

**S.I. 61 of 2016****POSTAL SECTOR ACT***(Cap 174)***Postal Office (Postage) (Amendment) Regulations, 2016**

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 46 of the Post Office Act, the Minister of Finance, Trade and the Blue Economy hereby makes the following Regulations—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Postal Office (Postage) (Amendment) Regulations, 2016. Citation

2. The Post Office (Postage) Regulations are amended by repealing Part II of the SCHEDULE and substituting therefor the following— Amendment of Schedule

**“PART II****A. LOCAL MAIL**

<b>Weight</b>	<b>Letters</b>	<b>Printed Papers</b>
1. Letters — Up to and including 50 grammes	SCR5.00	SCR3.00
Extra 50grammes or part thereof	SCR3.00	SCR2.00

**B. INTERNATIONAL POST**

<b>Airmail Geographical Zone</b>	<b>Weight</b>	<b>Letter</b>	<b>Printed Papers</b>
<b>A</b>			
Africa, Indian Sub Continent	up to and including 20g	SCR8.00	SCR6.00

Middle East, Indian Ocean Islands	Each extra 20g or part thereof	SCR5.00	SCR4.00
<b>B</b>			
Europe, Asia Australia,	Up and including 20g	SCR9.00	SCR7.00
Pacific Ocean	Each extra 20g or part thereof	SCR6.00	SCR5.00
<b>C</b>			
North and South America, Caribbean (Canada)	Up to and including 20g Each extra 20g or part thereof	SCR10.00	SCR8.00
		SCR6.00	SCR5.00

**C. SURFACE MAIL**

All Countries	Letters	Printed Papers	Postage Rate (SCR)	Postage Rate (SCR)
Up to and incl.20g			8.00	6.00
Up to and incl 100g			21.00	16.00
Up to and incl 250g			41.00	31.00
Up to and incl 500g			81.00	56.00
Up to and incl 1000g			151.00	111.00
Up to and incl 2000g			281.00	181.00
Each extra 500 Grammes or part thereof			81.00	61.00

**D. EXPRESS MAIL SERVICE (EMS)**

Geographical Zone	Weight	Charges
<b>A</b> Africa, Indian Sub Continent,	Up to 500 grammes	SCR370
Middle East, Indian Ocean Islands	Each extra 500g or part	SCR60
<b>B</b> Europe, Asia Australia, Pacific Ocean 500g or part	Up to 500 grammes Each extra	SCR460 SCR100
<b>C</b> North and South America, Caribbean (Canada)	Up to 500 grammes Each extra 500g or part	SCR 500 SCR 150

**E. SURFACE & AIR PARCELS**

Geographical Air Zone	Weight	Surface Parcels	Air Parcels
<b>A</b> Africa, Indian Sub Continent, Middle East, Indian Ocean Islands thereof	Up to 1st kg including 20g Additional kg or part	SCR170 SCR70	SCR240 SCR 90
<b>B</b> Europe, Asia Australia, Pacific Ocean	Up to 1st kg Additional Kg or part thereof	SCR190 SCR80	SCR260 SCR120

North and South America, Caribbean (Canada)	Up to 1st kg	SCR240	SCR290
	Additional Kg or part thereof	SCR90	SCR180

## F. ADDITIONAL SERVICES

- (i) Registration  
 - Fee in addition to postage for the registration of domestic mail items: SCR18 per item - Fee in addition to postage for the registration of outward International mail item: SCR27 per item
- (ii) Advice of Delivery  
 - Fee SCR13 to postage and registration fee.
- (iii) International Reply Coupons (IRC)  
 - Selling price SCR12, exchange rate SCR8.00
- (iv) Express Items  
 - Fee of SCR18 in addition to postage and registration fee.
- (v) Insurance  
 - Fee in addition to postage and registration of SCR10 for up to SCR1000 and SCR5 for additional SCR1000 or part thereof up to a maximum of SCR10,000, subject that the Post Office may, on the basis or risks assessment and for other valid reasons, reduce the maximum insured value or refuse insurance for certain items or destinations.

Other Services Available: Bill of Entry Data Capture, Domestic, Courier Service, Photocopy, Binding, Laminating... etc

## LETTER POST SERVICES (Key to Airmail Zones)

COUNTRY	ZONE	COUNTRY	ZONE
Abkhazia	B	China (People's Rep)	B
Afghanistan	A	Christmas Island	B
Albania	B	Cocos (Keeling) Islands	B
Algeria	A	Colombia	C
Andorra	B	Comoros	A
Anguilla	C	Congo (Democratic Rep)	A
Antigua and Barbuda	C	Cook Island	A
Argentina	C	Costa Rica	C
Armenia	B	Cote D'ivoire (Rep)	C
Aruba	C	Croatia	A
Ascension island	C	Cuba	B
Australia	B	Cyprus	B
Austria	B	Czech Rep	B
Azerbaijan	B	Denmark	B
Bahamas	C	Djibouti	B
Bahrain	A	Dominica	C
Bangladesh	A	Dominican Rep	C
Barbados	C	Ecuador	C
Belarus	B	Egypt	A
Belgium	B	El Salvador	C
Belize	C	Equatorial Guinea	A
Benin	A	Eritrea	A
Bermuda	C	Estonia	B
Bhutan	A	Ethiopia	A
Bolivia	C	Falkland Island	C
Bosnia & Herzegovina	B	Fiji	B
Botswana	A	Finland (Incl. Aland Island)	B
Brazil	C	France	B
British Virgin Island	C	French Polynesia	B
Brunei Darussalam	B	Gabon	A
Bulgaria (Rep)	B	Gambia	A
Burkina Faso	A	Georgia	B
Burundi	A	Germany	B
Cambodia	B	Ghana	A
Cameroon	A	Gibraltar	B
Canada	C	Great Britain	B
Cape Verde	A	Greece	B
Cayman Island	A	Grenada	C
Central African Rep	A	Guatemala	C
Chad	A	Guernsey	B
Chile	C	Guinea (Republic)	A

COUNTRY	ZONE	COUNTRY	ZONE
Guinea-Bissau	A	Mauritania	A
Guyana	C	Mauritius	A
Haiti	C	Mexico	C
Honduras (Rep)	C	Micronesia	B
Hungary (Rep)	C	Moldova (Rep)	B
Iceland	B	Monaco	B
India	A	Mongolia	B
Indonesia	B	Montenegro	B
Iran (Islamic rep)	A	Montserrat	C
Iraq	A	Morocco	A
Ireland	B	Mozambique	A
Israel	A	Myanmar,	B
Italy	B	Nagorno karabakh	B
Jamaica	C	Namibia	A
Japan	B	Nauru	B
Jersey	B	Nepal	A
Jordan	A	Netherland	B
Kazakhstan	B	Netherland Antilles	C
Kenya	A	New Caledonia	B
Kiribati	B	New Zealand	B
Korea (Dem People's Rep)	B	Nicaragua	C
Korea (Rep)	B	Niger	A
Kosovo	B	Nigeria	A
Kuwait	C	Niue	C
Kyrgyzstan	B	Norway	B
Lao (People's Dem Rep)	B	Oman	A
Latvia	B	Pakistan	A
Lebanon	A	Palau	B
Lesotho	A	Palestinian Territories	A
Liberia	A	Panama (Rep)	C
Libya	A	Papua New Guinea	B
Liechtenstein	B	Paraguay	C
Lithuania	B	Peru	C
Luxemburg	B	Philippines	B
Macedonia (Rep)	B	Pitcairn Island	B
Madagascar	A	Poland (Rep)	B
Malawi	A	Portugal	B
Malaysia	B	Puerto Rico	C
Maldives	A	Qatar	A
Mali	A	Romania	B
Malta	B	Russian Federation	B
Marshall Island	B	Rwanda	A
		Saint Barthelemy	B

COUNTRY	ZONE	COUNTRY	ZONE
Saint Lucia	C	Timor-Este	B
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	C	Togo	A
Samoa	B	Tokelau	C
Sao Marino	B	Tonga (Incl. Niuafou'u)	B
Sao Tome and Principe	A	Trinidad and Tobago	C
Saudi Arabia	A	Tristan da Cunha	C
Senegal	A	Turks and Caicos Islands	C
Serbia	B	Turkey	B
Sierra Leone	A	Turkmenistan	B
Singapore	B	Tuvalu	B
Slovakia (Slovak Rep)	B	Uganda	A
Slovenia	B	Ukraine	B
Solomon Island	B	United Arab Emirates	A
Somalia	A	United State of America	C
South Africa	A	Uruguay	C
South Georgia	B	Uzbekistan	B
South Ossetia	B	Vanuatu	B
Spain	B	Vatican City State	B
Sri Lanka	A	Venezuela	C
Sudan	A	Vietnam	B
Suriname	C	Virgin Island (British)	C
Swaziland	A	Virgin Island (French)	C
Sweden	B	Virgin Island (United States)	C
Switzerland	B	Wallis and Futuna Islands	A
Syria (Syrian Arab Rep)	A	Western Sahara	A
Tajikistan	B	Yemen	A
Tanzania (United Rep)	A	Zambia	A
Thailand	B	Zimbabwe	A

**MADE this 2nd day of September, 2016.**

**JEAN-PAUL ADAM**  
**MINISTER OF FINANCE, TRADE**  
**AND BLUE ECONOMY**