ARTICLE 20

Accounting for Air Transport Charges

1. The gross or net weights of the Air Mail correspondence shown in Statements AV3 or AV4 are multiplied by a figure corresponding to the frequency of the summer and winter services, and the products thus obtained serve as the basis of special accounts determining in francs the transport payments accruing to each Office for the current half year.

2. The duty of preparing these accounts devolves on the creditor Office

which forwards them to the debtor Office.

3. The special accounts are prepared in duplicate and forwarded to the debtor Office as soon as possible. If the creditor Office has received no notice of amendments within an interval of 3 months reckoning from the date of despatch, this account is regarded as fully accepted.

ARTICLE 21

General Account

In the absence of any understanding to the contrary between the Administrations concerned, the general account of air transport charges is prepared twice a year by the International Bureau in accordance with the regulations fixed for the account relating to transit charges.

CHAPTER VI

Miscellaneous Provisions

ARTICLE 22

Special Marking of Air Mail Correspondence

Air Mail correspondence has affixed on despatch a special blue label or stamp impression bearing the words "Par avion" (By Air Mail) with a translation in the language of the country of origin.

ARTICLE 23

Partial Transmission by Air

If the sender desires that his correspondence shall be forwarded by air for part of the air route only, he must indicate this fact. At the end of the air transmission of this correspondence, the instruction and the Air Mail label "Par avion" as well as the special annotation must be struck through officially by means of two thick transverse strokes.

ARTICLE 24

Method of Despatching Air Mail Correspondence in Ordinary Mails

The method of despatch prescribed for Express articles by Article 55 of the Detailed Regulations of the Universal Postal Convention applies equally to Air Mail correspondence included in ordinary mails, with this exception that the word "Exprès" on the label of the bundles and in the column of the letter bills headed "Observations" must be replaced by the words "Par avion" (By Air Mail).

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