

(f) The repacking fee of 30 centimes of a gold franc at most, provided for in the corresponding Agreement of the Universal Postal Convention. This fee will be collected from the addressee or from the sender, according to the circumstances.

2. Parcels addressed to member of the Diplomatic and Consular Corps mentioned in Article 13 of the Convention will be exempt from the payment of delivery fees, except those addressed to the latter when they contain articles liable to payment of customs duties.

ARTICLE 7

Prohibition against other charges

The parcels of which the present Agreement treats may not be subjected to any other postal charges than those established in the foregoing Articles.

However, Administrations which agree among themselves on the admission of collect-on-delivery or insured parcels, will be authorized to collect the charges relative to these classes of articles.

ARTICLE 8

Responsibility

1. The Administrations will be responsible for loss, rifling or damage of ordinary or registered parcels.

The sender will be entitled, on that account, to an indemnity equivalent to the actual amount of loss, rifling or damage. This indemnity may not exceed:

- 10 gold francs for each parcel up to 1 kilogram;
- 15 gold francs for each parcel from 1 to 3 kilograms;
- 25 gold francs for each parcel from 3 to 5 kilograms;
- 40 gold francs for each parcel from 5 to 10 kilograms;
- 55 gold francs for each parcel from 10 to 15 kilograms;
- 70 gold francs for each parcel from 15 to 20 kilograms.

2. The indemnity will be calculated according to the current price of merchandise of the same kind at the place where and the time when the parcel was accepted for mailing.

3. For insured parcels exchanged between those Administrations which agree to establish this type of service, the indemnity may not exceed the insured value.

4. In order that responsibility of the Administrations may be properly determined, the exchange offices of destination, whenever they note irregularities calling for the preparation of a report, must describe the conditions under which the parcels were received, especially as regards the condition of the fastenings and containers, which shall be sent to the Administration of origin, accompanied by a copy of the report and the bulletin of verification issued in this connection, the covers and wrappers of the parcels in question and all other elements of proof.

ARTICLE 9

Parcels pending delivery

1. The period for which parcels must be held at the disposal of the interested parties at the office of destination is fixed at thirty days.

This period, which is counted from the day following the mailing of the notice of arrival, may, at the request of the addressee, be increased to three months if, in addition, the sender has made a statement to such effect in accordance with paragraph (d) of Section 2, and when the Administration of destination does not object to it.