

ARTICLE 13

THROUGH MONEY ORDERS

Each Administration may make use of the medium of the other Administration to send money to countries or colonies with which the latter maintains regular Money Order exchanges.

The intermediary Administration is authorized to collect on its own behalf an additional commission duty to be levied on the amount of the Money Orders.

ARTICLE 14

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

The French Administration shall prepare a general monthly account setting forth all the amounts which one Administration owes to the other. This account, which is communicated in duplicate to the Canadian Administration, must show the balance in the currency of the creditor country.

For this purpose, the amount of the smaller credit is converted into the currency of the country having the larger credit, the basis of conversion being the mean of the official rates of exchange in the debtor country during the period to which the accounts relate. The difference between the larger credit and the smaller credit constitutes the balance.

ARTICLE 15

SETTLEMENT

The accounts are liquidated by the debtor Administration within the period prescribed by the detailed Regulations.

In the event of non-payment of the balance of an account within the prescribed period, the amount of such balance bears interest from the date of the expiration of the said period until the date on which payment is made. This interest is calculated at the rate of seven per cent per annum (7%).

ARTICLE 16

SUBSEQUENT MODIFICATION OF THE RULES RESPECTING GENERAL ACCOUNTS AND THEIR SETTLEMENT

The Rules set forth in articles 14 and 15 may be altered by agreement between the contracting Administrations whenever it would appear opportune to do so.

ARTICLE 17

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

The two Administrations shall draw up by common consent the measures of detail and order necessary for the execution of the present Convention. Such measures may be altered by common consent should it be necessary.

ARTICLE 18

SUSPENSION OF SERVICE

Each Administration may in extraordinary circumstances justifying the measure, temporarily or definitively suspend the exchange of Money Orders, provided notice be immediately given, by wire if necessary, to the other Administration.

ARTICLE 19

ENTRY INTO FORCE AND DURATION OF THE CONVENTION

This Convention shall supersede the Convention of June 20, 1884, and the additional Act of April 18/June 15, 1921. It shall come into operation from the day to be agreed upon by the Postal Authorities of each country.