TELEGRAPHS

TELEGRAMS AND CABLES

1957 No. 1694

The Telegraph (British Commonwealth and Foreign Written Telegram) Amendment No. 4 Regulations, 1957

Made - - - -	*24th September,* 1957
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I, the Right Honourable Alfred Ernest Marples, M.P., Her Majesty's Postmaster-General, with the consent of the Treasury, by virtue of the power vested in me by section 2 of the Telegraph Act, 1885(a), as amended by section 4 of the Post Office and Telegraph Act, 1940(b), and sections 1 and 2 of the Telegraph Act, 1954(c), and of every other power enabling me in this behalf, hereby make the following Regulations, that is to say:—

PART I

Interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations shall be read as one with the Telegraph (British Commonwealth and Foreign Written Telegram) Regulations, 1950(d) (hereinafter called "the principal Regulations") and all regulations amending the same.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889(e), applies to the interpretation of these regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

PART II

Telegrams for Delivery to an Addressee Travelling by Motor Car in France

2. Subject to the provisions of this Part of these regulations, the Postmaster-General may accept telegrams (not being radio-telegrams or phototelegrams) for delivery to an addressee travelling by motor car in France on a trunk road route in respect of which arrangements for such delivery are in force.

3. The address of every such telegram shall consist of the addressee's name, his motor car registration number and the name of the trunk road route on which he is travelling, and the sender shall write before the address the paid service indication =TP 11= and the words "Autogramme Paris". The sender shall pay a supplementary fee of 26s. 0d.

4. The following provisions of the principal Regulations shall not apply in respect of such telegrams:

Regulation 15 (which relates to telegrams which are to follow the addressee);

Regulation 16 (which relates to redirection by the addressee);

Paragraphs (2) to (11) of regulation 19 (which relates to delivery);

Regulation 26 (which relates to prepaid replies);

Regulation 30 (which relates to notice of delivery);

(a) 48 & 49 Vict. c. 58. (b) 3 & 4 Geo. 6. c. 25. (c) 2 & 3 Eliz. 2. c. 28.
(d) S.I. 1950/1023 (Rev. XXII, p. 313: 1950 II, p. 993). (e) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

Regulation 31 (which relates to delivery to more than one address);

Regulation 32 (which relates to the cancellation of telegrams at the request of the sender);

Regulation 34 (which relates to the refundment in certain cases of the sum paid for the transmission of a telegram).

5. At the end of paragraph (1) of regulation thirty-three of the principal Regulations (which relates to paid service indications) there shall be inserted the following:

"Telegram addressed pursuant to Part I of the Telegraph (British Commonwealth and Foreign Written Telegram) Amendment No. 4 Regulations 1957 to a person travelling by motor car in France ... ... = TP 11 = "

PART III

Other Amendments to the Principal Regulations

Delivery by Post

6. In paragraph (3) of regulation twenty-one of the principal Regulations (which paragraph relates to paid service indications and supplementary charges for the delivery of telegrams by post) as substituted by regulation three of the Telegraph (British Commonwealth and Foreign Written Telegram) Amendment No. 3 Regulations, 1953(a) (hereinafter called "the 1953 Regulations"), for the sums "5d.", "8d." and "1s. 1d." (being the supplementary charges payable if a telegram is required to be delivered respectively by post as a registered letter, by air mail and as a registered letter by air mail) there shall be respectively substituted the sums "7d.", "11d." and "1s. 6d.".

Phototelegrams

7. Paragraph (4) of regulation twenty-three of the principal Regulations (which paragraph provides for the supplementary charges for certain services relating to phototelegrams) as substituted by regulation four of the 1953 Regulations is hereby revoked, and the following paragraph shall be substituted therefor:—

"(4) (i) The supplementary charge for the service = Postxp = shall be 3s. 0d., for the service = PR = 1s. 6d., and for the service = GPR = 1s. 6d. When the sender asks to use the service = Postxp = with either of the services = PR = or = GPR =, he shall pay both of the supplementary charges.

(ii) The supplementary charges for the services = TM . . . = (with or without the service = CTA =) shall be 4s. 6d. for each copy after the first.

(iii) The supplementary charge for the service = K . . . = shall be 3s. 0d. for each copy after the first.

(iv) In the case of the service = KP =, a supplementary charge of 3s. 0d. shall be payable for the copy and an additional supplementary charge of 1s. 0d. for the despatch of the copy by registered letter.

(v) The supplementary charge for the service = XP = shall be 3s. 0d., and for the service = PAV = shall be 1s. 6d.

(vi) Except as otherwise provided in these regulations, the supplementary charges payable under these regulations for services relating to telegrams generally shall be payable for services relating to phototelegrams."

(a) S.I. 1953/1162 (1953 II, p. 2278).

Telegrams to be called for

8. In paragraph (3) of regulation twenty-four of the principal Regulations (which paragraph prescribes the registration fee payable where a telegram intended to be left until called for is to be treated in like manner as a registered letter) as substituted by regulation five of the 1953 Regulations, for the sum " 5d." there shall be substituted the sum " 7d.".

Notice of delivery

9. In paragraph (4) of regulation thirty of the principal Regulations (which prescribes the charge for the transmission by post of a notice of delivery of a telegram) as amended by regulation seven of the 1953 Regulations, for the sum " 4½d." there shall be substituted the sum " 6½d.".

Multiple addresses

10. In sub-paragraph (*b*) of paragraph (4) of regulation thirty-one of the principal Regulations (which paragraph relates to charges for multiple telegrams) as amended by paragraph (3) of regulation eight of the 1953 Regulations, for the sum " 1s. 1d." in both places where such sum occurs there shall be substituted the sum " 1s. 6d." and for the sum " 6½d." there shall be substituted the sum " 9d.".

Cancellation of telegrams

11. In paragraph (*b*) of regulation thirty-two of the principal Regulations (which paragraph relates to the sums payable where the sender requests the cancellation of a telegram) as substituted by regulation nine of the 1953 Regulations, for the sum " 4½d." in both places where such sum occurs there shall be substituted the sum " 6½d.", and for the sum " 10d." there shall be substituted the sum " 1s. 2½d.".

Reimbursement

12. In sub-paragraphs (*a*) and (*b*) of paragraph (3) of regulation thirty-four of the principal Regulations (which as amended by paragraph (1) of regulation eleven of the 1953 Regulations provide for the refundment in certain circumstances of a portion of the sum paid for transmission of a telegram if it is not less than 2s. 2d.), for the sum " 2s. 2d." in both places where such sum occurs there shall be substituted the sum " 3s. 0d.".

PART IV

General

Date of Commencement and Short title

13. These regulations shall come into operation on the 1st day of October, 1957, and may be cited as the Telegraph (British Commonwealth and Foreign Written Telegram) Amendment No. 4 Regulations, 1957.

Dated this 13th day of September, 1957.

Ernest Marples,
Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

We consent to these regulations

Edward Wakefield,
Anthony Barber,
Two of the Commissioners of
Her Majesty's Treasury.

24th September, 1957.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

Part II of these regulations amends the Telegraph (British Commonwealth and Foreign Written Telegram) Regulations, 1950, so as to provide for the delivery of telegrams to addressees travelling by motor car on certain trunk roads in France. A supplementary fee of 26s. 0d. is payable for telegrams so addressed.

Part III increases the charges for certain supplementary services in the oversea telegraph service.

1957 No. 767

The Telegraph (British Commonwealth and Foreign Written Press Telegram) Regulations 1957

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I, The Right Honourable Alfred Ernest Marples, M.P., Her Majesty's Postmaster-General, with the consent of the Treasury, do, by virtue of the power vested in me by section 2 of the Telegraph Act, 1885(**a**) as amended by section 4 of the Post Office and Telegraph Act, 1940(**b**) and sections 1 and 2 of the Telegraph Act, 1954(**c**), and of every other power enabling me in this behalf, hereby make the following Regulations, that is to say:—

Interpretation

1.—(1) In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them:—

"authorised recipient" means a newspaper, news agency or broadcasting authority which is for the time being authorised by the Postmaster-General, or by the Telegraph Administration of any country outside the British Islands to which press telegrams may be sent under these regulations, to receive press telegrams to which these regulations apply;

"broadcasting authority" means a person providing a broadcasting service by wireless telegraphy for general reception, and includes a programme contractor within the meaning of the Television Act, 1954(**d**);

"ordinary press telegram" means a press telegram which is not an urgent press telegram;

"press telegram" means a written telegram which is transmitted or intended for transmission to the offices of any authorised recipient and of which the text consists exclusively of information, comment, reports and narratives on subjects of public interest for the time being intended for publication in a newspaper or for broadcasting by wireless telegraphy, with or without instructions relating to such publication or broadcasting;

(**a**) 48 & 49 Vict. c. 58.
(**b**) 3 & 4 Geo. 6. c. 25.
(**c**) 2 & 3 Eliz. 2. c. 28.
(**d**) 2 & 3 Eliz. 2. c. 55.