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Commencement and Citation

Interpretation

(2) The Interpretation Act 1978 applies for the interpretation of this Scheme as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

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(2) In paragraph 4(1) of the principal Scheme after the definition of "terminal exchange" there shall be inserted the following definition:

" ' the appropriate telephone exchange ' in relation to a telephone exchange line or ' the appropriate telex exchange ' in relation to a telex exchange line mean respectively the telephone or telex exchange which in the opinion of the Post Office should serve that exchange line."

Liability of subscriber for charges

4.—For sub-paragraph (1)(c) of paragraph 24 of the principal Scheme there shall be substituted the following:

"(c) except where otherwise provided in this Scheme all charges (including any applicable call charges) in respect of or relating to or in connection with services or facilities rendered at the request of the subscriber or a person using the subscriber's installation or any other person who appears to the Post Office to be acting on the subscriber's behalf ;".

Personnal Calls—international etc.

5.—After paragraph 55 of the principal Scheme there shall be inserted the following additional paragraph:

"Personal Calls—international etc.

55A.—(1) Subject to the provisions of this paragraph, a person using an installation or a caller at a call office (in paragraph referred to as "the applicant") within the United Kingdom and the Isle of Man may book a call (not being a call to which paragraph 50, 52 or 55 applies nor a call not available from the call office in question) to a specified name and address outside the United Kingdom, the Isle of Man, the Channel Islands or the Republic of Ireland, for the specified purpose of communication with any telephone at that address, or to a specified telephone number outside the United Kingdom, the Isle of Man, the Channel Islands or the Republic of Ireland or a specified name and address outside the United Kingdom, the Isle of Man, the Channel Islands or the Republic of Ireland for the specified purpose of communication with a particular person identified by name or by such description as the Post Office may consider sufficient or connection to a particular department, correspondence reference, code number or extension number.

(2) The applicant when booking a personal call may specify:

(a) not more than one alternative telephone number or address after the first at which the person required may be found;

(b) not more than one substitute for the person required, who may be found at the first, or any specified alternative, telephone number or address; or

(c) two persons who may be found at the first, or any specified alternative, telephone number or address, with the requirement that unless both of them are available to speak to the call is not to be connected.

(3) Such personal charge as the Post Office may fix shall be paid in respect of a personal call if such a call is connected.

(4) The personal charge shall be payable in addition to any other charges payable under this Scheme for or in respect of the call where communication is established.”

Freefone Service

6. For paragraph 61(2) of the principal Scheme there shall be substituted the following paragraph:

"(2) The subscriber shall pay for Freefone service the charges specified in item 33 of Schedule 17 and in item 11 of Schedule 18, in respect of each installation to which the Freefone relates."

Rates of rental and maximum connection charges for telephone exchange lines

7. For Schedule 1 to the principal Scheme there shall be substituted the following: