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Direct Notification among the Administrations

Any important change in the itinerary and stops along the international lines which may affect the delivery and receipt of air mail, shall be notified to the Administrations concerned at least 30 days beforehand by the Administrations having direct or indirect jurisdiction over the transportation company operating the service.

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Information destined to the International Bureau

1. The Administrations shall supply the International Bureau of Montevideo with the following data:

- (a) Surcharge rates fixed in the equivalent of their own currency with respect to the gold franc and the units of weight they have adopted;
- (b) A list of air lines under the direct or indirect jurisdiction of the respective Administrations and which may be utilized for the transportation of mail;
- (c) The rates payable on the basis of contracts, now in force or which may hereafter come into force, with the transportation companies;
- (d) The way in which they require settlement of the accounts for air transportation;
- (e) Complete timetables and itineraries of their internal and international network;
- (f) Copies of the contracts concluded for the transportations of air mail.

The Bureau shall be notified of any changes without delay.

2. The International Bureau of Montevideo shall supply the other Administrations of the Union with this information.

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Parcel Post

1. Subject to agreements among the Administrations concerned, the countries of the Postal Union of the Americas and Spain may exchange parcels by air mail, and establish limits of weight and volume.

2. This service shall be known as "ENCOMIENDAS AEROPOSTALES" (Aerial Parcel Post); it shall be subject to the reduced postage rates equivalent to the express rates of the operating companies, plus the territorial rates fixed by the Administration of origin and destination, which may not exceed 50 per cent of the amounts established by the corresponding agreement for ordinary parcels.

3. In regard to matters not provided for herein, the provisions of the Ordinary Parcel Post Agreement shall apply to the air mail parcel service, the inclusion of any personal correspondence being prohibited either in open or closed envelopes or wrappers.

4. The unit of weight in the air mail parcel post service shall be 500 grams or fractions thereof.

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Statistics

The Administrations utilizing the air routes for the exchange of parcels shall supply the International Bureau of Montevideo semi-annually with statistical data concerning this traffic.