

(4) Except with the permission of the Captain of the Port, all pedestrians and vehicular traffic must remain outside the affected landside portions of the safety zone, as enforced by local law enforcement officials.

(5) The Captain of the Port may, upon request, authorize a deviation from any rule in this section if he determines that the proposed operations can be done safely.

(6) The Captain of the Port may direct the movement of any vessel within the safety zone as appropriate to ensure the safe navigation of vessels through the safety zone.

Dated: January 23, 1995, 5 pm e.s.t.

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Commander, U.S. Coast Guard, Captain of the Port, Huntington, WV.

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POSTAL SERVICE

39 CFR Part 20

Discontinuation of Authorization to Use Domestic Postal Money Orders Internationally

AGENCY: Postal Service.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: The Postal Service is discontinuing the Semidomestic Money Order Service. The domestic money order form is no longer being used for payments to Anguilla; Antigua and Barbuda; Bahamas; Barbados; Belize; British Virgin Islands; Canada; Dominica; Grenada; Jamaica; Montserrat; St. Christopher and Nevis; St. Lucia; St. Vincent and the Grenadines; and Trinidad and Tobago. In place of the domestic form, the Postal Service will use the international postal money order form (MP1) when issuing a money order for payment in these countries.

EFFECTIVE DATE: March 1, 1995.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Al Gillum, (703) 905-3818.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Postal Service has received numerous complaints from foreign postal administrations regarding the acceptance of domestic postal money orders by the banking system in those countries. This practice circumvents the policies and procedures regarding the acceptance of international postal money orders agreed to within the Universal Postal Union.

The Postal Service is committed to enforcing the agreements with its foreign partners. A concerted effort is

being made to restrict the negotiation of domestic postal money orders to the United States and its possessions and territories, and the Freely Associated States (FAS). Possessions and territories are American Samoa (including Manua Island, Swain's Island, Tutuila Island); Baker Island; Guam; Howland Island; Jarvis Island; Johnston Island; Kingman Reef; Midway Island; Navassa Island; Northern Mariana Islands (including Rota Island; Saipan Island, Tinian Island); Palmyra Island; Puerto Rico; Sand Island; U.S. Virgin Islands (including St. Croix Island; St. John Island, St. Thomas Island); and Wake Island. The FAS are Marshall Islands (including Ebeye Island, Majuro Island); Palau (including Koror Island); and Micronesia (including Chuuk (Truk) Island, Kosrae Island, Pohnpei Island, Yap Island).

Semidomestic Money Order Service permits the negotiation of domestic postal money orders in the countries listed in the Summary. In order to restrict uniformly the negotiation of domestic postal money orders to the United States and its possessions and territories and to the FAS, it is necessary to discontinue Semidomestic Money Order Service.

In light of the foregoing, the Postal Service hereby adopts the following amendments to the International Mail Manual, which is incorporated by reference in the Code of Federal Regulations. See 39 CFR 20.1.

List of Subjects in 39 CFR Part 20

Foreign relations, International postal service.

PART 20—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for 39 CFR part 20 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 5 U.S.C. 552(a); 39 U.S.C. 401, 404, 407, 408.

2. Chapter 3 of the International Mail Manual is amended by revising subchapter 390 as follows:

CHAPTER 3—SPECIAL SERVICES

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390 Supplementary Services

391 International Money Orders

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[Revise section 391.11 by deleting "and Semi-Direct Service" to read as follows:]

International postal money order service is available to transfer funds to individuals or firms in countries that have entered into agreements with the United States Postal Service for the exchange of postal money orders. International postal money orders sent

by Direct Service may be sent by letter mail or Express Mail International Service (EMS).

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[Revise section 391.2 by replacing "three" in the first sentence with "two"; by deleting section 391.2a in its entirety and renumbering sections 391.2b and 391.2c to sections 391.2a and 391.2b, respectively; and by adding the countries in the Summary to the renumbered section 391.2b to read as follows:]

Postal money orders are exchanged with countries in one of two ways:

a. Standard international postal money orders. This method uses the Authorization to Issue an International Money Order form set. See Individual Country Listings.

b. Direct international postal money orders. This method uses the pink international postal money order form (MP1). The following countries accept this form: Anguilla, Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bolivia, British Virgin Islands, Canada, Cape Verde, Costa Rica, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Grenada, Guyana, Honduras, Jamaica, Japan, Mali, Mexico, Montserrat, Nigeria, Panama, St. Christopher and Nevis, St. Lucia, St. Vincent and the Grenadines, Sierra Leone, and Trinidad and Tobago. Money orders issued by these countries in U.S. dollars, with the exception of Jamaica and Trinidad and Tobago, are negotiable in the United States. There will be no money orders issued in Bolivia, Cape Verde, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Honduras, Mexico, Nigeria, Panama, and Sierra Leone for payment in the United States. The MP1 cards issued in Japan for payment in the United States must be shown in U.S. dollars preceded by the capital letters "USD."

Money orders issued in Mali for payment in the United States will be the standard international postal money order.

[Revise section 391.3 by replacing "three" with "two" in the first sentence; by deleting section 391.3a in its entirety and renumbering section 391.3c to section 391.3a; and by adding the countries in the Summary to the renumbered section 391.3a to read as follows:]

There are two separate fees for international money orders:

a. The fee for money orders payable in countries that accept the pink international postal money order form (MP1) is \$3 per money order. These countries are:

Anguilla