

SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

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LEGAL NOTICE NO. 401 OF 2020

POST OFFICE ACT

COMMONWEALTH AND FOREIGN PARCEL POST (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2020

In exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 5, 8, 12, 13 and 54 of the Post Office Act and all other enabling powers, the Government has made the following Regulations—

Title.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Commonwealth and Foreign Parcel Post (Amendment) Regulations 2020.

Commencement.

2. These Regulations come into operation on 16 November 2020.

Amendment to the Commonwealth and Foreign Parcel Post Regulations.

3.(1) The Commonwealth and Foreign Parcel Post Regulations are amended in accordance with the provisions of this regulation.

(2) After regulation 9, insert-

“Import Handling Fees.

9A. Subject to regulation 9B, any parcel or postal item with a commercial value of £25.00 or more shall be subject to payment of an import handling fee of £8.00 to the Royal Gibraltar Post Office.

Parcels with Gifts.

9B.(1) Where a parcel or postal item contains a gift from one person to another, the threshold of £25.00 for the commercial value of the parcel or postal item mentioned in regulation 9A shall be increased to £39.00.

(2) Where a parcel or postal item contains gifts that are for more than one person, the threshold of £39.00 for the commercial value of the parcel or postal item mentioned in subregulation (1) shall apply separately to each person provided the gifts are-

- (a) individually wrapped;
 - (b) marked individually by name and address to each person;
 - (c) declared separately on the applicable customs declaration;
 - (d) within the allowances specified;
 - (e) marked with the price for each individual item on the applicable declaration.
- (3) Where more than one parcel or postal item contains gifts that are addressed from one person to another, the commercial value of the gifts shall be added together for the purposes of calculating whether payment of the import handling fee mentioned in regulation 9A is applicable and only one import handling fee shall be payable in respect of those gifts.”.

Dated: 12th November 2020.

V DARYANANI,
Minister responsible for postal services,
for the Government.