

S.I. 2011 No. 39

Post Office Act
Cap. 27A

POST OFFICE (INLAND LETTER POST)
(AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 2011

The Minister, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 59 of the *Post Office Act*, makes the following Regulations:

1. These Regulations may be cited as the *Post Office (Inland Letter Post) (Amendment) Regulations, 2011*.

2. Regulation 10 of the *Post Office (Inland Letter Post) Regulations, 1980*, in these Regulations referred to as the principal Regulations, is amended by deleting paragraph (1) and substituting the following: S.I. 1980
No. 181.

- “10. (1) The rates of postage payable in respect of
- Schedule. (a) postal articles in the form of letters are those specified in paragraph (1) of the *Schedule*; and
- (b) postal articles other than letters are those specified in paragraph (2) of the *Schedule*.”

3. Regulation 18 of the principal Regulations is amended by inserting the following new paragraph after paragraph (2):

“(3) Literature for the blind which is transmitted by post shall not be subject to the payment of postal rates or fees or be subject to any postal charge.”

4. The principal Regulations are amended by deleting regulation 19 and substituting the following:

“Late
posting.

“19. (1) Where a person desires postal articles to be transmitted by a specific time and those articles are tendered for transmission after the expiration of the time advertised for closing of mail but, notwithstanding the expiration of such time, it is possible for the articles to be transmitted as desired, there is payable, in addition to the normal postage payable in respect of those postal articles, the fee set out in paragraph 3(b) of the *Schedule*.

Schedule.

(2) The payment of the additional fees under paragraph (1) may be made by affixing to the postal article postage stamps of the required amount.

5. Regulation 20 of the principal Regulations is amended by deleting paragraph (1) and substituting the following:

“20.(1) Subject to these regulations, postal articles may be registered on payment by the sender of the fee prescribed in paragraph 3(b) of the

Schedule.”.

6. Regulation 21 of the principal Regulations is amended by deleting paragraph (3) and substituting the following:

“(3) Any postal packet to which paragraph (1) relates must be forwarded to the addressee or, as the case may be, tendered to the sender charged with the fee set out in paragraph 3(b) of the *Schedule*.”.

Schedule.

7. Regulation 23 of the principal Regulations is amended by deleting Regulation 23 and substituting the following:

“Advice of delivery. “23. A sender of a registered postal article is, at the time of the posting thereof and upon payment of the fee specified in paragraph 3(c) of the Schedule. *Schedule*, entitled upon application, to advice respecting the delivery thereof.”

8. Regulation 25 of the principal Regulations is amended by deleting paragraph (1) and substituting the following:

“25. The amount payable as compensation for loss of a registered postal article shall not exceed the amount specified in paragraph 3(d) of the *Schedule*.”

9. The Schedule to the principal Regulations is deleted and the Schedule contained in the *Schedule* to these Regulations is substituted: *Schedule*.

SCHEDULE

(Regulation 9)

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*(Regulations 10, 19, 20, 21, 23 and 25)***RATES OF POSTAGE FOR INLAND POSTAL
ARTICLES AND RELATED SERVICES**

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
Postal Articles: Weight Category, Class of Correspondence	Postage Rate
1. LETTERS AND POSTCARDS	\$ ¢
Weight not over 20g	.65
Weight between 21g - 100g	1.40
Weight between 101g - 250g	2.60
Weight between 251g - 500g	5.05
Weight between 501g - 1000g	8.55
Weight between 1001g - 2000g	13.50
Weight between 2001g - 3000g	17.90
Weight between 3001g - 4000g	23.25
Weight between 4001g - 5000g	29.00

SCHEDULE – *Cont'd*

**RATES OF POSTAGE FOR INLAND POSTAL
ARTICLES AND RELATED SERVICES – *Cont'd***

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
Postal Articles: Weight Category, Class of Correspondence	Postage Rate
<p>2. POSTAL ARTICLES OTHER THAN LETTERS AND POSTCARDS</p> <p>(a) Periodicals, books, pamphlets, sheets of music, printed papers and other printed matter</p>	<p>\$ ¢</p>
Weight not over 20g	.40
Weight between 21g – 100g	.50
Weight between 101g – 250g	1.00
Weight between 251g – 500g	3.00
Weight between 501g – 1000g	5.50
Weight between 1001g – 2000g	8.80
Weight between 2001g – 3000g	11.50
Weight between 3001g – 4000g	14.80
Weight between 4001g – 5000g	17.50

SCHEDULE - *Cont'd*RATES OF POSTAGE FOR INLAND POSTAL
ARTICLES AND RELATED SERVICES - *Cont'd*

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
Postal Articles: Weight Category, Class of Correspondence	Postage Rate
(b) Newspapers or the periodical publications of newspapers with advertisement strips attached	<div style="text-align: center;">\$ ¢</div>
Weight not over 20g	.35
Weight between 21g - 100g	.40
Weight between 101g - 250g	.60
Weight between 251g - 500g	.90
Weight between 501g - 1000g	1.50
Weight between 1001g - 2000g	2.20
Weight between 2001g - 3000g	3.00
Weight between 3001g - 4000g	3.85
Weight between 4001g - 5000g	4.80

