

THE INLAND POST AMENDMENT (No. 15) WARRANT, 1914.  
DATED DECEMBER 18, 1914.

1914. No. 1174.

We, the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of all powers given to us by the Post Office Act, 1908,<sup>(a)</sup> and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant, made on the representation of His Majesty's Postmaster-General (testified by his signing the same) and under the hands of two of us, the said Commissioners, order, direct, and declare as follows:—

Warrant to be read as one with Inland Post Warrant, 1903.

1. This Warrant shall be read as one with the Inland Post Warrant, 1903<sup>(b)</sup> (hereinafter referred to as "the Principal Warrant"), and all Warrants amending the same.

Repeal.

2. On and from the date upon which this Warrant comes into operation the Inland Post Amendment (No. 9) Warrant, 1907,<sup>(c)</sup> and the Inland Post Amendment (No. 10) Warrant, 1908,<sup>(d)</sup> are hereby repealed.

Rates of postage on literature for the blind.

3.—(1) There shall be charged and paid on postal packets consisting of literature for the blind the following rates of postage (that is to say):—

On every packet not exceeding 2 oz. in weight	...	0½d.
On every packet exceeding 2 oz. and not exceeding 5 lb.	... ..	1d.
On every packet exceeding 5 lb. and not exceeding 6 lb.	... ..	2d.

(2) "Literature for the blind" means books and papers impressed in "Braille," or other special type, for the use of the blind, but does not include newspapers impressed for the use of the blind and registered at the General Post Office for transmission by post.

(a) 8 E. 7. c. 48.

(b) Printed St. R. & O. Rev., 1904, "Post Office," pp. 8-35.

(c) Printed St. R. & O., 1907, p. 876.

(d) Printed St. R. & O., 1908, p. 714.

4. The following provisions shall apply to postal packets consisting of literature for the blind:—

- (a) Every packet shall bear on the outside thereof the inscription "Literature for the blind," and the written or printed name and address of the sender.
- (b) Every packet shall be subject to examination in the post.
- (c) Every packet shall be posted either without a cover or in a cover open at both ends and so that the same can be easily removed for the purposes of examination.
- (d) No packet shall contain any article not being literature for the blind (except a label which may bear the name and address of the person to whom the packet is to be returned).
- (e) No packet shall contain any communication or inscription either in writing or in ordinary type (except the title and table of contents of the book or paper, and any key to, or instructions for, the use of the special type).
- (f) No packet shall exceed 6 lb. in weight or two feet in length, or one foot in width or depth.

Special conditions relating to literature for the blind.

5. If any postal packet, consisting of literature for the blind and intended for transmission under this Warrant, is found, when in the post, not to comply with the conditions applicable to its transmission as intended, it shall be dealt with in manner provided by Clause 39 of the Principal Warrant in regard to other postal packets irregularly posted.

Irregular posting.

6. This Warrant may be cited as the "Inland Post Amendment (No. 15) Warrant, 1914."

Short title.

7. This Warrant shall come into operation on the 1st day of January, 1915.

Commencement of Warrant.

Dated this 18th day of December, 1914.

Date.

*John W. Gulland,*  
*William Jones,*

Two of the Commissioners of  
His Majesty's Treasury.

*C. Hobhouse,*  
His Majesty's Postmaster-General.