UNIVERSAL POSTAL CONVENTION

TABLE OF CONTENTS

Part I

UNIVERSAL POSTAL UNION.

Chapter I.

Organisation and extent of the Union.

Art.

- Constitution and aim of the Union.
 Relationship with the United Nations.
- 3. New accessions. Procedure.
 4. Convention and Agreements of the Union.
- 5. Detailed Regulations.
- 6. Restricted Unions. Special Agreements.
- 7. Internal Legislation.
- 1. Internal Legislation.

 8. Colonies, Protectorates, etc.

 9. Application of the Convention to PROVISIONS REGARDING Colonies, Protectorates, etc.

 10. Extent of the Union CORRESPONDENCE.
- 10. Extent of the Union.
- 11. Exceptional relations.
- 12. Arbitration.
 13. Withdrawal from the Union. Cessation in the Agreements.

Chapter II.

Congresses. Conferences. Commissions.

Art.

- 14. Congresses.
- 15. Ratifications. Entry into force and duration of the Acts of Congresses.
- 16. Extraordinary Congresses.
- 17. Extraordinary Congresses.
 18. Executive and Liaison Commission.
 19. Composition. Functions. Working.
- 19. Conferences. 20. Commissions.

Chapter III.

Proposals made between meetings.

- Art.
 21. Introduction of proposals.
 22. Examination of proposals.
 23. Conditions of approval.
 24. Notification of decisions.
 25. Examination of decisions.
- 25. Execution of decisions.

Chapter IV.

Art. International Bureau.

- 26. General functions. 27. Expenses of the International Bureau.

Part II.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Chapter I.

Art.

- 28. Freedom of transit.
- 29. Prohibition of unauthorized charges.
- 30. Temporary suspension of services.

- 31. Monetary standard.
 32. Equivalents.
 33. Forms. Language.
 34. Postal Identity Cards.

PART III.

GENERAL PROVISIONS.

Chapter I.

Art. O and Surman The

- 35. Definition of correspondence.
- 36. Rates of postage and general conditions
- 37. Prepayment.
- 38. Charge on unpaid or insufficiently prepaid correspondence.
- 39. Surtaxes.
- 40. Special charges.
- 41. Articles liable to Customs duty.
- 42. Customs control.
- 43. Customs clearance fee.
- 44. Customs duty and other non-postal charges.
- 45. Correspondence for delivery free of charges.
- 46. Cancellation of Customs duty and other non-postal charges.
- 47. Express articles.
- 48. Articles for delivery to the addressee in person.
- 49. Prohibitions.
- 50. Methods of prepayment.
- 51. Prepayment of postage on board ship.
- 52. Exemptions from Postal Charges.
- 53. International Reply Coupons.
- 54. Withdrawal of correspondence. Alteration of address.
- 55. Redirection. Undelivered correspond-
- 56. Applications and Enquiries.