey's *Children*, and Ashley Young's *Dog* — and will be exhibited at the World Kids' Congress, hosted by the Postal Service as part of World Stamp Expo 2000.

How to Order the First Day of Issue Postmark

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

STAMPIN THE FUTURE COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS
POSTMASTER
701 N LOARA ST
ANAHEIM CA 92803-9991

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 August 12, 2000.

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

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

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

Philatelic Products

The Postal Service will issue the 33-cent *Stampin' The Future* commemorative stamps in Anaheim, CA, on July 13, 2000. In addition, an activity book featuring *Stampin' The Future* commemorative stamps and winning international stamp designs will be available at post offices and postal retail stores nationwide on July 14, 2000.

Stampin' The Future Activity Book: Item Number 988800, \$7.00 (post offices).

Stampin' The Future Activity Book: Item Number 988801, \$7.00 (postal retail stores).

Stampin' The Future Activity Book: Item Number 449972, \$7.00 (*USA Philatelic* catalog).

The *Stampin' The Future* activity book may also be ordered by telephone at 1 800 STAMP-24, by fax at 816-545-1212, and by mail from:

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

Distribution

Stamp distribution offices (SDOs) will receive approximately one-half the standard automatic distribution quantities for these PSA commemorative stamps. Distributions are rounded up to the nearest master carton size (40,000 stamps).

Initial Supply to Post Offices

SDOs will make a subsequent automatic distribution to post offices for one-half 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 July 6, 2000.

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 the <i>Stampin' The Future</i> PSA Commemorative Stamp, Item Number 449900
1	12,000
2	24,000
3	36,000
4	48,000
5	60,000
6	72,000
7	84,000
8	96,000
9	108,000
12	144,000
14	168,000
16	192,000
19	228,000
20	240,000

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. The Chicago, IL, San Francisco, CA, Washington, DC, and New York, NY, APDs will receive 920,000 additional stamps; the Memphis, TN, APD will receive 880,000 and the Denver, CO, APD will receive 400,000 additional stamps.

Issue:	<i>Stampin' The Future</i>
Item Number:	449900
Denomination & Type of Issue:	33-cent Commemorative
Format:	Pane of 20 (4 designs)
Series:	N/A
Issue Date & City:	July 13, 2000, Anaheim, CA 92803
Designer:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Engraver:	N/A
Illustrators:	Zachary Canter, <i>Astronauts</i> ; Morgan Hill, <i>Rocket</i> ; Sarah Lipsey, <i>Children</i> ; and Ashley Young, <i>Dog</i>
Art Director:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Typographer:	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
Modeler:	Joseph Sheeran
Manufacturing Process:	Offset
Printer:	Ashton Potter (USA) Ltd. (APU)
Printed at:	Williamsville, NY
Press Type:	Stevens, Security Press
Stamps per Pane:	20
Print Quantity:	100 million stamps
Paper Type:	Nonphosphored, Type III, Phosphor Taggant applied on press
Gum Type:	Self-adhesive
Processed at:	Ashton Potter (USA) Ltd.
Colors:	Black, Cyan, Magenta, Yellow, PMS 187 (Red)
Stamp Orientation:	Horizontal
Image Area (w x h):	1.42 x 1.085 in./36.068 x 27.559 mm
Overall Size (w x h):	1.56 x 1.225 in./39.624 x 31.115 mm
Full Pane Size (w x h):	7.734 x 7.115 in./196.443 x 180.721 mm
Plate Size:	120 stamps per revolution
Plate Numbers:	"P" followed by five (5) single digits
Marginal Markings:	"© USPS 1999" • Plate Block (6 positions) • Header • Price • Plate Numbers • Selvage Text • Barcode
Catalog Item Number(s):	449920 Strip of 4 — \$1.32 449931 Strip of 8 — \$2.64 449940 Full Pane w/ plate no. — \$6.60 449963 First Day Cancellation, Set of 4 — \$2.16 449972 Stampin' The Future Activity Book — \$7.00 449978 StamperSaver Cards — \$1.50
Sale Date:	July 13, 2000
Nationwide Sale Date:	July 14, 2000

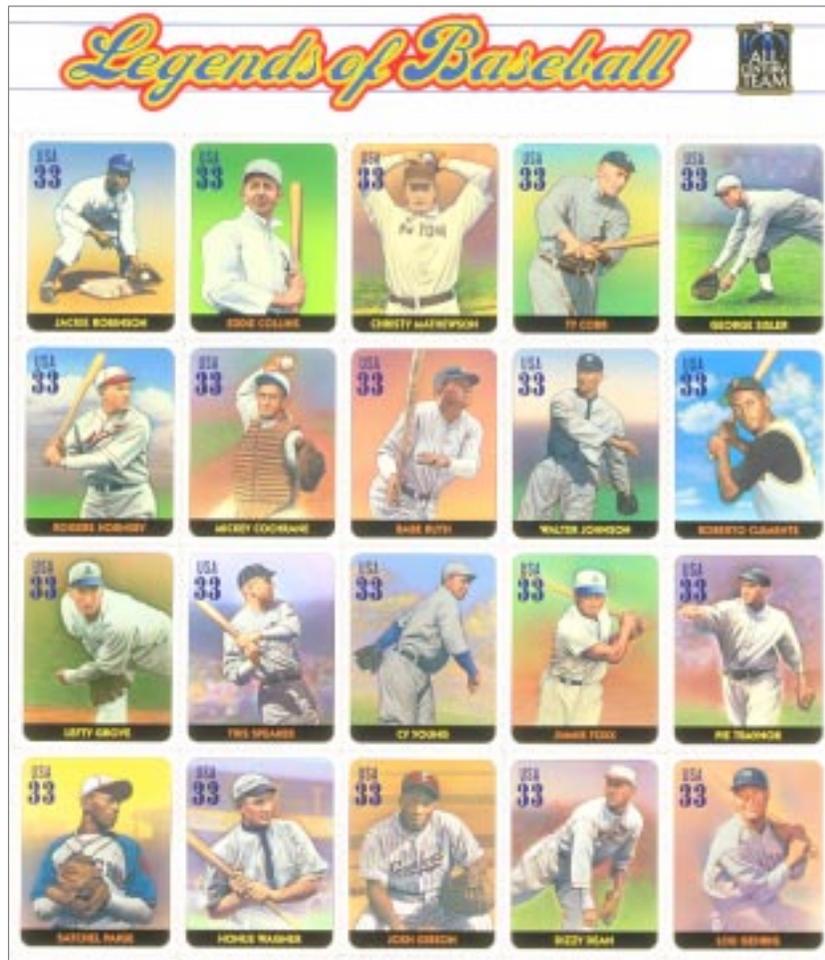
Sales Policy

All post offices must acquire and maintain a supply of each new commemorative 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, 6-1-00

STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT 00-31

Legends of Baseball Commemorative Stamps



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The Postal Service will issue the \$6.60 *Legends of Baseball* Classic Collection pane of twenty 33-cent commemorative stamps (Item Number 560300) in Atlanta, GA, on July 6, 2000. The stamps, designed by Phil Jordan of Falls Church, VA, and illustrated by Joseph Saffold of Savannah, GA, go on sale nationwide July 7, 2000. Working from historic baseball photographs, Joseph Saffold created the stamp art with Prismacolor pencils and airbrushed acrylic and oil paints. Verso text, describing significant achievements in the baseball careers of each player, appears on the back of the stamp pane liner.

With the issuance of this Classic Collection stamp pane, the Postal Service, in partnership with Major League Baseball, honors 20 legendary baseball stars. Taken from Major

League Baseball's 100 nominees for the All-Century Team, they occupy a unique and important place in the history of our national pastime. Ten players appearing on this pane went on to become members of the All-Century Team: Ty Cobb, Lou Gehrig, Lefty Grove, Rogers Hornsby, Walter Johnson, Christy Mathewson, Jackie Robinson, Babe Ruth, Honus Wagner, and Cy Young.

All of the individuals pictured on the stamp pane are members of the Baseball Hall of Fame. Two Negro Leagues greats are included, Josh Gibson and Satchel Paige, who had brief Major League Baseball careers. Also appearing on the stamp pane are Roberto Clemente, Mickey Cochrane, Eddie Collins, Dizzy Dean, Jimmie Foxx, George Sisler, Tris Speaker, and Pie Traynor.

Four of the players have appeared on previous postage stamps: Jackie Robinson (1982 and *Celebrate The Century 1940s*), Babe Ruth (1983 and *Celebrate The Century 1920s*), Roberto Clemente (1984), and Lou Gehrig (1989).

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:

LEGENDS OF BASEBALL COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS
POSTMASTER
3900 CROWN RD SW
ATLANTA GA 30304-9991

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 August 7, 2000.

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

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

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

Philatelic Products

The Postal Service will issue the 33-cent *Legends of Baseball* commemorative stamps in Atlanta, GA, on July 6, 2000. In addition, matted panes of 20 stamps and sets of 20 stamped cards featuring *Legends of Baseball* stamp designs will be available at post offices and postal retail stores nationwide on July 7, 2000.

Matted Pane: Item Number 896200, \$16.95 (post offices).

Matted Pane: Item Number 896201, \$16.95 (postal retail stores).

Matted Pane: Item Number 560382, \$16.95 (*USA Philatelic* catalog).

Stamped Cards: Item Number 896300, \$8.95 (post offices).

Stamped Cards: Item Number 896301, \$8.95 (postal retail stores).

Stamped Cards: Item Number 560366, \$8.95 (*USA Philatelic* catalog).

Issue:	<i>Legends of Baseball</i>
Item Number:	560300
Denomination & Type of Issue:	33-cent Commemorative
Format:	Pane of 20 (20 designs)
Series:	Classic Collection
Issue Date & City:	July 6, 2000, Atlanta, GA 30304
Photographer:	N/A
Designer:	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
Engraver:	N/A
Illustrator:	Joseph Saffold, Savannah, GA
Art Director:	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
Typographer:	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
Modeler:	Joseph Sheeran
Manufacturing Process:	Offset
Printer:	Ashton Potter (USA) Ltd. (APU)
Printed at:	Williamsville, NY
Press Type:	Stevens, Security Press
Stamps per Pane:	20
Print Quantity:	225 million stamps
Paper Type:	Nonphosphored, Type III, Phosphor Taggant applied on press
Gum Type:	Self-adhesive
Processed at:	Ashton Potter (USA) Ltd.
Colors:	Black, Cyan, Magenta, Yellow, Back – Black
Stamp Orientation:	Vertical
Image Area (w x h):	1.085 x 1.42 in./27.559 x 36.068 mm
Overall Size (w x h):	1.225 x 1.56 in./31.115 x 39.624 mm
Full Pane Size (w x h):	7.125 x 7.750 in./180.975 x 196.85 mm
Plate Size:	120 stamps per revolution
Plate Numbers:	"P" followed by five (5) single digits
Marginal Markings:	"© USPS 2000" • Plate Block (6 positions) • Price • Plate Numbers • Header • "Classic Collection"
Catalog Item Number(s):	560340 Full Pane w/ Plate no. — \$6.60 560363 First Day Cancellation, Set of 20 — \$10.80 560366 Stamped Cards — \$8.95 560382 Matted Pane — \$16.95 560384 Press Sheet — \$39.60 560389 Collection — \$38.95 560378 StamperSaver Cards — \$3.95
Sale Date:	July 6, 2000
Nationwide Sale Date:	July 7, 2000

The *Legends of Baseball* stamped cards and matted panes may also be ordered by telephone at 1 800 STAMP-24; by fax at 816-545-1212; and by mail from:

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

Distribution: \$6.60 *Legends of Baseball Classic* Collection Pane of 20 Pressure-Sensitive Adhesive (PSA) Stamps, Item Number 560300

Stamp distribution offices (SDOs) will receive their full standard automatic distribution quantities for PSA sheet stamps. Distributions are rounded up to the nearest master carton size of 2,500 panes (50,000 stamps).

Initial Supply to Post Offices

SDOs will make a subsequent automatic distribution to post offices for their full 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 June 28, 2000.

Additional Supply

Post offices requiring additional *Legends of Baseball Classic* Collection panes must requisition them from their designated SDO using PS Form 17. SDOs requiring additional panes must order them from the appropriate accountable paper depository (APD) using PS Form 17.

For fulfilling supplemental orders from SDOs, accountable paper depositories will receive the following additional quantities: San Francisco, CA, and New York, NY, 400,000 panes; Chicago, IL, Memphis, TN, and Washington, DC, 300,000 panes; Denver, CO, 100,000 panes. The Kansas City, MO, SSC will also receive 400,000 additional panes for fulfilling supplemental orders from APDs.

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 the \$6.60 <i>Legends of Baseball Classic</i> Collection Panes, Item Number 560300
1	600
2	1,200
3	1,800
4	2,400
5	3,000
6	3,600
7	4,200
8	4,800
9	5,400
12	7,200
14	8,400
16	9,600
19	11,400
20	12,000

Sales Policy

All post offices must acquire and maintain a supply of this new *Classic Collection* pane until it is officially withdrawn from sale. If supplies run low, post offices must reorder additional quantities using their normal ordering procedures. The \$6.60 *Legends of Baseball Classic* Collection pane is intended to be sold as a single unit. Individual stamp sales from the pane are not permitted.

— Stamp Services, 6-1-00

Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation Stamps

The \$15 Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation stamp for the 2000–2001 hunting season goes on sale nationwide July 1, 2000, and will remain on sale through June 30, 2001. The Department of the Interior will formally issue the stamp at the National Postal Museum in Washington, DC, on June 30, 2000.

The Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation stamp will be issued in two formats — the traditional gummed version and a self-adhesive federal duck stamp single. The stamp size of the self-adhesive version is the same size as the gummed version and can be peeled from its carrier sheet, which is the size of U.S. paper currency and fits easily in cash drawers. *Postmasters should order enough of Item Number 332300 and 332400 to meet the expected appreciable demand for this item by stamp collectors and the general public.*

Distribution

Post Offices. To allow postmasters to order the 2000–2001 Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation stamps in quantities approximating customer demand, the minimum ordering quantity for both formats is five stamps. However, when practical, postmasters should order full panes of 20 stamps for the gummed version. Postmasters should review their records to determine the average number of Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation stamps previously sold and use this information to determine the appropriate number of the 2000–2001 stamps to requisition, rounded up to multiples of five or 20 stamps.

Postmasters must immediately send a separate PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*, to their stamp distribution offices (SDOs) for enough Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation stamps (self-adhesive version, Item Number 332400, and/or gummed version, Item Number 332300) to last until February 29, 2001. If the initial supply is exhausted before February 29, 2001, postmasters must requisition an additional supply. Postmasters with philatelic centers should order both formats and have them available to meet philatelic demand. Postmasters must ensure that Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation stamps are available to meet public demand.

Stamp Distribution Offices. SDOs must review their inventory records for past issues and postmaster requisitions records for the 1999–2000 Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation stamps to determine the quantity of the 2000–2001 Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation stamps needed.

SDOs requiring gummed stamps (Item Number 332300) or self-adhesive stamps (Item Number 332400) in bulk quantities should requisition them from the Bureau of Engraving and Printing using PS Form 3356, *Stamp Requisition — Bulk Quantities*. Order Item Number 332300, gummed stamps, in quantities of 2,000, 4,000, 6,000, 8,000, 16,000, 24,000, and 32,000 stamps and in multiples of 48,000, to a maximum of 432,000 stamps per requisition. Order Item Number 332400, self-adhesive stamps, in quantities of 1,000, 2,000, 3,000, 4,000, and 8,400 stamps and in multiples of 8,400, to a maximum of 42,000 stamps per requisition.

SDOs requiring fewer than 2,000 gummed or 1,000 self-adhesive stamps must send PS Form 17 to their accountable paper depository.

Hunting Regulations Pamphlets

The Department of the Interior does not automatically distribute pamphlets on hunting regulations because migratory game bird laws vary by state. Direct inquiries about hunting regulations to the state fish and wildlife agency or state department of natural resources. Do not forward to the federal U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. Poster 3-124, *Waterfowlers Attention* (July 1992), is no longer available.

— *Stamp Services, 6-1-00*

Pictorial Cancellations Announcement

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

People attending these local events may obtain the cancellation in person at the temporary post office station established there. Those who cannot attend the event, but who wish to obtain the cancellation, may submit a mail order request. Pictorial cancellations are available only for the dates indicated, and *requests must be postmarked 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).

After applying the pictorial cancellation, the Postal Service returns the envelope or postcard through the mail. Customers who want their serviced item returned under protected cover should include a larger, stamped, self-addressed envelope.



June 1, 2000

USPS for Utah Division Nat'l Pony Express

140TH ANNIVERSARY STATION
POSTMASTER
103 S 200 E
CEDAR VALLEY UT 84013-9998

140TH ANNIVERSARY STATION
POSTMASTER
21 S MAIN ST
COALVILLE UT 84017-9998

140TH ANNIVERSARY STATION
POSTMASTER
4989 S STATE ST
MURRAY UT 84107-9998

140TH ANNIVERSARY STATION
POSTMASTER
230 W 200 ST
SALT LAKE CITY UT 84101-9998

140TH ANNIVERSARY STATION
POSTMASTER
650 E 12300 S
DRAPER UT 84020-9998

140TH ANNIVERSARY STATION
POSTMASTER
65 N MAIN ST
TOOLE UT 84074-9998



June 6, 2000

USPS

CELEBRATE THE CENTURY STATION
POSTMASTER
446 E 29TH ST
LOVELAND CO 80538-9998

CELEBRATE THE CENTURY STATION
POSTMASTER
41621 MARBLE AVE
STONEHAM CO 80754-9998

CELEBRATE THE CENTURY STATION
POSTMASTER
56691 E COLFAX AVE
STRASBURG CO 80136-8115

CELEBRATE THE CENTURY STATION
POSTMASTER
315 S MAIN ST
YUMA CO 80759-9998



June 7, 2000

USPS

CELEBRATE THE CENTURY STATION
POSTMASTER
1501 E MAIN ST
CANON CITY CO 81212-9998

CELEBRATE THE CENTURY STATION
POSTMASTER
201 E PIKES PEAK AVE
COLORADO SPRINGS CO 80903-9998

CELEBRATE THE CENTURY STATION
POSTMASTER
951 20TH ST
DENVER CO 80202-9998

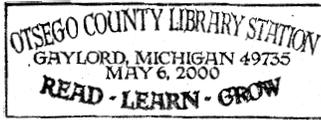
CELEBRATE THE CENTURY STATION
POSTMASTER
1310 SAN JUAN AVE
SWINK CO 81077-9998



May 5-6, 2000
LAKE ONTARIO BIRD FESTIVAL
STATION
POSTMASTER
5640 NORMAN AVE
MEXICO NY 13114-9998



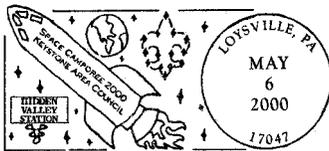
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Scottsdale Healthcare
BREAST CANCER RESEARCH
STATION
POSTMASTER
7242 E OSBURN RD
SCOTTSDALE AZ 85251-9998



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OTSEGO COUNTY LIBRARY
STATION
POSTMASTER
305 E MAIN ST
GAYLORD MI 49735-9998



May 9, 2000
Scottsdale Healthcare
BREAST CANCER RESEARCH
STATION
POSTMASTER
7242 E OSBURN RD
SCOTTSDALE AZ 85251-9998



May 6, 2000
Boy Scouts of America
HIDDEN VALLEY STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
LOYSVILLE PA 17047-9998



May 9, 2000
Scottsdale Healthcare
BREAST CANCER RESEARCH
STATION
POSTMASTER
7242 E OSBORN RD
SCOTTSDALE AZ 85251-9998



May 8, 2000
MESSAGE FROM THE HEART
STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
WICHITA KS 67213-9998



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USPS
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STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
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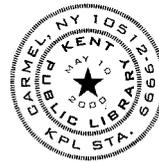
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USPS
BREAST CANCER RESEARCH
STATION
PHILATELIC
1425 CROOKED HILL RD
HARRISBURG PA 17107-9714



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USPS
BREAST CANCER RESEARCH
STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
TOWANDA PA 18848-9998



May 9, 2000
Scottsdale Healthcare
BREAST CANCER RESEARCH
STATION
POSTMASTER
7242 E OSBORN RD
SCOTTSDALE AZ 85251-9998



May 10, 2000
KENT PUBLIC LIBRARY
STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
CARMEL NY 10512-9998



May 9, 2000
Scottsdale Healthcare
BREAST CANCER RESEARCH
STATION
POSTMASTER
7242 E OSBORN RD
SCOTTSDALE AZ 85251-9998



May 11, 2000
USPS
BREAST CANCER RESEARCH
STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
PLYMOUTH PA 18651-9998



May 11, 2000
USPS and Highlands Child Placement Service
ADOPTION STATION
POSTMASTER
315 W PERSHING RD RM 507
KANSAS CITY MO 64108-9998



May 13, 2000
USPS
BREAST CANCER RESEARCH STATION
POSTMASTER
35 TAYLOR DR
WAYNE NJ 07470-9998



May 11, 2000
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FT LAUDERDALE FL 33310-9994



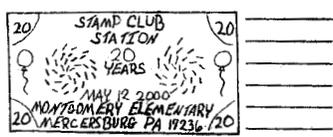
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POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
HAWLEY PA 18428-9998



May 12, 2000
USPS
BREAST CANCER RESEARCH STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
THAYNE WY 83127-9998



May 15, 2000
Genesys Hurley Cancer Institute
BREAST CANCER RESEARCH STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
FLINT MI 48502-9998



May 12, 2000
Montgomery Elementary School Stamp Club
STAMP CLUB STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
MERCERSBURG PA 17236-9998



May 16, 2000
ADOPT A CHILD STATION
POSTMASTER
2323 CHURN CREEK RD
REDDING CA 96049-9998



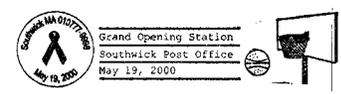
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USPS
HONORING THOSE WHO HAVE SERVED LAW AND NONVIOLENCE DAY STATION
POSTMASTER
16890 E ALAMEDA PKWY
AURORA CO 80017-9998



May 16, 2000
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BREAST CANCER RESEARCH STATION
POSTMASTER
1501 HALL JOHNSON RD
COLLEYVILLE TX 76034-9998



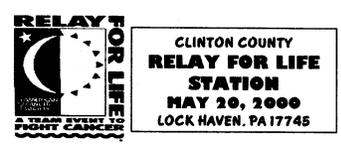
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ADOPT A CHILD STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
WICHITA KS 67213-9998



May 19, 2000
USPS
GRAND OPENING STATION
POSTMASTER
653 COLLEGE HWY
SOUTHWICK MA 01077-9998



May 13, 2000
Bethany Christian Services
ADOPTION STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
MYRTLE BEACH SC 29577-9998



May 20, 2000
American Cancer Society
RELAY FOR LIFE STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
AVIS PA 17721-9998



May 20, 2000
 ROLLING TO RECOVERY
 STATION
 POSTMASTER
 16 HUDSON AVE
 GLENS FALLS NY 12801-9998



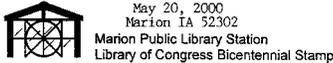
May 23, 2000
 Child Welfare Partnership
 ADOPTION STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 9998
 LANSING MI 48924-9998



May 20, 2000
 Public Library Friends, Inc.
 68TH ANNIVERSARY STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 9998
 EVANSVILLE IN 47708-9998



May 23-26, 2000
 D2K STATION
 POSTMASTER
 525 KELLOG AVE
 AMES IA 50010-9998



May 20, 2000
 Marion Public Library
 MARION PUBLIC LIBRARY
 STATION
 POSTMASTER
 1101 6TH AVE
 MARION IA 52302-9998



May 25, 2000
 Florida Dept. of Children & Families
 ADOPTION STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 163522
 WEST PALM BEACH FL 33416-3522



May 20, 2000
 PREAKNESS STATION
 SUPERVISOR MOWS
 900 E FAYETTE ST
 BALTIMORE MD 21233-9715



May 25, 2000
 Community of Arcadia
 HARRIET QUIMBY DEDICATION
 STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 9998
 ARCADIA MI 49613-9998



May 20, 2000
 USPS
 BREAST CANCER RESEARCH
 STATION
 POSTMASTER
 1950 NE 6TH ST
 POMPANO BEACH FL 33060-9998



May 26-28, 2000
 ATLANTIC RARITIES COIN
 EXPO STATION
 SUPERVISOR MOWS
 900 E FAYETTE ST
 BALTIMORE MD 21233-9715



May 23, 2000
 FACE OF AMERICA EAST
 COAST STATION
 USPS MARKETING
 2200 ORANGE AVE RM 206
 CLEVELAND OH 44101-9996



May 26-29, 2000
 USPS
 SACRAMENTO JAZZ JUBILEE
 STATION
 POSTMASTER
 2000 ROYAL OAKS DR
 SACRAMENTO CA 95813-9998



May 23, 2000
 CCBC CATONSVILLE LIBRARY
 STATION
 MGR MOWS
 900 E FAYETTE ST
 BALTIMORE MD 21233-9715



May 27, 2000
 Face of America
 FACE OF AMERICA EAST
 COAST STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 9998
 KALAMAZOO MI 49001-9998



May 27, 2000
 Face of America
 FACE OF AMERICA EAST
 COAST STATION
 POSTMASTER 9998
 BATTLE CREEK MI 49016-9998



June 1, 2000
 Montana Elevator Preservation
 Society
 VIRGELLE STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 9998
 LOMA MT 59460-9998



May 27, 2000
 Monette Centennial Committee
 CENTENNIAL STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 9998
 MONETTE AR 72447-9998



June 1, 2000
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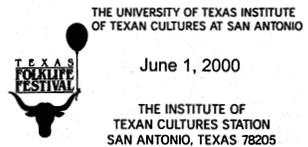
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 POSTMASTER
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 SOUTH HAVEN MI 49090-9998



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 REUNION STATION
 POSTMASTER
 108 S KANSAS AVE
 NESS CITY KS 67560-9998



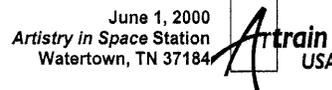
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 Services Grp
 ODYSSEY STATION
 GENERAL MAIL FACILITY
 1237 E WEISGARBER RD
 KNOXVILLE TN 37950-9662



June 1-4, 2000
 INSTITUTE OF TEXAN
 CULTURES STATION
 POSTMASTER
 801 S BOWIE ST
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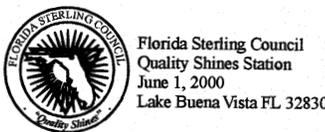
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 RUNNER STATION
 POSTMASTER
 25380 STOREY RD
 UMBARGER TX 79091-9998



June 2, 2000
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 POSTMASTER
 100 N MAIN AVE
 SIOUX CENTER IA 51250-9998



May 31-June 1, 2000
 Florida Sterling Council
 QUALITY SHINES STATION
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 10401 POST OFFICE BLVD
 ORLANDO FL 32862-9998



June 2, 2000
 Darlene Johnson
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 POSTMASTER
 117 N COLLEGE AVE
 ALEDO IL 61231-9998



**THOUSAND ISLANDS
BLUEGRASS ASSOC.**

**10TH ANNUAL
BLUEGRASS
FESTIVAL STATION**

LA FARGEVILLE, NY 13656

JUNE 2, 2000

June 2, 2000

10TH ANNUAL BLUEGRASS
FESTIVAL STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
LAFARGEVILLE NY 13656-9998



June 2-4, 2000

Chamber of Commerce
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CENTRALIA MO 65240-9998



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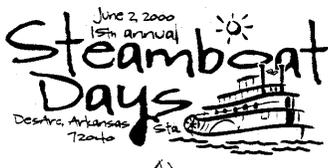
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June 3, 2000
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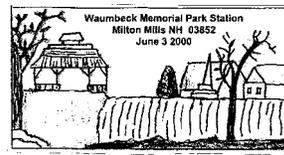
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C&O Canal Association
**MONOCACY AQUEDUCT
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POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
DICKERSON MD 20842-9998



June 2-3, 2000

Steamboat Days Festival
STEAMBOAT DAYS STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
DES ARC AR 72040-9998



June 3, 2000

*Boy Scouts of America and Future
Builders, Inc.*
**WAUMBECK MEMORIAL PARK
STATION**
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
MILTON MILLS NH 03852-9998



June 2-4, 2000

STREET ROD STATION
POSTMASTER
200 S GEORGE ST
YORK PA 17404-9998



RODEO STATION
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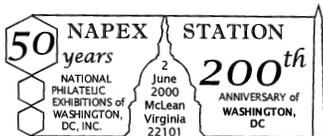
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GRAND RAPIDS MI 49599-9998



June 3, 2000

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VEIL FALLS STATION**
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
CLOUDCROFT NM 88317-9998



June 2-4, 2000

NAPEX STATION
POSTMASTER
6841 ELM ST
MCLEAN VA 22101-9998



June 3, 2000

White Oaks Community Group
WHITE OAKS STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
FORT STANTON NM
88323-9998



**SPRINGVILLE
NEW YORK
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June 2-4, 2000

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SPRINGVILLE NY 14141-9998



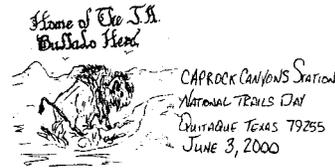
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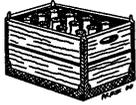
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Cancer Society*
**CANCER AWARENESS
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PO BOX 9998
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June 3, 2000
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Committee
OSSIAN SESQUICENTENNIAL
STATION
POSTMASTER
200 E MAIN ST
OSSIAN IA 52161-9998



June 3, 2000
Quitauque Chamber of Commerce
CAPROCK CANYONS STATION
POSTMASTER
113 MAIN ST
QUITAUQUE TX 79255-9998



June 3, 2000
The Milk Route
Convention Station
Grantville, PA 17028

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Collectors
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CONVENTION STATION
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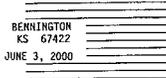
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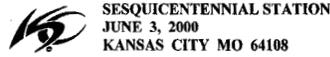
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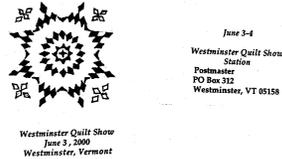
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25TH ANNIVERSARY STATION
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BENNINGTON KS 67422-9998



June 3, 2000
KC 150
SESQUICENTENNIAL STATION
POSTMASTER
315 W PERSHING RD
KANSAS CITY MO 64108-9998



June 3, 2000
RESTORATION CELEBRATION
STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
GALLUPVILLE NY 12073-9998



June 3-4, 2000
Westminister Cares
WESTMINSTER QUILT SHOW
STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
WESTMINSTER VT 05158-9998

Back To Rath's Trail Station
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Hamlin TX 79520



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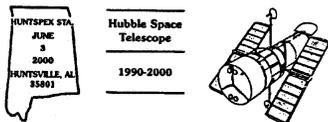
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June 3, 2000
LANDIS HERITAGE DAY
STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
LANDIS NC 28088-9998



June 3-4, 2000
WHITE OAK SETTLEMENT
STATION
POSTMASTER
COUNTY RD 805
BARLOW OH 45712-9998



June 3-4, 2000
 HUNTSPEX STATION
 POSTMASTER
 3408 WALL TRIANA HWY
 HUNTSVILLE AL 35813-9813



June 8, 2000 - Celebrate the Century Station, GOLDEN, CO 80401-9998

June 8, 2000
 USPS
 CELEBRATE THE CENTURY
 STATION
 POSTMASTER
 1100 JOHNSON RD
 GOLDEN CO 80401-9998



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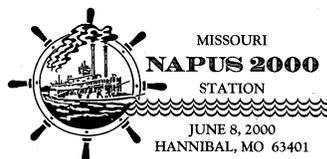


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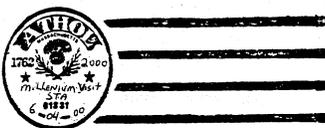
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 188 E 9TH AVE
 SPRINGFIELD CO 81073-9998



June 3-July 1, 2000
 USPS
 BREAST CANCER RESEARCH
 STATION
 POSTMASTER
 495 MEMORIAL HWY
 DALLAS PA 18612-9998



June 8, 2000
 Missouri NAPUS Convention
 MISSOURI NAPUS 2000
 STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 9998
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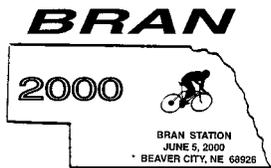
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 STATION
 POSTMASTER
 115 1ST ST
 CLARION IA 50525-9998



June 4-11, 2000
 Hatfield 2000 Reunion Festival
 HATFIELD MCCOY FESTIVAL
 STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 9998
 MCCARR KY 41544-9998



June 8-11, 2000
 LOBEX2 STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 140
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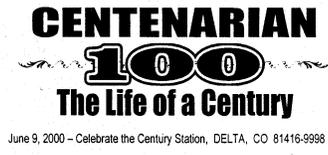
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June 6-10, 2000
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 POSTMASTER
 190 CANADA ST
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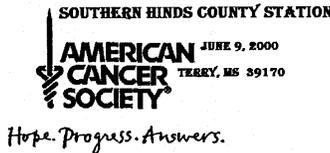


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 360 MEEKER ST
 DELTA CO 81416-9998



LAST DAY OF
 OLD POST OFFICE
 CELEBRATION STATION

June 9, 2000
 USPS
 LAST DAY OF OLD POST
 OFFICE CELEBRATION
 STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 4029
 PORTLAND OR 97208-4029



June 9, 2000
 SOUTHERN HINDS COUNTY
 STATION
 POSTMASTER
 301 CUNNINGHAM AVE
 TERRY MS 39170-9998



June 9, 2000
 USPS
 RYMAN STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 9998
 HYDE PARK VT 0565-9998



June 9, 2000
 MIDLAND MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
 STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 60000
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June 9-10, 2000
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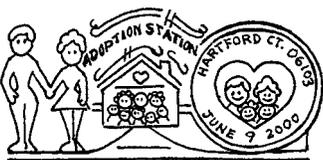


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 CANAAN ME 04924-9998



JUNE 9, 2000
 CHICKEN FESTIVAL STATION
 POSTMASTER
 20 BROAD ST
 BERLIN, MD 21811-9998

June 9-10, 2000
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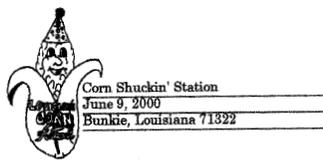


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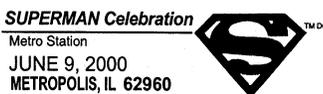
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 BUNKIE CORN SHUCKIN'
 STATION
 POSTMASTER
 116 W MAGNOLIA ST
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June 9-17, 2000
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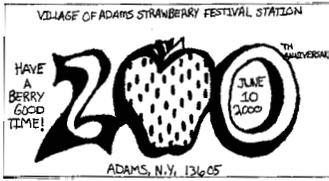


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Relay For Life Station

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 POSTMASTER
 210 2ND AVE
 ROCK FALLS IL 61071-9998



June 10, 2000
VILLAGE OF ADAMS
STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL
STATION
POSTMASTER
27 E CHURCH ST
ADAMS NY 13605-9998



June 10, 2000
Cross Plains Project Pride
ROBERT E HOWARD STATION
POSTMASTER
101 N AVE D
CROSS PLAINS TX 76443-9998



June 10, 2000
The Unioopolis Historical Society
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Jerome, ID 83338

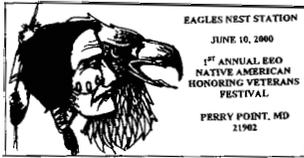
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LIVE HISTORY DAY STATION
POSTMASTER
154 1ST AVE E
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FAIRFAX SD 57335-9998



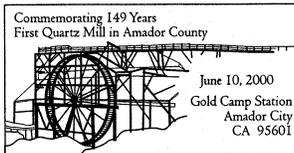
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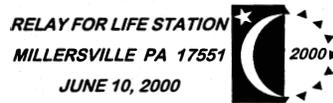
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June 10, 2000
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POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
MERIDALE NY 13806-9998



June 10, 2000
Gold Pan Association
GOLD CAMP STATION
POSTMASTER
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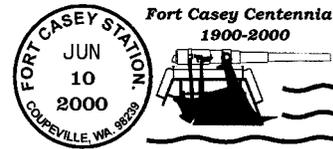
Maple Valley Days



Maple Valley Station
June 10, 2000
Breast Cancer Research
Maple Valley WA 98038

50th Anniversary

June 10, 2000
Maple Valley Days
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POSTMASTER
22023 SE WAX RD
MAPLE VALLEY WA 98038-9998



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COUPEVILLE WA 98239-9998



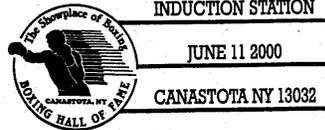
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POSTMASTER
119 MAGNOLIA ST
MILTON DE 19968-9998



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City of Strawn
HOMECOMING STATION
POSTMASTER
203 E HOUSLEY
STRAWN TX 76475-9998



June 10, 2000
 FLAG DAY PARADE STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 9998
 APPLETON WI 54911-9998



June 11, 2000
 INDUCTION STATION
 POSTMASTER
 118 S PETERBORO ST
 CANASTOTA NY 13032-9998



*Matewan 2000 Homecoming Station
 June 10, 2000
 Matewan WV 25678*

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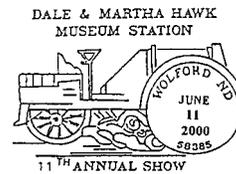


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FINE ARTS & CRAFTS FESTIVAL
 JUNE 10TH
**ART BY THE FALLS
 STATION 2000**
 VALLEY ART CENTER
 CHAGRIN FALLS, OHIO 44022

June 10-11, 2000
 ART BY THE FALLS STATION
 2000
 POSTMASTER
 160 E WASHINGTON ST
 CHAGRIN FALLS OH
 44022-9998



June 11, 2000
 Dakota Hawk Museum
 DALE & MARTHA HAWK
 MUSEUM STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 9998
 WOLFORD ND 58385-9998



**ROY ORBISON DAY
 STATION**
 WINK, TEXAS 79789
 June 10, 2000

June 10-11, 2000
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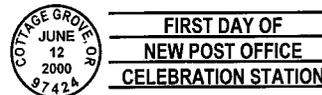


LACONIA
 MOTORCYCLE
 RALLY AND RACE
 WEEK STATION
 June 11 2000
 Laconia NH 03246

June 11-18, 2000
 Laconia Motorcycle Rally and
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 33 CHURCH ST
 LACONIA NH 03246-9998



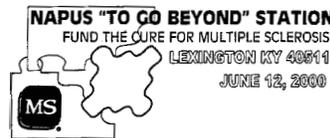
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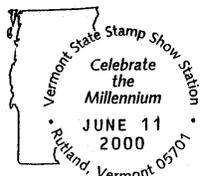
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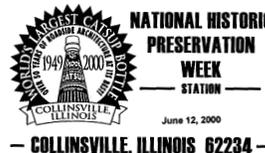
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 STATION
 POSTMASTER
 PO BOX 9998
 LEXINGTON KY 40511-9998



June 11, 2000
 Vermont State Stamp Club
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 151 WEST ST
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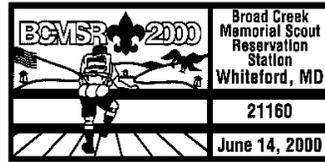
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 NATIONAL HISTORIC
 PRESERVATION WEEK
 STATION
 POSTMASTER
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LACONIA
MOTORCYCLE
RALLY AND RACE
WEEK STATION

June 11 2000
Laconia NH 03246

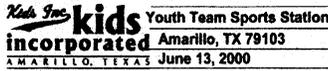
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Week Assoc.
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AND RACE WEEK STATION
POSTMASTER
33 CHURCH ST
LACONIA NH 03246-9998



Broad Creek
Memorial Scout
Reservation
Station
Whiteford, MD

21160
June 14, 2000

June 14, 2000
"Old Glory" Chapter 7 Scouts on
Stamps Society International
BROAD CREEK MEMORIAL
SCOUT RESERVATION
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WHITEFORD MD 21160-9998

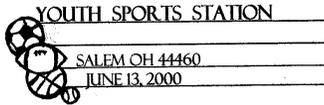


YOUTH TEAM SPORTS
STATION
Amarillo, TX 79103
June 13, 2000

June 13, 2000
Kids Incorporated
YOUTH TEAM SPORTS
STATION
POSTMASTER
2301 ROSS
AMARILLO TX 79120-9998



June 14, 2000
USPS
FLAG DAY STATION
POSTMASTER
201 HIGH ST NE
WARREN OH 44481-9998



SALEM OH 44460
JUNE 13, 2000

June 13, 2000
USPS QWL Work Team
YOUTH SPORTS STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
SALEM OH 44460-9998



June 14, 2000 - Celebrate the Century Station, WRAY, CO 80758-9998

June 14, 2000
USPS
CELEBRATE THE CENTURY
STATION
POSTMASTER
501 MAIN ST
WRAY CO 80758-9998



THE STARS AND STRIPES STA.

June 14, 2000
THE STARS AND STRIPES
STATION
POSTMASTER
PO BOX 9998
APPLETON WI 54911-9998



June 14, 2000 - Celebrate the Century Station Boulder, CO 80302

June 14, 2000
USPS
CELEBRATE THE CENTURY
STATION
POSTMASTER
1905 15TH ST
BOULDER CO 80302-9998



Bennington
Museum
Station
Bennington, VT 05201



June 14, 2000
Bennington Museum
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Special Cancellation Die Hubs

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

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

Cancellation	Period of Use
Only You Can Prevent Forest Fires	April 1–Oct. 31
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
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

— Mail Preparation and Standards, Pricing and Product Design, 6-1-00



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Postal Employees

RIF Competitive Areas for the U.S. Postal Service

Federal regulations and guidance from the Office of Personnel Management require agencies covered by reduction-in-force (RIF) procedures to establish Competitive Areas and to publish a list of those Competitive Areas for their employees. Competitive Areas are organizational units under

separate management authority within which preference-eligible employees compete during a reduction in force. Listed below are the Competitive Areas for the U.S. Postal Service as of June 1, 2000.

		Organization	Competitive Area		
Headquarters	Office of the Postmaster General/Chief Executive Officer		Separate		
	Office of the Chief Operating Officer/Executive Vice President		Separate		
	Office of the Deputy Postmaster General		Separate		
	Office of the Chief Postal Inspector		Separate		
	Office of the General Counsel/Vice President		Separate		
	Office of the President, Packages		Separate		
	Offices of Senior Vice Presidents		Separate		
	Each Vice President's Organization		Separate		
Headquarters Related Organization	Organizational Type	Each Inspection Service Operation Support Unit	Separate		
		Each Inspection Service Division	Separate		
		Each Statistical Programs Service Center ¹	Separate		
		Each Field Counsel Unit ¹	Separate		
		Each Rates and Classification Service Center ¹	Separate		
		Each Facilities Service Office ¹	Separate		
		Each Purchasing Service Office	Separate		
		Each Communications Service Center ¹	Separate		
		Each Mail Recovery Center	Separate		
		Each Accounting Service Center	Separate		
		Each Sales Center ²	Separate		
		Unique Org. — Separate Competitive Area	Address Management, Memphis TN		Separate
			Capitol Metro Area Operations, Gaithersburg MD		Separate
			Center for Employee Development, Norman OK		Separate
Engineering, Merrifield VA			Separate		
Expedited HUB Operations and Logistics Learning Center, Indianapolis IN			Separate		
Expedited/Package Services, Roswell GA			Separate		
Expedited/Package Services, Washington DC			Separate		
Facilities, Arlington VA			Separate		
Field Retail Operations, St. Louis MO			Separate		
HRIS Support Services, Fort Snelling MN			Separate		
International Business Information Systems, Jamaica NY			Separate		
Maintenance Technical Support Center, Norman OK			Separate		
Memphis Design and Construction Field Office, Memphis TN			Separate		
New Jersey Material Distribution Center, South River NJ			Separate		
Retail Operations Support, Washington DC			Separate		
Sales, Arlington VA			Separate		
Sales Field Revenue Verification, Tempe AZ			Separate		
Sales, Western Region, San Francisco CA ²		Separate			

	Organization	Competitive Area
Unique Org. — Part of Another Competitive Area	Automation Purchasing, Merrifield VA	Purchasing and Materials, National HQ, Washington DC
	Capitol Metro Facilities Service Office, Columbia MD	Facilities, Arlington VA
	Career Development (Inspection Service), Potomac MD	Inspection Service, National HQ, Washington DC
	Columbia Facilities Service Office, Columbia MD	Facilities, Arlington VA
	Criminal-Forensic/Technical Service Units	Inspection Service, National HQ, Washington DC
	Denver National Service Center, Denver CO	Marketing, National HQ, Washington DC
	Dulles Stamp Distribution Network, Dulles VA	Public Affairs and Communications, National HQ, Washington DC
	Field Counsel – Mid-Atlantic, Washington DC	General Counsel, National HQ, Washington DC
	HQ Facilities Services, HQ Washington DC	Facilities, Arlington VA
	Mail Equipment Shop, Washington DC	Purchasing and Materials, National HQ, Washington DC
	Major Facilities Purchasing, Arlington VA	Purchasing and Materials, National HQ, Washington DC
	Mid-Atlantic Communications Service Center, Columbia MD	Public Affairs and Communications, National HQ, Washington DC
	National Test Administration Center, Merrifield VA	Employee Resource Management, National HQ, Washington DC
	Northern VA Rates and Classification Service Center, Alexandria VA	Marketing, National HQ, Washington DC
	Northern VA Statistical Programs Service Center, Alexandria VA	Finance, National HQ, Washington DC
	Printing/Distribution, Potomac MD	Employee Resource Management, National HQ, Washington DC
	Sales, Business Development Support, Dallas TX	Dallas Sales Center, Dallas TX
	Sales, National Accounts Training and Development, Hartford CT	Hartford Sales Center, Hartford CT
	Sales, Regional Offices, Dulles VA	Sales, Arlington VA
	WFB Center for Leadership Development, Potomac MD	Employee Resource Management, National HQ, Washington DC

	Organization	Competitive Area
Unique Org. — Grouped for Competitive Area	Minneapolis ISSC Computer Operation Service Center	Minneapolis Information Systems Site
	Minneapolis ISSC Technical Support Center	
	Minneapolis ISSC Business System Solutions Center	
	Minneapolis ISSC Management Support Service Center	
	Network Operations	Raleigh Information Systems Site
	Applied Application Technology	
	Raleigh ISSC Business Systems Solutions Center	
	Raleigh ISSC Management Support Service Center	
	Field Computing Service Center	
	Distributed Systems Central Management Facility	
	Information Systems Security	
	Application Technology Engineering	St. Louis Information Systems Site
	St. Louis Business Systems Solutions Center	
	St. Louis ISSC Management Support Service Center	
	Mail Operations Business Systems Portfolio	San Mateo Information Systems Site
	San Mateo Business Systems Solutions Center	
	San Mateo Management Support Service Center	
	San Mateo Computer Operations Service Center	
	Wilkes-Barre Business Systems Solution Center	Wilkes-Barre Information Systems Site
	Wilkes-Barre ISSC Management Support Service Center	
	Wilkes-Barre ISSC Technical Support Center	
	Wilkes-Barre ISSC Business Systems Support Center	
	Philatelic Fulfillment Service Center	Kansas Stamp Services Center
	Kansas City Stamp Distribution Network	
	Inventory Control	Topeka Purchasing and Material Center
	Inventory Support	
Topeka Label Printing Center		
Topeka Material Distribution Center		
Topeka Purchasing Center		
Systems Integration (Topeka)		
Field	Each Area Office	Separate
	Each District Office (including its Vehicle Maintenance Facilities)	Separate
	Each Post Office	Separate
	Each Processing and Distribution Center	Separate
	Each Area Field Retail Operations	Separate
	Each Processing and Distribution Facility	Separate
	Each Air Mail Center	Separate
	Each District Field Retail Operations	Separate
	Each Air Mail Facility	Separate
	Each Bulk Mail Center	Separate
	Each Remote Encoding Center	Separate
	Each International Satellite Facility	Separate
	Each International Service Center	Separate
	Each Independent Mail Transfer Center	Separate
	Each Independent Delivery Distribution Center	Separate
Each Mail Equipment Facility	Separate	

¹ The units located in the Washington DC commute area are part of the parent national Headquarters organization Competitive Area.

² The Western Sales Region and the San Francisco Sales Center are in the same Competitive Area.

Savings Bonds Campaign Focuses on Security, Saving for the Future

The 2000 U.S. Savings Bonds Campaign, which runs through July 4, offers postal employees a safe and secure way to establish a personal savings program while helping their country.

The Savings Bonds interest rate has just been increased from 5.19 percent to 5.73 percent through October. The interest on Savings Bonds is not subject to state or local income taxes and is subject to federal taxes only when Savings Bonds are cashed. And there are methods that allow Bonds purchasers to save on behalf of their children or grandchildren, tax-free.

Payroll deduction provides an easy, disciplined way to acquire Savings Bonds. Allotments can be as small as \$3.75 per pay period on Savings Bonds with face values as low as \$100. Savings Bonds can be cashed anytime after six months from their issue date.

All postal employees have been mailed Savings Bonds applications and information. Persons who have not received their mailing or desire more information may consult their district Savings Bonds coordinator, log on to the Internet Web site <http://www.savingsbonds.gov>, or call 1-888-588-BOND.

— *Pricing and Product Design, 6-1-00*

\$1,075 for the  **House Payment.**

\$325 for the  **Car Payment.**

\$276 for  **Food.**

nothing for the future.

It's tough to have anything left over from your paycheck. Saving money is difficult. That's why you should look into the Payroll Savings Plan for U.S. Savings Bonds. Pay yourself first and earn competitive interest rates.

Look for the enrollment form in the mail or call toll-free 1-888-588-BOND, or visit the Postal Service Intranet <<http://blue.usps.gov>>.



Open Season May 29–July 4

PLEASE POST ON ALL BULLETIN BOARDS

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Retail

Vending Machines Removed From Service

Effective immediately, the following vending machines are *obsolete*. This means they will not receive any support from maintenance support organizations. This action is taken because these machines operate with coins only, and they have exceeded their expected life cycle. The machines are:

- PS-53C Stamp Vendor
- PBM-2 Booklet Vendor

When a PS-53C or PBM-2 is removed from service, the site must remove all parts listed below. The maintenance stockroom then must evaluate usage of these parts and retain sufficient stock on hand to cover local demand. Once the maintenance stockroom determines it has sufficient inventory to cover local demand, the stockroom must complete and submit a return authorization (RA) request (see Repair Parts Bulletin 1M-011-98 for guidelines) to the Topeka material distribution center.

The following parts from the PS-53C may be used in the PS-53Cmod and the PS-53D, and the parts from the PBM-2 may be used in the PBM-2A and the PBM-6.

Machine	NSN	Description
PS-53C	3550010006532	Module, Master
	3550010006533	Module, Slave
	3550010007121	Acceptor, Coin
	3550010008980	Changer, Coin
	3550020007120	Changer, Coin
	3550030001857	Chassis Assy., With Harness
	5999010000537	PCB Assy., Program
PBM-2	3550010003974	Acceptor, Coin
	3550030001854	Changer, Coin

When the RA is received in Topeka, it will be evaluated and a determination made whether additional float stock is required for the national inventory. Each line item on an RA will be evaluated.

Once a reply is received from Topeka regarding the disposition of available parts, the PS-53C and PBM-2 machines are to be disposed of using a local recycling company. Each office should negotiate reasonable fees with the recycling firm.

In addition, Small Currency Changer SCC-3 is declared obsolete and will not receive any support from inventory control or maintenance support organizations. The elimination of these three pieces of equipment will remove all coin-only operated equipment from our inventory.

— *Self Service, Retail, 6-1-00*

What's in Store

Customer sweepstakes

Gear up

Postal customers get a chance to win sports gear or possibly a trip to France in the *VISA/USPS Tour de France Sweepstakes* promotion beginning this month. VISA® is also a sponsor of the USPS Pro Cycling team.

The objectives of the promotion are to encourage the sale of postal products and to increase credit card usage for postal retail transactions. Credit card transactions are processed at about half the cost of cash transactions.

During the sweepstakes, which begins June 19 and ends September 15, each customer is automatically entered whenever a postal purchase is made with a VISA credit card. However, no purchase is necessary since customers can also enter by calling a toll-free number – 1-877-578-8683.

All retail units that accept credit cards must post sweepstakes information and official rules.

Look for more information in the spring and summer/fall 90-Day Retail Calendar, the new *Ready, Set, Retail* Guide for managers, kit packs, and employee publications.

Prizes and promotional material for the sweepstakes are being provided by sponsors of the USPS Pro Cycling Team at no cost to the United States Postal Service.

CPSC Recall product notices

Look for
notice

A new product recall notice will be inserted in the summer/fall drive period kit for placement in the box lobby zone on June 19. In a continuing effort with the Consumer Product Safety Commission, Retail Marketing will serve as the messaging vehicle for these important consumer updates on unsafe products. Any questions or concerns should be directed to Maria Pell via CC:mail.

What's in Store

PMGG expanded

More countries,
new rates

On May 28 *Priority Mail Global Guaranteed™* (PMGG) international expedited service was expanded to more than 200 countries from approximately 10,000 postal retail offices. Additionally, there are new multiple rate groups based on weight and destination. A half-pound package can now be sent to Canada or Mexico for as little as \$20 or to Singapore for \$24. PMGG is an international expedited document service designed to meet customer needs for guaranteed day-certain delivery with tracking and tracing capability. It provides market-tested value in terms of both price and service.

The same PMGG label will be used, and the new *Service Guide* provides reference for countries and cities served and for allowable contents. There may be variations as to what other countries classify as documents, and other countries may have different weekend days or holidays. Acceptance clerks must remember that PMGG is transported out of the United States, cleared through commercial customs at destinations, and delivered by DHL Worldwide Express. Customers should be informed of the guaranteed delivery day and price.

You'll find more information about this expansion of delivery in the May 18 *Postal Bulletin*. Plans for further enhancements to PMGG service are forthcoming. If you have questions, refer to the *PMGG Service Guide* or your district coordinator, and check the Web site at: www.pmgg.usps.com.

Legends of Baseball

Play ball!

The Legends of Baseball stamps were unveiled May 4 at Busch Stadium in St. Louis, MO. On July 6, the stamps will be officially dedicated and issued in Atlanta, GA, in conjunction with the Club MLB Road Show, the John Hancock All-Star FanFest and the 71st All-Star Game at Turner Field.

What's in Store

Space stamps

Expo intro!

During World Stamp Expo, which will be held July 7–16 in Anaheim, CA, the Postal Service will be issuing the Space Achievement and Exploration stamps (July 7–11). This stamp issuance consists of six souvenir sheets and one uncut press sheet. In an effort to track sales of these stamps/philatelic products, a special AIC has been established. All sales should be reported in AIC 088.

The stamps being issued at World Stamp Expo are:

Exploring the Solar System (Souvenir Sheet)
 Escaping the Gravity of Earth (Souvenir Sheet)
 Achievements in Exploration (Souvenir Sheet)
 Landing on the Moon (Souvenir Sheet)
 Probing the Vastness of Space (Souvenir Sheet)
 Stampin' The Future (Youth Stamps)
 Space Achievement and Exploration
 (Commemorative Uncut Press Sheet)

Pre-orders for the stamps are being accepted by calling 1-800 STAMP-24.

Where's the train?

Rolling along!

The *Celebrate The Century Express*® continues to bring excitement, education and the opportunity for revenue generation and community involvement to cities and towns across the country. Stops include:

Williams, AZ	June 2–4
Santa Fe, NM	June 9–11
Oklahoma City, OK	June 14
Wichita, KS	June 16–18
Kansas City, MO	June 23–25
Keokuk, IA	June 28–29
Mendota, IL	July 2–4

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Send comments and questions to:

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What's in Store

your retail CALENDAR

JUNE - AUGUST 2000 Key Dates

JUNE

				THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3
				Retail Reminder: Maintain enough product inventory, and keep vending machines fully stocked	Retail Reminder: Last day for District to input VESS data for AP 9	
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	8	9	10
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Did You Know? This week is Small Business Week. Do something to honor your small business customers		Retail Reminder: Make sure Stamps by Mail order forms are fully stocked		Tell Your Customers that when ordering gifts online, they can pay less than the competition when they request Priority Mail® service	Retail Reminder: The key to selling retail products is making them visible to your customers \$ Payday	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Did You Know? The US Olympic Committee voted Lance Armstrong its Sportsman of the Year	<i>Summer/Fall P.O.P. and product shipments arrive this week*</i>			Retail Reminder: Tomorrow is the deadline for ordering uniforms and badges Flag Day	Retail Reminder: Remember, only the new barcoded Special Services labels are acceptable AP10 Ends	Last day for Express Mail® next day service packages to arrive by Father's Day AP 11 Begins
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
<i>Summer/Fall Drive Period begins - REMOVE Spring P.O.P. and DISPLAY Summer/Fall P.O.P. and product this week</i>						
Father's Day	Tell Your Customers to use their Visa® cards now through 9/15. They can win a trip to the Tour de France	Summer begins	Retail Reminder: Turn 10 starts today for the retail merchandise sales bin	Tell Your Customers the Millenium Rose Stamps Collection makes a great gift for anyone	\$ Payday	Tell Your Customers about the Stars and Stripes and Stampin' The Future merchandise. They're now available
25	26	27	28	29	30	
Did You Know? The US Postal Service has over 330,000 drop-off spots for Priority Mail® packages	Tell Your Customers now they can buy all 10 decades of Celebrate The Century® stamps		Retail Reminder: Keep packaging products for purchase separated from EPS packaging		Retail Reminder: Last day for District to input VESS data for AP 10	

JUNE STAMP RELEASES: The Stars and Stripes

Refer to your 90-Day Retail Calendar Swingroom Poster for additional information.
 Dates that include "last day to mail dates" are dependent on drop-off location, time, and destination.
 *The number and type of elements in P.O.P. Kits vary by location.

What's in Store

your retail CALENDAR

JUNE – AUGUST 2000 Key Dates

JULY

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						1 <i>Tell Your Customers</i> Priority Mail® service can help them cut shipping costs
2 <i>Did You Know?</i> The Tour de France begins today and runs through July 23rd	3 <i>Retail Reminder:</i> Maintain enough product inventory, and keep vending machines fully stocked	4 Independence Day	5 <i>Retail Reminder:</i> Remind customers this is the last month they can purchase Breast Cancer Research Stamps	6 <i>Tell Your Customers</i> when they buy a FIRSTCLASS PHONECARD™ they can get 30% more minutes FREE	7 \$ Payday	8
9 <i>Did You Know?</i> The World Stamp Expo, the 2nd international stamp show sponsored by the USPS, begins today in Anaheim, CA	10 <i>Retail Reminder:</i> Good merchandising means putting the right quantity of the right product in the right place at the right time	11	12 <i>Tell Your Customers</i> if they're looking for the easiest way to create and send business mailings, to look into NetPost™ Mailing Online	13	14 Districtwide Visa/USPS Employee Race 1 Ends AP 11 Ends	15 Areawide Visa/USPS Employee Race 2 Begins AP 12 Begins
16 <i>Did You Know?</i> If the USPS was a private company, it would be the 10th largest in the country	17	18	19 <i>Tell Your Customers</i> they can find out when their packages arrive online or by phone with Delivery Confirmation™ service	20 <i>Retail Reminder:</i> When properly displayed, point-of-purchase materials (P.O.P) can make an impact on revenue	21 \$ Payday	22 <i>Retail Reminder:</i> Keep retail product well stocked and make sure you always have a 3-week supply
23	24 <i>Tell Your Customers</i> they can use their online debit card for Bulk Mail Deposits and other trust fund accounts	25 <i>Retail Reminder:</i> Suggest that customers add on Special Services such as Delivery Confirmation™ service and insurance	26	27 <i>Tell Your Customers</i> when they use their debit card at the post office, they have the option of getting up to \$50 cash back from their account	28 <i>Retail Reminder:</i> Last day for District to input VESS data for AP 11	29 <i>Retail Reminder:</i> Breast Cancer Research Stamp sales end today
30 <i>Did You Know?</i> USPS recycled approximately 1 million tons of paper, cardboard, plastics, cans, and other material last year	31					

JULY STAMP RELEASES: *Stampin' The Future, Space Achievement and Exploration uncut Press Sheet, Exploring the Solar System Souvenir Sheet, Landing on the Moon Souvenir Sheet, Space Achievement and Exploration Souvenir Sheet, Probing the Vastness of Space Souvenir Sheet, Escaping the Gravity of Earth Souvenir Sheet.*

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What's in Store

YOUR retail CALENDAR

JUNE - AUGUST 2000 Key Dates

AUGUST

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
		1 <i>Retail Reminder:</i> Maintain enough product inventory and keep vending machines fully stocked	2	3	4 \$ Payday	5	
6 <i>Did You Know?</i> NetPost™ Mailing Online can help organizations grow their business	7	8	9 <i>Retail Reminder:</i> The key to selling retail products is making them visible to your customers	10 <i>Retail Reminder:</i> Topeka MDC has replacement Center Door Panels with the new logo for multicommodity vending machines - order now	11 Areawide Visa/USPS Employee Race 2 Ends AP 12 Ends	12 Nationwide Visa/USPS Employee Race 3 Begins AP 13 Begins	
13	14 <i>Retail Reminder:</i> Move outdated product to a secondary location (on slatwall/front of gondola/mobile slatwall); display fall product	15 <i>Look for FALL product shipment to arrive this week</i>				18 \$ Payday	19
20 <i>Did You Know?</i> USPS eBillPay™ is an easy secured way to view and pay bills online	21 <i>Retail Reminder:</i> Reorder new product as needed - allow 3 weeks for delivery	22 <i>Retail Reminder:</i> Make sure retail product is fully stocked	23 <i>Tell Your Customers</i> if they use their Visa® card, they could win a trip to the 2001 Tour de France	24	25 <i>Retail Reminder:</i> Last day for Districts to input VESS data for AP 12	26	
27 <i>Did You Know?</i> Priority Mail Global Guaranteed™ prices start at \$23	28 <i>Display office closed sign for Labor Day</i>	29 <i>Tell Your Customers</i> they can order stamps 24 hours a day on usps.com or 1-800-STAMP-24	30	31			

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