



INDEPENDENT CONSUMER & COMPETITION COMMISSION

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**INCORRECT PRICE - 50 GRAM INTERNATIONAL STAMPS FOR ZONE 2**

The Independent Consumer and Competition Commission (Commission) regulates Post PNG Limited (Post PNG) under section 32 of the *Independent Consumer & Competition Commission Act 2002*. The Postal Services Regulatory Contract between the Commission and Post PNG sets out, amongst others, the price setting process for the following Postal Services:

- Standard 50 gram (or less) domestic letters;
- Standard 50 gram (or less) international letters within three international zones (Zone 1, Zone 2 & Zone 3); and
- The provision of small, medium and large post office boxes.

It has been discovered recently by the Commission that Post PNG has been charging its Zone 2 customers an incorrect price for the following regulated service since 01<sup>st</sup> January 2011:

Regulated Service	2011 Gazetted Price approved by ICCC	2011 Incorrect Price
Standard 50 gram (or less) international letters within Zone 2	K5.00	K7.00

Therefore, the Commission would like to inform the general public that directions have been given to Post PNG to undertake corrective measures and the price has now reverted to the gazetted rate of K5.00 as at 10<sup>th</sup> August 2011.

The Commission has made an undertaking that when determining the 2012 prices, the Commission will consider taking appropriate regulatory measures such as price reduction or similar as a deterrent to offset the over-charges made by Post PNG.

Should you have any queries or concerns about this matter, please contact **Mr. Paulus Ain**, Executive Manager - Prices, Regulatory Affairs and Special Projects Division on telephone number, 325 2144 or via email on [pain@iccc.gov.pg](mailto:pain@iccc.gov.pg).

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