

ARTICLE 31.

Return of empty Air Mail bags.

1. Air Mail bags must be returned empty to the Administration of origin by surface route. When they number at least ten, a special mail is formed between Air Mail offices of exchange designated for this purpose; these mails are labelled "Sacs vides" (Empty bags) and numbered in an annual series. The letter bill shows the number of bags returned to the country of origin.

2. The provisions of §§ 5 and 6 of Article 151 of the Detailed Regulations of the Convention are applicable to empty Air Mail bags.

ARTICLE 32.

Application of the provisions of the Convention and Agreements.

The provisions of the Convention and Agreements, and their Detailed Regulations, except the Parcel Post Agreement and its Detailed Regulations, are applicable as regards everything which is not expressly provided for in the preceding Articles.

ARTICLE 33.

Entry into Force and Duration.

1. The present provisions shall come into force on the day on which the Convention comes into operation.

2. They shall have the same duration as that Convention, unless they are renewed by common consent between the parties concerned.

Done at Paris, the 5th of July, 1947.

(For the list of the signatory countries, see page 30)