

Dear Sir/Madam,

In application of the provisions of article 34-101 of the Convention Regulations, the table in Annex 1 sets out the weighted average distances and corresponding rates per kilogramme for designated operators entitled to reimbursement of air conveyance dues within the country of destination, valid from 1 January 2024.

Calculation of the remuneration rates was based on the difference between the cost of air conveyance, limited by the basic air conveyance rate applicable, and the cost of surface conveyance. As indicated in circular No. 80 of 30 May 2022, the basic air conveyance rate for 2023 is 0.510 SDR/tonne-km.

Countries with a weighted average distance of less than 300 kilometres do not appear on the list and are not entitled to reimbursement of air conveyance dues.

Where the terminal dues levied by the designated operator of destination are based specifically on costs, domestic rates or self-declared rates set under article 29 of the Convention (those rates are hereinafter referred to as “country-specific terminal dues rates”), no additional reimbursement for internal air conveyance shall be made.

Therefore, the designated operator of destination is entitled to receive the full amount specified in Annex 1 only where mail flows from and between countries in the transitional system are below 100 tonnes. Those mail flows are subject to the payment of the terminal dues rate stipulated in article 31.11 of the Convention, which is not a country-specific terminal dues rate; therefore, the full additional reimbursement for internal air conveyance shall be made, i.e. the amounts set out in Annex 1.

Yours faithfully,

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Remuneration rates for air conveyance dues within the country of destination for 2024¹

<i>Designated operator</i>	<i>Letter post weighted average distance (km)</i>	<i>Rate (SDR/kg)</i>
Afghanistan	354	0.163
Australia	784	0.263
Bolivia	325	0.150
Brazil	995	0.305
China (People's Rep.)	1,319	0.529
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	314	0.133
Egypt	471	0.217
Ethiopia	330	0.152
India	910	0.395
Indonesia	420	0.193
Iran (Islamic Rep.)	418	0.181
Malaysia	1,142	0.525
Mexico	366	0.055
Myanmar	305	0.140
Nigeria	489	0.225
Pakistan	658	0.187
Papua New Guinea	501	0.231
Russian Federation	2,536	0.710
Saudi Arabia	381	0.175
Spain	404	0.125
State of Libya	439	0.202
Tanzania (United Rep.)	534	0.234

¹ The designated operators of the destination countries listed in the table are entitled to claim additional reimbursement for internal air conveyance in cases where terminal dues remuneration is determined in accordance with article 31.11 of the Convention.

<i>Designated operator</i>	<i>Letter post weighted average distance (km)</i>	<i>Rate (SDR/kg)</i>
Thailand	485	0.087
Türkiye	562	0.157
United States of America	1,734	0.341
Venezuela (Bolivarian Rep.)	335	0.145
Viet Nam	648	0.298
Zambia	354	0.163