

April 21, 1919.
May 10, 1919.

*Postal Convention between the United States and the Windward Islands.
Signed at St. Georges April 21, 1919, at Washington, May 10, 1919;
approved by the President, July 9, 1919.*

POSTAL CONVENTION

BETWEEN

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE WINDWARD ISLANDS.

Postal agreement
with the Windward
Islands as to rate for
letter postage.

By virtue of authority vested in them and in the exercise of the option granted by Section 2 of Article 21 of the Universal Postal Convention of Rome, Albert Sidney Burleson, Postmaster General of the United States of America and G. B. Haddon-Smith, Governor of the Windward Islands (including Grenada, St. Vincent, the Grenadines and St. Lucia) have mutually agreed that the prepaid postage rate applicable to letters mailed in the United States addressed for delivery in the Windward Islands shall be the rate (two cents an ounce) applicable to letters in the domestic service of the United States, and to letters mailed in the Windward Islands addressed for delivery in the United States the rate (one penny up to one ounce) applicable to letters in the domestic service of the Windward Islands. Letters unpaid or short-paid shall be dispatched to destination, but double the amount of the deficient postage, calculated at said rates, shall be collected of the addressees upon the delivery of such unpaid or short-paid letters.

Receipts.

Each country shall retain to its own use the postage collected on the letters in question.

Effect and duration.

This convention shall take effect and operations thereunder shall begin on the first day of July, 1919, and shall continue in force until terminated by mutual agreement; or may be annulled at the desire of the Postal Administration of either country upon six months' previous notice given to the other.

Signatures.

Done in duplicate and signed at Washington the 10th day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen; and at St. Georges the 21st day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

[SEAL.]

ALBERT SIDNEY BURLESON
Postmaster General of the United States of America.
G. B. HADDON-SMITH,
Governor of the Windward Islands.

Witness:

K. FERGUSON,
*Colonial Secretary,
Grenada.*

Approval.

The foregoing Postal Convention between the United States of America and the Windward Islands has been negotiated and concluded with my advice and consent and is hereby approved and ratified.

In testimony whereof I have caused the seal of the United States to be hereunto affixed.

[SEAL.]

WOODROW WILSON

By the President:

FRANK L. POLK
Acting Secretary of State.

WASHINGTON, July 9, 1919.