

# postal bulletin

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## All Postal Installations

### 8-Cent Posting Broadside Bicentennial Commemorative Stamp

The 8-cent Posting Broadside commemorative stamp will be first placed on sale at Atlantic City, NJ 08401, on April 13, 1973. This issue is the second in a set of four stamps for 1973 called the Rising of the Spirit of Independence and the theme is communications in colonial times.

**POSTMASTERS SHALL NOT PLACE THIS STAMP ON SALE BEFORE APRIL 14, 1973**



Size: 1.44" x 0.84" image area (horizontal)

ISSUED IN SHEETS OF 50

Colors: Red, blue, and brown  
Initial printing: 150 million  
Designer: William A. Smith

To obtain first-day cancellations, collectors may submit requests to Postmaster, Atlantic City, NJ 08401. See Postal Service Manual, section 257.2. Requests must be postmarked no later than April 13. Selected mint stamps will be available at the Philatelic Sales Unit, Washington, DC 20036, beginning April 14, 1973.

All classes of post offices will receive an initial supply of the stamps under the automatic distribution schedule.

First-class post offices requiring additional bulk quantities should immediately submit a separate req-

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### International Inaugural Service

On or after April 1, 1973, Swissair will inaugurate DC-10 service from Boston to Geneva, Switzerland. An official cachet and philatelic treatment are authorized as outlined in section 257.33, Postal Service Manual.

To send covers by this service, prepare them in the usual manner for delivery in Switzerland, United States, and Canada affixing postage at 21 cents per half ounce. Aero-grammes and postal cards will not be accepted. The covers should be enclosed in another envelope addressed as follows and should reach the office applying the cachet no later than 3 days prior to the scheduled flight:

*Cachets To Be Applied by:* Airport Mail Facility, Boston, MA.  
*Send Covers to:* Superintendent, Airport Mail Facility, U.S. Postal Service, Logan International Airport, Boston, MA 02128.  
Boston, MA City Post Office, Postmaster, Boston, MA 02109.

Covers already postmarked, those not properly prepared, and those posted in the usual manner will not receive cachets.—*Mail Processing Group, 3-8-73.*

quisition (Form 3356) to the Bureau of Engraving and Printing using item No. 475.

First-class post offices requiring less-than-bulk quantities in addition to the automatic distribution and all other post offices may submit a requisition (Form 17) to their designated sectional center facility on their next scheduled requisitioning date.

Shipment of the new 8-cent Posting Broadside stamp will be made as fast as production and distribution facilities permit. Receipt of this stamp in some post office may be as much as 7 to 10 days after first-day sale.—*Philatelic Affairs, 3-8-73.*

## All Postal Facilities

### ROPO Purchases

It is apparent from complaints of ROPO contractors relative to non-payment for delivered goods that some postmasters are not notifying the postal data center when goods are received. Postmasters are reminded that copy No. 4 (blue) of Form 7334, *Order-Invoice-Voucher*, is to be forwarded to the postal data center immediately upon receipt and inspection of the ordered goods. The postal data center will not make payment to the appropriate contractor until that copy has been received. Postmasters who have been delinquent in forwarding the No. 4 (blue) copy to the postal data center must immediately accomplish this action, as well as assuring that these documents are forwarded, in the future as promptly as possible.—*Administration Department, 3-8-73.*

## All Postmasters

### Domestic Orders

Enforced by postmaster at cities listed:

#### False Representation

*State and city* Name covered by order  
Connecticut, R. J. Products, Inc., 20  
Stamford, Clarks Hill Avenue.  
New Jersey, Wofra Yellow Pages, Inc.,  
Wayne, P. O. Box 312.  
New Jersey, Wofra Yellow Pages, Inc.,  
Westwood, P. O. Box 733.

—*Judicial Officer, 3-8-73.*

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All Money Order Offices

## CHANGE IN CONVERSION RATE FOR MONEY ORDERS DRAWN FOR PAYMENT IN CANADA

Effective March 8, 1973, the rate for money orders issued for payment in Canada will be \$1.01 United States dollar equals \$1 Canadian dollar (exhibit A).

### Exhibit A

**Rate: United States dollar equals .99 Canadian money**

[From 1 cent to 100 dollars]

United States money	Canadian money	United States money	Canadian money	United States money	Canadian money	United States money	Canadian money
<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>
1	.01	51	.50	1.00	.99	51.00	50.49
2	.02	52	.51	2.00	1.98	52.00	51.48
3	.03	53	.52	3.00	2.97	53.00	52.47
4	.04	54	.53	4.00	3.96	54.00	53.46
5	.05	55	.54	5.00	4.95	55.00	54.45
6	.06	56	.55	6.00	5.94	56.00	55.44
7	.07	57	.56	7.00	6.93	57.00	56.43
8	.08	58	.57	8.00	7.92	58.00	57.42
9	.09	59	.58	9.00	8.91	59.00	58.41
10	.10	60	.59	10.00	9.90	60.00	59.40
11	.11	61	.60	11.00	10.89	61.00	60.39
12	.12	62	.61	12.00	11.88	62.00	61.38
13	.13	63	.62	13.00	12.87	63.00	62.37
14	.14	64	.63	14.00	13.86	64.00	63.36
15	.15	65	.64	15.00	14.85	65.00	64.35
16	.16	66	.65	16.00	15.84	66.00	65.34
17	.17	67	.66	17.00	16.83	67.00	66.33
18	.18	68	.67	18.00	17.82	68.00	67.32
19	.19	69	.68	19.00	18.81	69.00	68.31
20	.20	70	.69	20.00	19.80	70.00	69.30
21	.21	71	.70	21.00	20.79	71.00	70.29
22	.22	72	.71	22.00	21.78	72.00	71.28
23	.23	73	.72	23.00	22.77	73.00	72.27
24	.24	74	.73	24.00	23.76	74.00	73.26
25	.25	75	.74	25.00	24.75	75.00	74.25
26	.26	76	.75	26.00	25.74	76.00	75.24
27	.27	77	.76	27.00	26.73	77.00	76.23
28	.28	78	.77	28.00	27.72	78.00	77.22
29	.29	79	.78	29.00	28.71	79.00	78.21
30	.30	80	.79	30.00	29.70	80.00	79.20
31	.31	81	.80	31.00	30.69	81.00	80.19
32	.32	82	.81	32.00	31.68	82.00	81.18
33	.33	83	.82	33.00	32.67	83.00	82.17
34	.34	84	.83	34.00	33.66	84.00	83.16
35	.35	85	.84	35.00	34.65	85.00	84.15
36	.36	86	.85	36.00	35.64	86.00	85.14
37	.37	87	.86	37.00	36.63	87.00	86.13
38	.38	88	.87	38.00	37.62	88.00	87.12
39	.39	89	.88	39.00	38.61	89.00	88.11
40	.40	90	.89	40.00	39.60	90.00	89.10
41	.41	91	.90	41.00	40.59	91.00	90.09
42	.42	92	.91	42.00	41.58	92.00	91.08
43	.43	93	.92	43.00	42.57	93.00	92.07
44	.44	94	.93	44.00	43.56	94.00	93.06
45	.45	95	.94	45.00	44.55	95.00	94.05
46	.46	96	.95	46.00	45.54	96.00	95.04
47	.47	97	.96	47.00	46.53	97.00	96.03
48	.48	98	.97	48.00	47.52	98.00	97.02
49	.49	99	.98	49.00	48.51	99.00	98.01
50	.50	.....	.....	50.00	49.50	100.00	99.00

Supplemental chart for the post offices issuing orders under the money order market test is shown in exhibit B. Section 171.22c, Postal Service Manual, will be amended accordingly.

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**Exhibit B**

**Rate: United States Dollar  
Equals .99 Canadian Money**

United States money	Canadian money
<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>
100.00	99.00
110.00	108.90
120.00	118.80
130.00	128.70
140.00	138.60
150.00	148.50
160.00	158.40
170.00	168.30
180.00	178.20
190.00	188.10
199.99	197.99

—Finance Department, 3-8-73.

**All Postal Installations**

**Wanted Circular Canceled**

The following Postal offender has been apprehended:

**Marlyn Young**

Destroy the wanted circular issued 9-20-72 concerning him.—*Inspection Service, 3-8-73.*

**All Post Offices**

**Money Order Forms**

Add the following missing or stolen money order forms to the consolidated list. **DO NOT CASH THESE ORDERS.**

5,820,768,015-5,820,768,199

—Finance Department, 3-8-73.

**All Post Offices**

**Lobby Display**

Postmasters will soon be receiving a poster from the U.S. Savings Bond Division, Department of the Treasury, entitled *Income Tax Refunds are Ready-Made Savings*. The poster is to be displayed during the period March 15-May 15, 1973.

Posters should be displayed in a prominent location in the public lobby in accordance with section 243.212, Postal Service Manual. Postmasters in buildings operated by the General Services Administration should submit the posters upon their receipt to the superintendent of the building.—*Communications Department, 3-8-73.*

**All Postmasters and Personnel Processing Mail for Dispatch Abroad**

**Foreign Orders**

Notices of new Foreign False Representation and Lottery Orders will continue to be published in the POSTAL BULLETIN. These notices should be kept and used as reference.

A Lottery Order has been issued against:

**BARBADOS (Bridgetown):**

- MISS JUDY BROWN  
Post Office Box 2430
- MISS JACQUELINE CHANN  
Post Office Box 2431
- MISS ANN CRAIG  
Post Office Box 5094
- MISS LORAIN DAY  
Post Office Box 5077
- MISS LAURA FAITH  
Post Office Box 2427
- MISS MELANIE MARKS  
Post Office Box 2386
- MR. MARC RAYMOND  
Post Office Box 5027
- MR. DALE ROBINSON  
Post Office Box 2430
- MISS PEARL SARGENT  
Post Office Box 2389
- MISS CLARICE SPARKE  
Post Office Box 5027

Do not dispatch any mail to the above. Any mail addressed to the above should be endorsed: Lottery Mail, and should be Returned To Sender.

A False Representation Order has been issued against:

**WEST GERMANY:**

**INTERNATIONAL IMPORT & EXPORT DIRECTORY**  
and/or **LORENZ BEUTLER-VERLAG**  
An der Alster 21  
2000 Hamburg 1,

Do not dispatch any mail to the above. Any mail addressed to the above should be endorsed: Return to Sender: Order Issued Against Addressee for Violation of False Representation Law.

If any such mail bears no return address, treat it as undeliverable and dispose of it in accordance with 159.4, PSM. This notice should be posted at the outgoing primary. *It must be posted on the Foreign Order board at all sectional center facilities.—Judicial Officer, 3-8-73.*

**NOTIFY YOUR SUPERVISOR IF  
YOUR EQUIPMENT DOES NOT  
PROVIDE PROPER SECURITY FOR  
FUNDS AND STAMP STOCK.**