

SUBCHAPTER B—INTERNATIONAL MAIL

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§ 20.1 Incorporation by reference; Mailing Standards of the United States Postal Service, International Mail Manual.

(a) *Mailing Standards of the United States Postal Service, International Mail Manual* (IMM) is incorporated by reference into this part with the approval of the Director of the Federal Register under 5 U.S.C. 552(a) and 1 CFR part 51.

(1) *Subscriptions*. Subscriptions to the IMM can be purchased by the public from the Superintendent of Documents, Washington, DC 20402–9375.

(2) *Inspection—USPS*. (i) Copies of the IMM, both current and previous issues, are available during regular business hours for reference and public inspection at the U.S. Postal Service Library, National Headquarters in Washington, DC. For access contact 202–268–2906.

(ii) Copies of only the current issue are available during regular business hours for public inspection at area and district offices of the Postal Service and at all post offices, classified stations, and classified branches. The IMM is available for examination on the internet at <https://pe.usps.gov>.

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(b) The Director of the Federal Register approved the IMM, issued April 7, 2025, for incorporation by reference as of May 23, 2025.

[87 FR 63424, Oct. 19, 2022, as amended at 89 FR 15474, Mar. 4, 2024; 90 FR 22012, May 23, 2025]

§ 20.2 Effective date of the International Mail Manual.

The provisions of the *International Mail Manual*, issued April 7, 2025, (incorporated by reference, see § 20.1) are applicable with respect to the international mail services of the Postal Service.

[90 FR 22012, May 23, 2025]

§ 20.3 [Reserved]

§ 20.4 Amendments to the International Mail Manual.

(a) The current issue of the IMM is incorporated by reference, see § 20.1.

(b) New issues of the International Mail Manual will be incorporated by reference into this part and will be available at <https://pe.usps.gov>. The text of amendments to the International Mail Manual will be published in the FEDERAL REGISTER and will be available in the Postal Bulletin, copies of which may be accessed at <https://usps.com/cpim/ftp/bulletin/pb.htm>. Successive issues of the IMM are listed in Table 1 to this section.

TABLE 1 TO § 20.4—INTERNATIONAL MAIL MANUAL

International Mail Manual	Date of issuance
Issue 1	November 13, 1981.
Issue 2	March 1, 1983.
Issue 3	July 4, 1985.
Issue 4	September 18, 1986.
Issue 5	April 21, 1988.
Issue 6	October 5, 1988.
Issue 7	July 20, 1989.
Issue 8	June 28, 1990.
Issue 9	February 3, 1991.
Issue 10	June 25, 1992.
Issue 11	December 24, 1992.
Issue 12	July 8, 1993.
Issue 13	February 3, 1994.
Issue 14	August 4, 1994.
Issue 15	July 9, 1995.
Issue 16	January 4, 1996.
Issue 17	September 12, 1996.
Issue 18	June 9, 1997.

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International Mail Manual	Date of issuance
Issue 19	October 9, 1997.
Issue 20	July 2, 1998.
Issue 21	May 3, 1999.
Issue 22	January 1, 2000.
Issue 23	July 1, 2000.
Issue 24	January 1, 2001.
Issue 25	July 1, 2001.
Issue 26	January 1, 2002.
Issue 27	June 30, 2002.
Issue 28	January 1, 2003.
Issue 29	July 1, 2003.
Issue 30	August 1, 2004.
Issue 31	May 31, 2005.
Issue 35	May 12, 2008.
Issue 36	May 11, 2009.
IMM	April 17, 2011.
IMM	June 24, 2012.

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International Mail Manual	Date of issuance
IMM	January 26, 2015.
IMM	July 11, 2016.
IMM	January 22, 2017.
IMM	March 5, 2018.
IMM	March 4, 2019.
IMM	July 1, 2020.
IMM	July 10, 2022.
IMM	January 21, 2024.
IMM	April 7, 2025.

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§ 20.5 [Reserved]