



# Postal Services Act 2011

## 2011 CHAPTER 5

### PART 3

#### REGULATION OF POSTAL SERVICES

##### *Supplementary and consequential provisions*

#### **62 UK postage stamps bearing image of Her Majesty**

- (1) The Secretary of State may give a direction to a universal service provider requiring the provider to do either or both of the following—
  - (a) to issue United Kingdom postage stamps bearing the image of Her Majesty (“relevant stamps”) in cases specified in the direction, and
  - (b) to comply with provision specified in the direction in relation to any relevant stamps that the provider is required or proposes to issue.
- (2) A direction under subsection (1)(b) must include provision for relevant stamps not to be issued without the approval of Her Majesty.
- (3) The provision that may be contained in a direction under subsection (1)(b) includes—
  - (a) provision in relation to the design or subject-matter of relevant stamps (including the frequency of designs in any period specified in the direction), and
  - (b) provision conferring functions on persons (or a committee of persons).
- (4) A person to whom a direction has been given has a duty to comply with it.
- (5) That duty is enforceable in civil proceedings by the Secretary of State—
  - (a) for an injunction,
  - (b) for specific performance of a statutory duty under section 45 of the Court of Session Act 1988, or
  - (c) for any other appropriate remedy or relief.

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**Commencement Information**

**II** S. 62 in force at 1.10.2011 by S.I. 2011/2329, art. 3

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