
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Postal Services (Universal Postal Service) (Amendment) Order 2013

Insertion of paragraph 6A of Schedule 1

13. After paragraph 6 of Schedule 1, insert—

“Slow outgoing European Union services

6A.—(1) One or more single piece services for the conveyance of postal packets meeting the description in sub-paragraph (2) to EU offices of exchange for onward delivery to each country within the European Union other than the United Kingdom, where—

- (a) the postal packet is conveyed to the EU office of exchange within a period that is—
 - (i) reasonable; and
 - (ii) compatible with a routing time for the provision of an end-to-end service of D + 30;
 - (b) the service or services are capable of purchase by postage stamp and may be capable of purchase by other reasonable methods; and
 - (c) the service or services include provision of a Certificate of Posting free of charge on request if the postal packet is deposited at a post office.
- (2) The description in this sub-paragraph is—
- (a) at minimum—
 - (i) the weight of the postal packet exceeds 100 grams; and
 - (ii) the dimensions of the postal packet, measured at their narrowest points, exceed 245 millimetres by 165 millimetres by 5 millimetres;
 - (b) at maximum as to weight—
 - (i) if the postal packet contains items that are not printed papers, its weight does not exceed 2 kilograms;
 - (ii) if the postal packet only contains printed papers, its weight does not exceed 5 kilograms;
 - (c) at maximum as to dimensions—
 - (i) if the postal packet is a right circular cylinder—
 - (aa) the length plus twice the diameter does not exceed 1040 millimetres;
 - (bb) the length does not exceed 900 millimetres; and
 - (cc) the diameter does not exceed 900 millimetres;
 - (ii) if the postal packet is not a right circular cylinder—

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- (aa) the sum of the length, width and depth (measured at their widest points) does not exceed 900 millimetres; and
- (bb) the greatest dimension (measured at its widest point) does not exceed 600 millimetres.”