International Money Order Service
Between the United States and Japan

To All Depository Institutions in the Second
Federal Reserve District, and Others Concerned:

We have been asked by the U.S. Postal Service to advise you that a new international money order service has been inaugurated between the postal administrations of the United States and Japan.

The procedures for this new service vary somewhat from those for the processing of other international or domestic international postal money orders. In particular —

- The new service requires the use of a special pink form for international money orders being sent to Japan. (Other international money orders are yellow.)

- Occasionally, the purchaser will elect not to send an international money order out of the country and will name a domestic payee. This is permissible, and the item should be honored when properly endorsed.

- Money orders issued by the postal administration of Japan and presented for payment in the United States are also colored pink and are oversized documents. When presented for collection at a Federal Reserve Bank, these money orders should not be commingled with other items but should be presented in a separate cash letter.

Note that the maximum value of any international money order, including these money orders, is $700.

Printed on the following pages are exhibits showing the new money orders, compared with international money orders of other countries.

Questions regarding the issuance of these new money orders should be directed to the U.S. Postal Service at the following address:

The Money Order Division
International Branch
St. Louis, Missouri 63180-9420
(Tel. No. 314-425-4933)
In addition, inquiries about our collection procedures for these items may be directed to the following persons at this Bank:

At our Head Office
   Steven J. Garofalo, Manager, Check Processing Department (Tel. No. 212-791-5322)

At our Cranford Office
   Fred A. Denesevich, Regional Manager (Tel. No. 201-272-9000)

At our Jericho Office
   Anthony N. Sagliano, Regional Manager (Tel. No. 516-997-4500)

At our Utica Office
   Harry A. Curth, Regional Manager (Tel. No. 315-736-8321)

At our Buffalo Branch
   David P. Schwarzmuller, Operations Officer (Tel. No. 716-849-5018)
Exhibit A - Money order issued by the U.S. for payment in Japan or the U.S. (color pink)

Front:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA INTERNATIONAL POSTAL MONEY ORDER
(ADMINISTRATION DES POSTES DES ETATS-UNIS D'AMERIQUE MANDAT DE POSTE INTERNATIONAL)

Back:

SPACE FOR ENDORSEMENTS, IF ANY
CADRE RÉSERVÉ AUX ENDOSSEMENTS, S'IL Y A LIEU

PAYEE'S RECEIPT
QUITTANCE DU BÉNÉFICAIRE
RECEIVED THE SUM SHOWN OVERLEAF
REÇU LA SOMME INDIQUÉE D'AUTRE PART

PLACE AND DATE
LIEU ET DATE

SIGNATURE OF PAYEE
SIGNATURE DU BÉNÉFICAIRE
Exhibit B - Money order issued by Japan (color pink)

Front:

COUPON

Administration des postes du JAPON

MONAT DE POSTE INTERNATIONAL

Cours du change

Mandat en chiffres arabes

Somme payée

Date d'émission

January 7, 1985

Nom et adresse de l'expéditeur

Keiji HIGUCHI

American Marketing Association

10-6, Nishimoto-machi 1 chome,

Kokubunj i-shi,

TOKYO, 185 JAPAN

Nom du bénéficiaire

American Marketing Association

250 South Wacker Drive

Chicago, ILLINOIS 60606

Lieu de destination

Pays de destination

TOKYO, 185 JAPAN

U.S.A

Indications du bureau d'émission

N° du mandat

67

Somme versée

Y 86,450.00

Bureau

Date

Tokyo Central

January 7, 1985

Signature de l'agent

Registre d'arrivée

N°

Timbre du bureau payeur

Back:

Cadre réservé aux endossements, s'il y a lieu

Quittance du bénéficiaire

Reçu la somme indiquée d'autre part

Lieu et date

Signature du bénéficiaire

Registre d'arrivée
Exhibit C - English translation of Money Order issued by Japan

Front:

COUNTERFOIL
(May be detached by the payee)

Post office administration

INTERNATIONAL MONEY ORDER

Exchange rate

Space for postage stamps or indication of charge collected if applicable

Amount in arabic figures

Air mail in arabic figures

Amount in words and capital letters

Date of issue

Name and address of sender

Name of payee

Street and no.

Place of destination

Country of destination

Stamp of issuing office

Indications of issuing office

Money order No

Cash discount

Office

Date

Signature of the office

Back:

1. Space for endorsements, if any

2. Payee's receipt

3. Received the sum shown overleaf

4. Place and date

5. Signature of payee

6. Endorser

Signature of paying office
Other countries (except Japan) under International Money Order Agreements will continue to use the following money orders (color yellow)

Front:

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA POSTAL MONEY ORDER**

SERIAL NO. 8904096977
NOV 28 1984
MO. 15
DAY 20
YEAR 1984
CC. LIST
INT. NO. 847-309
INT. NO. 0036025
INTERNATIONAL REISSUE

**PAY NINE DOLLARS AND 38 CENTS**

**PAY TO:** UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE
SUPERINTENDENT OF DOCUMENTS
WASHINGTON DC 20402

FROM URS EGGLI
LERCHENBERGSTR 19
CH-8703 ERLENBACH
SWITZERLAND

**TOTAL:**

**$89.38**

**THIS MONEY ORDER IS INVALID AFTER** FEB 28 1985

**ON**

**LD 11 13 84**

Back:

**Endorsement Signature**

To the Cashier, require positive identification, do not cash if this money order appears to be altered.