



FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF DALLAS

Station K, Dallas, Texas 75222

Circular No. 84-26
February 13, 1984

TO: The depository institutions addressed in the Eleventh Federal Reserve District

ATTENTION: Operations Officer

SUBJECT: **Validity of Bahamian money orders**

SUMMARY: The Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas has been advised by the United States Postal Service that financial institutions in this country are refusing to honor money orders issued in the Bahamas. As stated in Circular No. 80-221, dated November 17, 1980, there is an agreement between the postal service and the Commonwealth of the Bahamas Domestic (USA) whereby Bahamian postal money orders will be accepted for payment by the United States Postal Service. This type of money order is valid, and institutions may deposit such money orders with the Federal Reserve just as they deposit U.S. postal money orders.

ATTACHMENTS: A photocopy example of the Bahamas Postal (USA) Money Order

MORE INFORMATION: Jackie R. Young, (214) 651-6297 at the Head Office; Eloise Guinn, (915) 544-4730 at the El Paso Branch; Louis Bryan, (713) 652-1581 at the Houston Branch; Rene G. Gonzales (512) 224-2141 at the San Antonio Branch.

ADDITIONAL COPIES: Public Affairs Department, Extension 6289

Bahamas Postal (U.S.A.) Money Order



U.S. 199047

Not good for more than largest amount indicated in this box.

10	50	120	220	320
20	70	140	240	340
30	80	160	260	360
40	90	180	280	380
60	100	200	300	400

DOLLARS	CENTS

May be cashed at any Money Order Office in the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Pay to the order of _____

AMOUNT TO
BE WRITTEN
IN WORDS

NAME OF PAYEE

Dollars and _____

Cents

Remitter _____

NAME OF REMITTER

REMITTER'S POSTAL ADDRESS

SIGNATURE OF ISSUING OFFICER _____

Void if Altered

ISSUING OFFICE

STAMP HERE

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