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REGULATIONS OF EXECUTION OF THE CONVENTION OF THE POSTAL UNION OF THE AMERICAS AND SPAIN

concluded between

Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Chile, Ecuador, El Salvador, Spain, the United States of America, the United States of Venezuela, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, the Dominican Republic and Uruguay.

The undersigned, in the name of the Administrations they represent, have approved the following Regulations to assure the execution of the foregoing Convention:

ARTICLE 101

Exchange of Mails

1. The Administrations of the contracting countries may send to one another reciprocally, through the intermediary of one or several of them, both closed mails and correspondence in open mail, under the conditions fixed by the Convention and Regulations in force in the Universal Postal Union.

2. In cases of reforwarding, the contracting countries are bound to reforward the correspondence by the most rapid routes and means which they utilize for their own dispatches. Transportation will be gratuitous when it is a question of services which belong to its Administration, but they may charge the Administration of origin the same amounts they are obliged to pay when the onward transmission of the closed dispatches requires the services of foreign Administrations to which those charges must be paid.

3. When the intermediary Administrations referred to in the above Section must collect amounts from the foreign countries of origin for the use of services of foreign Administrations for onward transmission, they must make up the accounts for these expenses without exceeding, in any case, the charges fixed in the Universal Postal Union Convention and provided for in the rules established in its Regulations of Execution.

ARTICLE 102

Domestic postage rates and equivalents

The Administrations will communicate to one another, as soon as possible, through the intermediary of the International Office of the Postal Union of the Americas and Spain, all modifications of their domestic postage rates, as well as the equivalents of said rates in gold francs.

ARTICLE 103

Preparation of dispatches—Empty sacks

1. Dispatches containing correspondence exchanged between two countries of the Postal Union of the Americas and Spain will be prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Regulations of Execution of the Convention of the Universal Postal Union.