

B.A.S. / 2 / 4

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SUBJECT:

EXPLORERS

DEFINITIVE - 1972

ARCHIVE

DCS 70

P.A.

DCS 71

PA

DCS 72 19/5

PA

DCS 73

PA

DCS 74

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DCS

Desp - 6/2

DCS

PA

AS 76 9/2

BU 10/2 ✓

AS BU 4/2

PA

DCS 87

Type -

PA

DCS 91

Type - 9/10

DCS

Desp - 8/10

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DCS 93

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DCS 96 27

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DCS 97

PA

DCS 100

Type - 15/2

DCS

DCS 102

PA

Des 103

Reg 103 II

PA

DCS 104

PA

DCS 105

BU 15/12/80

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CS 106

BU 15/12/80

DCS BU

Reg 105 (ref. pl)

PA

Type 14/7

DCS 14/7

PA

DCS 109

PA

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FS.

To see (5) pl.

25th 12/2

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D. I. S.

Seen, L. Y.

7 12/2

C.S.

It seems obvious the stock in question requires not I think we should authorize to reprint. From Agent's seem to have identified with the old reprint which only amounts to \$5000 stamps as opposed to the present \$20000.

8 25th 26/4/2

^{22/10/6}
Registry

Pl file (29) - (31) in chronological order
25th 9/6/29

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Registry

Send a copy of ② to
Pm quickly for his comments pl

4/5/10

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DTH
5/10

FS.

③ I think we need a reprint
as indicated but am not sure
of the financial position ie who
authorises - you or the CS - and
if funds are available.

DTH
6/10

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CS

B.A.T. estimates are not prepared by us so I have no idea if
funds are available or not.

Stamps are the main source of revenue and if stocks are running
low then we must have a reprint regardless.

Authorisation would be given either by CS or the Acting High
Commissioner.

rff
Ag FS
7.10.77

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Registry

There is a file showing the
chain of command and procedure
for financial matters. May I have
quickly please DTH-10/10

P.S. Copies for CS 1 ~~255~~
Postmark ~~214~~
Plan to 3/6
✓ J.S. 3/6

30 MAY 1969
SURVEY

R
862/69 R 1332Z 30/5/69

FROM LONDON
TO STANLEY

FOR GOVERNOR

BAT/1001/B/1/2 ^ CROWN STAMP BUREAU HAVE INDICATED THAT IN THEIR
OPINION BAT COULD INTRODUCE NEW DEFINITIVE STAMP SINCE LAST ISSUE
WAS 1963. A CONVENIENT DATE WOULD BE 1ST DECEMBER 1970.
IF YOU AGREE WOULD YOU PLEASE SAY WHAT YOU WOULD LIKE AS A THEME
AND WHETHER YOU CONSIDER ANY DENOMINATIONS SHOULD BE
DELETED OR ADDED TO NEW ISSUE.

REGARDING THEMES MAPS WOULD PROBABLY BE POLITICALLY OFFENSIVE,
SHIPS HAVE BEEN FEATURED FAIRLY RECENTLY, BIRDS HAVE APPEARED
AD NAUSEAM THROUGHOUT THE WORLD ALTHOUGH THE LATTER COULD BE
DILUTED WITH SEALS, FISH AND EVEN MICROFAUNA IN A WILD LIFE
SERIES.

CROWN HAVE SUGGESTED EXPLORERS (DECEASED) AS A POSSIBILITY
WHICH WOULD MEAN THAT THE PORTRAIT OF THE QUEEN WOULD BE REPLACED BY
THE ROYAL CYPHER. IF FCO RAISE NO OBJECTIONS, THEN THIS MIGHT
BE A REAL INTERNATIONAL GESTURE AND BE VERY POPULAR. GRATEFUL
FOR REASONABLY PROMPT CONSIDERATION.

EMPS/AM

No. 8

It is requested that, in any reference to this memorandum the above and date and be quoted.

MEMORANDUM



2 254
4th June, 19 69.

To: The Colonial Secretary,

From: O.i/c P & T Dept.,

Stanley.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

SUBJECT:- Proposed B.A.T. Definitive Stamp Issue 1970.

His Excellency the Governor has spoken to me on the above subject and asked me to put my thoughts through your office in order that you are conversant with the situation to date -

1. The 1st December 1970 has been suggested as the release date but this would preclude Halley Bay as the relief vessel does not normally sail for Halley Bay until early January. An alternative date could be 1st February 1971. ✓
2. December 1970 is too close to decimalisation which would mean that within two months they would need to be re-issued with decimal currency rates. ✓
3. H.E. suggested that we could overprint the current Definitive Issue in 1971 and then 18 months later bring out the Definitive Issue. Crown Agents need about 9 months notice for overprinting. ✓
4. This to my mind would be preferable to bringing out the issue in December, 1970 or even February, 1971 because by then Colony postal rates would be finalised and B.A.T. stamp values related thereto. It would also get away from B.A.T. changing their £1 stamp on 1st December, 1969 and then releasing a Definitive set 12 months later !
5. It might be well worth considering reducing the value of the proposed B.A.T. Definitive Issue by omitting the 10/- stamp, thereby making the set cheaper for collectors.

D.R. Munro

O.i/c P & T

Copy

From Postmaster,
Stanley

To: The Colonial Secretary,
Stanley

10.6.69

Subject: Stamp Issues of S. Georgia and B.A.T.
Your memo D/2/62 refers

I have considerable sympathy with philatelists who are being faced with a bewildering array of attractive stamps from every territory in the world. Stamps represent an easy and comparatively inexpensive method of acquiring money and it is the opinion of the GPO that over the next few years sales can be increased by expanding the market in America, Japan etc. From the expansion of markets it is not unreasonable to assume that we in turn should benefit but I have misgivings about the release of too many issues from small territories.

2. There has not been much in the way of new stamps from South Georgia which has had only one issue in the last six years, so I would say that the criticism against South Georgia was unwarranted. South Georgia appears to be losing its domiciled population and in future may have only members of the British Antarctic Survey as residents. I understand that a change in the £1 stamp is due shortly which may well engender further criticism.

3. The British Antarctic Territory is a different matter altogether. With the creation of the Territory it meant another stamp-issuing country was added to the hundreds of stamp issuers. B.A.T. has had their definitive issue since 1963, a Churchill commemorative 1966 and the recent commemorative issue. While this may not be considered excessive, I do not think that philatelists are going to like the change of the £1 stamp on 1st December of this year nor will they if they learn that a new definitive issue is in the offing!

4. B.A.T. stamps, I think, must be viewed against the background of a territory without any domiciled persons; the "inhabitants" are scientists under contract for a certain period. While it is true that they must have some form of postal facilities the Post Offices function more or less in the summer season only. From the philatelists point of view it is not easy getting covers franked in the territory and sometimes a wait of nearly a year is necessary. This is due I imagine to the fact that postal work must of necessity take second place to other more pressing work. Philatelists do not always see things in that light and say that if you have a stamp issue and Post Offices and derive money from sales then a good service should be provided. Neither South Georgia nor British Antarctic Territory has any internal mail service which is another argument for less need for stamps. Apart from the extra work South Georgia and B.A.T. issues make for the Post Office, I have had misgivings for some time about the effect on our sales of too many issues from South Georgia or B.A.T.

5. The Crown Agents advisers are prolific with suggestions for issues etc. which, if implemented, bring them in revenue as they receive 10% of what they sell.

(sgd) D. R. MORRISON
Postmaster

GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE

FALKLAND ISLANDSSENT256
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676 P4416 8/64

Number

Office of Origin

Words

Handed In at

Date

18/6/69

To

FM STANLEY
TO LONDON HQ

X/.../69 BAT/1001/B/1/2 from Governor. Proposed BAT definitive stamp issue. Having consulted interested persons locally, following are my views.

1. BAT one pound stamp is ~~already~~ being changed in December 1969 and decimalization is due February 1971. I suggest retention present set and overprint with revised decimal denominations for February 1971. New definitive set could come ~~in~~ out about February 1972 a relevant factor being inclusion of Halley Bay in first day of issue.
2. Deletion or addition of denominations being studied but exclusion of ten shilling stamp as in current Falklands definitive might encourage collectors.
3. Choice of theme is not easy and although deceased explorers seems quite attractive task of selection could present problems.
4. For production of really first class issue I recommend preparatory period of not less than two years.

Time

in 18/6

P.S. 3 copies please in 10/7

257
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1091/69 R 1010Z 9/7/69

FROM LONDON
TO STANLEY

HIGHCOMA.

BAT/1007/B/1/4 X/943/69 I AM INFORMED THAT OVERPRINT OF PRESENT DEFINITIVE ISSUE WOULD BE CONSIDERED BY PHILATELIC WORLD AS EQUIVALENT TO NEW ISSUE. IN VIEW OF LONG NOTICE WE HAVE HAD OF DECIMALISATION AN OVERPRINT FOLLOWED BY NEW DEFINITIVE ISSUE IN RAPID SUCCESSION WOULD BE REGARDED ADVERSELY BY PHILATELISTS. AS THEY PROVIDE MAIN REVENUE PERHAPS WE SHOULD TAKE NOTE OF THEIR VIEWS. WE ARE INVESTIGATING POSSIBILITY OF THE NEW ISSUE CARRYING BOTH LSD AND DECIMAL VALUES WHICH WOULD BE ORIGINAL AND ATTRACTIVE. THE VALUES WILL DEPEND ON WHAT THE NEW POSTAL RATES WILL BE. HOWEVER DIFFICULTIES DO ARISE WHEN ONE NEW VALUE CONVERTS INTO LSD VALUES (BOTH 2D AND 3D EQUALS 1 NEW PENNY). THE FOLLOWING SERIES WOULD OVERCOME THIS DIFFICULTY (NEW CURRENCY IN BRACKETS).

1D (1/2), 3D (1), 4D (1 1/2), 6D (2 1/2), 9D (4), 1/- (5), 1/3 (6), 1/6 (7 1/2), 2/- (10), 2/6 (12 1/2), 5/- (25), 10/- (50), 20/- (100).

VEF/JMA

P.S. After Darwin mail has gone, please ask O/C (Clements) to signal: X/.../69 BAT/1007/B/1/4 Thank you for explanation. Suggest we discuss first week in August in London".
10 Jul 1969 ✓ 8th 25/7

GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE

FALKLAND ISLANDS

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P1676 P4416 S/64

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To

FM STANLEY

TO LONDON HQ

X/1114/69 BAT/1007/B/1/4 from Highcoma. Thank you for explanation.
Suggest we discuss first week in August in London.



me

2747

Extract from letter written by T. A. Oldry, Security Printing
and Stamp Sales Division of Crown Agents, on the 11th August, 1969.

B.A.T.

Query to Fuchs.

We decided that the present definitive issue should be overprinted in the same manner as the Falkland Is. issue. An early start to be made with getting material for a new definitive perhaps featuring famous explorers. Mr. Salmon is at present taking this matter up with the Foreign and Commonwealth Office. It is appreciated that it will prove difficult to decide on who is to be depicted and on what values, particularly since neither Chile nor Argentina had any explorers who could be featured. However, since we seem to have exhausted just about all the other subjects relevant to this area, I feel that we should pursue this theme with the intention of producing a new issue for release in, say, 1972.

Postmaster

To note.

J 31/10

C.S. Noted ty.

4.11.69

*Cs. Please pursue with
SPT and BV on
my return on 22/1
from Feb 20/1*



2548

Reply at (266)

092/70 R 1510Z 19/1/70
FROM LONDON
TO STANLEY

BAT/100/B/I/10A HIGHCOMA/FUCHS PLEASE CONFIRM NEW BAT DEFINITIVE
ISSUE (OLD EXPLORERS) SHOULD HAVE IDENTICAL VALUES TO F1 ISSUES.
VEF/BEC

Note. Recd. late p.m. 20/1

~~260~~ 9

SPT


~~(25'9)~~

Grateful for your advice on attached. I assume the answer to be affirmative but with a suggestion (which may not find favour) that there be no £1 value.

J
10/2/11

(259)
C.S.

Attached - in the eyes of ~~the~~ philatelists stamp values should conform to postal requirements and this should be the aim of Administrations responsible for new definitive issues. F.I. have a £1 stamp which is in demand for heavy air mail (it is not uncommon to 16 £1 stamps on such mail) but in B.A.T. there is absolutely no use for a stamp of such high value and I have read unfavourable criticism of the practice in philatelic publications. Accordingly we would advise that B.A.T. drop the £1 but retain the 10s/- which should cover all postal requirements in Antarctica, lower values to be identical to the decimalised F.I. overprint.


21.1.70.

Y.E.

Phone is what I expected would be P.T.'s advice.

24/1

W
23/1

Your reference

242
Posts & Telecommunications Dept. 11

General Post Office,

Port Stanley,

Falkland Islands.

24th January, 1970.

In reply
please state:

1/6
24/1
P.S.

For H.E. this morning please.

Present	$\frac{1}{2}$ d stamp	=	$\frac{1}{2}$ new pence
"	$1\frac{1}{2}$ d	"	= 1 "
"	2d	"	= $1\frac{1}{2}$ "
"	3d	"	= 2 "
"	$3\frac{1}{2}$ d	"	= $2\frac{1}{2}$ "
"	$4\frac{1}{2}$ d	"	= 3 "
"	$5\frac{1}{2}$ d	"	= 4 "
"	6d	"	= 5 "
"	1/-	"	= 6 "
"	1/6	"	= $7\frac{1}{2}$ "
"	2/-	"	= 10 "
"	3/-	"	= 15 "
"	5/-	"	= 25 "
"	*10/-	"	= 50 "

* no 10/- stamp in Colony issue.

Above are the decimal equivalents suggested for B.A.T. new definitive issue. These are based on the equivalents accepted by Government in connection with the new Post Office Order. It will be noted that these are not actual equivalents but rounded off figures to correspond with the revised postage rates which come into force on 1st July, 1970.

S.
S.P.T.

SPT

File BMT 2 ii

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~~263~~

would you please scrutinize this draft telegram and when pass it back to me to show O/c.

If you have comments, please do not hesitate to make them. Postmaster may also care to see.

W
~~24/1~~
27/1/70

Y.E.

No comment on first page of draft. Second page - we consider it would be misleading to show both £.s.d. and decimal values. Reason - the decimal value is in conformity with the new rates of postage and in a number of cases bears no relation to the original £.s.d. value, e.g. 6d. becomes 5 new pence, 1/- becomes 6 new pence (actual equivalent ~~4d = 4.2 new pence~~ - 1p = 2.4d.)

§

27.1.70.

O/c.

As above. Any comments please

W 28/1

Y/E.

No comments of any sort from consideration that despite no Penny mail use for £1 R.A.T. Stamp has it a high philatelic value?

S. C. P.
28-1-70

Final version at (266)

GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE

FALKLAND ISLANDS

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To

FM STANLEY
TO LONDON HQ.

31/1 /70

X/!!!/70 BAT/100/B/1/10 A FUCHS/HGIECOMA (259)

I confirm that new BAT definitive issue should have identical values to proposed decimalized Falklands values except that I suggest that, subject to Crown Agents advice, BAT drop £1 value and have fifty new pence as highest value. Reason is that I am advised locally that stamp values should conform to postal requirements and while Falklands have a genuine use for £1 for heavy airmail there is virtually no use for such a high value stamp in BAT. Falklands has no ten shilling stamp at present and after decimalization Falklands will have no value between 25 new pence and £1.

New paragraph.

2. Number of Falklands stamps after decimalization will remain fourteen. Following table shown new values

halfpenny	becomes half new penny,
one penny	halfpenny becomes one new penny,
twopence	becomes one and a half new pence,
threepence	becomes two new pence,
threepence halfpenny	becomes two and a half new pence,
fourpence halfpenny	becomes three new pence,
fivepence halfpenny	becomes four new pence,
sixpence	becomes five new pence,
one shilling	becomes six new pence,
one shilling and sixpence	becomes seven and a half new pence,
two shillings	becomes ten new pence,
three shillings	becomes fifteen new pence,
five shillings	becomes twenty five new pence.

For BAT the fourteenth stamp would I suggest be fifty new pence, provided Crown Agents agree.

New paragraph.

3. Reference X/943/69 of 18 June 1969 and your BAT/1007/B/1/4 of 9 July glad to know your views regarding possible date of issue.

New paragraph.

4. Falklands postal authorities consider it would be misleading to show both LSD and decimal values because Falkland decimal values will conform to revised postal rates not yet published but which will be effective from 1st July 1970 and in some cases these will bear no relation to original LSD values.

New paragraph.

5. Grateful you consult Crown Agents regarding £1 value and 50 new pence value.

u (266) 271 1/4
0173/70 R 1115Z 5/2/70
FROM LONDON
TO STANLEY

BAT/1001/B/1 HIGHCOMA/FUCHS CROWN AGENTS STRONGLY ADVISE
RETAIN POUND STAMP MAKING A TOTAL OF 15. THEY CONSIDER IT
ACCEPTABLE PHILATELICALY AND A MONEY SPINNER. PLEASE SAY IF
YOU AGREE. FOR BAT HAVE PROVIDED CROWN WITH PHOTOS FOLLOWINGP

EXPLORERS AND APPROPRIATE SHIPS OR AIRCRAFT FOR ARTIST USE.
COOK BELLINGHAUSEN WEDDELL BISCOE D'URVILLE ROSS LARSEN
GERLACHE NORDENSKJOLD BRUCE CHARCOT SHACKLETON WILKINS ELLSWORTH
RYMILL TO APPEAR THAT ORDER ON HALF NEW PENCE TO POUND VALUES.
THIS IS SEVEN BRITISH EIGHT FOREIGNERS IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER. ONLY
EXPLORERS WHO WORKED IN AREA OF TERRITORY HAVE BEEN INCLUDED.
AS SEARCH AND COPYING THERE AND OTHER SELECTIONS FROM MANY SOURCES
DONE BY SPRI WOULD LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE £50 TO THAT INSTITUTION
FROM BAT FUNDS. DO YOU AGREE PLEASE?
FOR DEPENDENCIES ISSUE AM INVESTIGATING WHALING MATERIAL. PROBABLY
NECESSARY TO USE FOR ALTERNATE VALUES PICTURES OF DIFFERENT
WHALES AND WHALING SCENES. WILL REPORT FINDINGS. CROWN
SUGGESTING FOUR COMMEMORATIVE FID VALUES FOR 50TH ANNIVERSARY
SHACKLETONS DEATH SOUTH GEORGIA. ISSUE TO BE 1972 DO YOU APPROVE?
CROWN ADVISE THAT MEDALLION COMMEMORATIVE OF SHACKLETON ALSO BIG
MONEY SPINNER IF IN BRONZE AND SILVER PARTICULARLY SILVER.
MAY WE PROCEED?
VEF/BEC

3 copies please

GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE

FALKLAND ISLANDS

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P664 Wt. P2809 5/61 RWS 843

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Date

10/2/70

To FROM STANLEY
TO LONDON

(271)

X/141/70 BAT/1001/B/1 FUCHS/HIGHCOMA

(A) PROPOSED BAT DEFINITIVE ISSUE. WHILE ACKNOWLEDGING EXPERIENCE OF CROWN AGENTS IN PHILATELIC MATTERS ONE HAS TO REMEMBER THEY TAKE TEN PER CENT COMMISSION ON SALES AND BEFORE DECIDING ABOUT ONE POUND STAMP I WOULD LIKE THEIR VIEWS ON MY COMMENT THAT STAMP VALUES SHOULD CONFORM TO POSTAL REQUIREMENTS AND THAT THERE IS VIRTUALLY NO USE FOR SUCH A HIGH VALUE BAT STAMP.

(B) READILY AGREE TO CONTRIBUTE FIFTY POUNDS TO SPRI FROM BAT FUNDS AND GRATEFUL YOU PASS ON MY THANKS FOR RESEARCH.

(C) I ASSUME THAT THERE IS NO JUSTIFICATION FOR INCLUDING REPRESENTATIVES OF OUR TWO NEIGHBOURS AMONG INDIVIDUALS DEPICTED. GRATEFUL YOU CONFIRM.

(D) I NOTE YOU ARE INVESTIGATING WHALING MATERIAL FOR DEPENDENCIES.

(E) I APPROVE IN PRINCIPLE SHACKLETON ANNIVERSARY ISSUE.

(F) GRATEFUL YOU PROCEED WITH PRELIMINARIES FOR MEDAILLON. PRESUMABLY EARLY AGREEMENT RELATIVES IMPORTANT.

3 copies pl

0201/70 R 1110Z 12/2/70
FROM LONDON
TO STANLEY
X/141/70 HIGHCOMA/FUCHS



(A) CROWN AGENTS STATE THAT WORLD'S POSTAL ADMINISTRATIONS
NOW LOOK TO REVENUE FROM COLLECTORS AND IT IS GENERAL PRACTICE
THAT LOWER VALUES RELATE TO POSTAL NEEDS HIGHER VALUES BEING
TAILOURED FOR COLLECTORS. THEY SAY IT LOOKS MERCENARY BUT IS
REALISTIC AND CONSIDER BAT JUSTIFIED IN BENEFITING. THERE
WOULD NOT BE CRITICISM OF A POUND STAMP.
(B) SPRI MOST GRATEFUL FOR FIFTY POUNDS CONTRIBUTION.
(C) WE COULD NOT THINK OF ANY NEIGHBOUR'S REPRESENTATIVE
WHO WAS OF SUFFICIENT CALIBRE TO JUSTIFY INCLUSION.
(D) PROPOSED WHALING SUBJECTS WILL BE REPORTED LATER.
(E) POSSIBLE SUBJECTS FOR SHACKLETON ISSUE YET TO BE DETERMINED
(F) HAVE WRITTEN TO LORD SHACKLETON FOR AGREEMENT.
VEF/DMJ

3 copies pl

BAT proposed definitive issue ~~274~~

C.S. for information *J/13 1/2*

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SPT in action please.

(272) and (273)

I think I shall have to accept Crown Agents advice re point (A). However, this means a set of 15 stamps as opposed to Colony's 14. Any difficulty about that? Values would presumably be ^{13 values} as in paragraph 2 of (266) plus fifty new pence and £1, total 15 values.

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Y.E., w.f.s, C.S. *J/17 1/2*

Thank you.

No difficulty - except the handling problem which we are looking into. Values will be as above.

UK
18/2

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UK
18/2/70

275 18



0217/70 R 1516Z 16/2/70
 FROM LONDON
 TO STANLEY
 BAT/1001/B/1/18A FR CLAPP. IN CONSULTATION WITH CROWN AGENTS
 FOLLOWING OVERPRINTS OF CURRENT DEFINITIVE ISSUE ARE PROPOSED -

EXISTING BAT	EXISTING SOUTH GEORGIA	ALTERNATIVE OVERPRINT
1/2D. <i>1/2p</i>	1/2D. <i>1/2p</i>	BECOMES 1/2P
1D. <i>1p</i>	1D. <i>1p</i>	1P
1 1/2D. <i>1 1/2p</i>	-	1 1/2P (BAT)
2D. <i>2p</i>	2D. <i>1 1/2p</i>	2P
2 1/2D. <i>2 1/2p</i>	2 1/2D. <i>2p</i>	2 1/2P
3D. <i>3p</i>	3D. <i>2 1/2p</i>	3P
4P. <i>4p</i>	4D. <i>3p</i>	4P
-	5 1/2D. <i>4p</i>	1 1/2P (BAT) ?
6D. <i>5p</i>	6D. <i>5p</i>	5P
9D. <i>6p</i>	9D. <i>6p</i>	6P
1/- <i>7 1/2p</i>	1/- <i>7 1/2p</i>	7 1/2P
2/- <i>10p</i>	2/- <i>10p</i>	10P
2/6D. <i>15p</i>	2/6D. <i>15p</i>	15P
5/- <i>25p</i>	5/- <i>25p</i>	25PP
10/- <i>50p</i>	10/- <i>50</i>	50P
£1 <i>£1</i>	£1 <i>£1</i>	£1

PSE OBTAIN GOVERNOR'S AGREEMENT TO ABOVE. ALSO CROWN AGENTS
 REQUIRE ESTIMATE OF QUANTITIES OF ABOVE FOR SALES IN TERRITORIES
 COLONY ETC.
 CMR/DMJ

SPT
grateful your comments please.
EW 18/2
may be discuss Please.
e-af
11-27

Y.E. u.f.s. C.S.

Suggest you agree to proposed overprints as set out in the actual telegram at 275. There is an alternative for South Georgia as pencilled in by P.M. but as he says, it is immaterial whether the S.G. 2d. or 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. becomes 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ p.

Estimated requirements for one year for Stanley P.O., Bases and South Georgia :

(a)

BRITISH ANTARCTIC
TERRITORY

5,000 each @ $\frac{1}{2}$ p., 1p. and 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ p.3,500 " @ 2p., 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ p. and 3p.

5,000 @ 4p.

4,000 each @ 5p. and 6p.

3,500 @ 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ p.

3,000 @ 10p.

2,500 each @ 15p. and 25p

2,000 @ 50p.

1,000 @ £1.

(b)


SOUTH GEORGIA

3,000 @ $\frac{1}{2}$ p.2,500 each @ 1p., 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ p. and 2p.2,000 " @ 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ p. and 3p.

2,500 @ 4p.

2,000 each @ 5p., 6p., 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ p., 10p., 15p., 25p. and 50p.

1,000 @ £1.



19.2.70

GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE

FALKLAND ISLANDS

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WAP 15142-821 584578/790938 500 pds 12/68 Grp.782

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18/2/70

To

FROM STANLEY
TO LONDON HQ

X/168/70 0201/70 from Highcom.

BAT definitive issue inclusion of 50 new pence and £1 agreed.

Time

Copy of letter from Crown Agents:

NLD/BAT 0/06780

'H' Department,
St. Nicholas House,
Sutton,
Surrey

13th July, 1970

Dear Sir,

We have been asked by the Director of the British Antarctic Survey in London to forward to you care of Mr. Robbins of the Foreign and Commonwealth Office, rough designs in respect of the following issues of postage stamps.

B.A.T. New definitive stamp issue

South Georgia new definitive stamp issue

South Georgia stamp issue commemorating the 50th
Anniversary of the death of Sir Ernest Shackleton.

We are therefore enclosing the designs for your approval and look forward to receiving your comments at the earliest opportunity. If possible, the return of the designs by mid September would be appreciated so that finished artwork can be produced with the minimum of delay.

Yours faithfully,

M. G. J. Welsh (Mrs.)
for the Crown Agents

Sir Cosmo Haskard, K.C.M.G., M.B.E.,
Governor of the Falkland Islands,
c/o Mr. K. Robbins,
Room 273,
Foreign and Commonwealth Office,
King Charles Street, S.W.1

Copy of letter from Crown Agents:

HLD/BAT O/06780

'H' Department,
St. Nicholas House,
Sutton,
Surrey

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We are therefore enclosing the designs for your approval and look forward to receiving your comments at the earliest opportunity. If possible, the return of the designs by mid September would be appreciated so that finished artwork can be produced with the minimum of delay.

Yours faithfully,

M. G. J. Welsh (Mrs.)
for the Crown Agents

Sir Cosmo Haskard, K.C.M.G., M.B.E.,
Governor of the Falkland Islands,
c/o Mr. K. Robbins,
Room 273,
Foreign and Commonwealth Office,
King Charles Street, S.W.1

Your reference

In any reply
please quote :


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General Post Office,

STANLEY, Falkland Islands.

17th August, 1970.

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Comments on proofs of the proposed new definitive issue for B.A.T.

- 1p. Flag is blowing out in opposite direction to billow of sails.
As ship is in calm water suggest the flag be drooped accordingly.
Bellingshausen appears as though he were suffering from a chronic bout of biliousness and dental disorders and the portrait has not reproduced very well at postage stamp size. The portrait in volume I of "The voyage of Captain Bellingshausen to the Antarctic seas 1819-1921" (translated from the Russian and edited by Frank Debenham, O.B.E., M.A.), would probably reproduce better.
- 2p. While it is realised that the portrait of John Biscoe is fictitious, his dress, etc. would appear to be too modern for the period of his voyage.
- 1½p. and 2½p.
Suggest the value tab be raised slightly above the water line of the iceberg.
- 15p. The portrait of Shackleton selected for the South Georgia Shackleton commemorative issue is the better of the two. Likewise the "Endurance" beset in the Weddell Sea on the South Georgia proofs. Suggest both be used on the B.A.T. definitive.
- 25p. Was not Wilkins' beard dark at the time of his expedition? Suggest an earlier portrait would be more appropriate - preferably wearing Antarctic clothing rather than dinner jacket. No door on starboard side of aircraft - is this correct?
- 50p. Starboard wing of aircraft appears to out of proportion to body of aircraft and tailplane appears odd.
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19 August, 1970

Reference BAT/2/5

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With an issue of this sort it will of course be necessary to have clearance from the Foreign and Commonwealth Office at an early stage in view of the fact that nationals of various foreign countries are to be portrayed. Copies of this letter are therefore being addressed to Mr. A. C. W. Lee of the Gibraltar and S. Atlantic Department of the Foreign and Commonwealth Office and to Sir Vivian Fuchs, Director of the British Antarctic Survey. It would be a pity if considerable work were to be done on preparation of the stamps only to find that there were some political objection.

The general design of the stamps themselves with the portraits of distinguished explorers and representations of their ships is imaginative and the set could give rise to considerable interest.

The comments in the following paragraphs concern items of detail but are, I feel, none the less important.

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~~Base Commander, S. Georgia~~
O.I.C., B.A.S., Stanley
Director, B.A.S., London
C.S.

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1p Value - Bellingshausen and the Vestok

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The St. Andrews Cross flying from the ship seems to be blowing out almost in the opposite direction to the billow of the sails and as the ship is in calm water I would suggest that the flag be shown in a more droopy position.

1p Value - James Weddell and the Jane

Presumably Weddell's eyes were as portrayed and they look less unflattering in the stamp size reproduction than in the large scale. I suggest that the waterline of the iceberg be shown a little lower than in the art work so that the bottom of the value tab does not coincide with the waterline.

2p Value - John Biscoe and the Tula

While it is recognised that the portrait is fictitious due to absence of an authentic drawing or painting, I have the impression that Biscoe's dress and the style of his moustache belong to a slightly later period than that of his voyage.

2p Value - D'Urville and the Astrolabe

Some alteration in the waterline of the iceberg would be helpful here so that the value tab is perfectly clear.

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No Comment.

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1s Value - Byrd and the Penola

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✓ Done 20/8/70

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THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE
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QUOTED IN COMMUNICATIONS.

LD/BAT 0/06780/1

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Telephone: 01-643 3311

Telex No: 261786

CROWN AGENTS

FOR OVERSEA GOVERNMENTS AND ADMINISTRATIONS

'H' Department,

ST. NICHOLAS HOUSE,

SUTTON,

SURREY.

21st September, 1970.

Dear Sir,

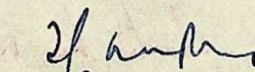
Thank you for your letter No. BAT/2/5 of 19th August 1970 relating to the proposed new definitive issue of postage stamps for the British Antarctic Territory. We also confirm that the rough designs were received at this office under separate cover.

As requested, the rough designs prepared for this issue have been forwarded to Mr. A.C.W. Lee of the Gibraltar and South Atlantic Department of the Foreign and Commonwealth Office in order to obtain clearance at this early stage, in view of the nationals of various foreign countries being portrayed on the designs.

We are pleased to note that the general design of the stamps with the portraits of distinguished explorers and representations of their ships has been found imaginative and we agree that this attractive set of stamps could give rise to considerable interest in the philatelic world.

Your comments regarding items of detail have been duly noted.

Yours faithfully,



T. LANGLEY

for the Crown Agents.

Sir Cosmo Haskard, K.C.M.G. M.B.E.
Governor of the Falkland Islands,
Government House,
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

any comments you, after consultation with PPT as may be necessary, have to offer.

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S.P.T.

My comments - I am now

[Signature]
2-1-71

OIC, BAS.

Notes - no comments

[Signature]

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Thank you for letter No. 24725 of 19th March 1970 relating to the proposed new definitive issue of postage stamps for the British Antarctic Territory. The stamps that the rough designs were received at this office under separate cover.

As requested, the rough designs were sent for the issue have been forwarded to Mr. J. J. of the Polar and Southern Atlantic Department of the Post Office in order to obtain clearance at this early stage, in view of the nationalities of various countries being portrayed on the designs.

[Signature]
14-1-71

As discussed at home, the general design of the stamps with the motifs of distinguished explorers and representations of their ships has been found imaginative and we agree that this attractive set of stamps could give rise to considerable interest in the philatelic world.

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M.Hed.

2 The file should be submitted to Mr Lewis to see in due course. There is no hurry about it. If the second half of 1972 is the date tentatively contemplated for issue, gearing up will not need to start until 1971. I suggest you arrange to B.A. to Mr Lewis on 1.4.71.

[Signature] 14/1/70

0342/71 R 1535Z 24/2/71

FROM LONDON
TO HIGH COMA

BAT/1001/C/70A BAT DEFINITIVE ISSUE "EXPLORERS" (TO
REPLACE PRESENT DEFINITIVE OVERPRINTS). THIS ISSUE DUE FOR
RELEASE 14TH FEBRUARY, 1973. CROWN WISH TO GET THIS ISSUE
UNDER WAY AGAIN AND THERE IS GROWING URGENCY DUE TO DIFFICUL-
TIES IN PRINTING INDUSTRY

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GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE

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WAP 12/12-821 584578/790938 500 pds 12/68 Grp.782

Number	Office of Origin	Words	Handed in at	Date
	R		1945Z	25.2.71

To
FM STANLEY
TO LONDON

X/210/71. 0342/BAT/1001/C/70A. IT WOULD SEEM FROM THE IMPLICATIONS OF YOUR SIGNAL THAT SOME ACTION IS BEING EXPECTED FROM HERE. LAST ON THE SUBJECT WAS LETTER OF 19TH AUGUST 1970 REF BAT/2/5 TO H DEPARTMENT OF CROWN AGENTS (COPIED TO DIRECTOR BAS LONDON) AND MR LANGLEY'S LETTER HD/BAT/0/06780/1 OF THE 21ST SEPTEMBER 1970 WHICH ACKNOWLEDGED RECEIPT. IT SEEMS THE NEXT STEP WAS TO HAVE COME FROM MR A C W LEE OF GIBRALTAR AND SOUTH ATLANTIC DEPT OF FOREIGN AND COMMONWEALTH OFFICE. WHAT IS YOUR PROBLEM PLEASE.=

ECJC/-

Time

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0380/71 R 1100Z 5/3/71
FROM LONDON

STANLEY

BAT/1001/B/1/77C. X/210/71. PLEASE AMEND REF NO. ON
OUR 0342/71 TO BAT/1001/B/1/77A). THE PROBLEM LIES IN
GOVERNORS PREROGATIVE TO APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE DESIGNS OF
POSTAGE STAMPS IN HIS TERRITORY. SIR COSMO HASKARD APPROVED
ISSUE IN PRINCIPLE AND MADE CERTAIN COMMENTS WHICH HAVE BEEN
RECTIFIED BY CROWN. BRIAN ROBERTS. MISS FARRELL AND THE GEB
AND S. ATLANTIC DEPT AT FCO AGREE TO THEME IN PRINCIPLE. WE
HAVE MORE UP-TO-DATE PHOTO RYMILL AND ALSO HAVE SINCE HAD
ACCESS TO OIL PORTRAIT, BRUCE. DO YOU WISH US TO MODIFY
STAMPS ACCORDINGLY?

MODIFICATIONS, OF COURSE, COST MONEY.
EMPS/JP



CORRECTION :- MISS FARRELL AND THE 'GIB' AND S. ATLANTIC DEPT.

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To BHS LONDON

11th March 1971

YOUR BAT/1001/B/1/77C X/210/71 I DO NOT REGARD
MY RESPONSIBILITY IN THESE MATTERS AS NECESSARILY
BEING A PROBLEM PLEASE MODIFY STAMPS
ACCORDINGLY, LEWIS

G. H.

Time

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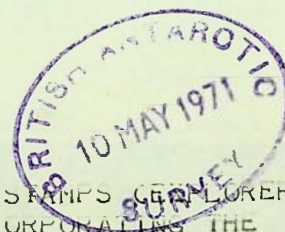
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To				A/c K.O.
BAS LONDON FROM HIGHCOMA				

18th March 1971

YOUR BAT/1001/B/1/7DA. WILCO. MY MESSAGE WAS INTENDED FOR THE CROWN
AGENTS AND NOT YOU; - EXCLAM

THQS/0663/71 R 1514Z 10/5/71
FROM LONDON
TO STANLEY

BAT/1001/B/3/36 FOR HIGHCOMA BAT POSTAGE STAMPS (GERALD LORRES)
CROWN ARE NOW GOING AHEAD WITH THIS ISSUE INCORPORATING THE
ADJUSTMENT REQUIRED BY SIR COSMO HASKARD IN HIS LETTER OF THE 19TH
AUGUST 1970 (REF BAT/2/50). * FURTHER THE STAMPS DEPICTING BRUCE
AND KIMILL ARE BEING REDESIGNED IN VIEW OF LATER MATERIAL WHICH HAS
COME TO HAND. THESE LATTER TWO DESIGNS WILL BE FORWARDED TO YOU FOR
YOUR APPROVAL. THE DEPICTION OF WILKINS IN A D U HAS BEEN LEFT TO
STAND AS THIS IS QUITE IN KEEPING WITH HIS NORMAL MODE OF LIVING.
EMPS/AM



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MEMORANDUM

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It is requested that, in any reference to this memorandum the above number and date should be quoted.

22 June 19 71

To: O.i/c Br. Antarctic Survey,

Stanley.

From: Postmaster

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

SUBJECT:- Estimated requirements of B.A.T. Definitive Stamp Issue (Explorers)

The estimated requirements for sales in the Falklands and British Antarctic Territory are - up to 10p values 30,000 of each
above 10p values 20,000 of each.

D. Phelan
Postmaster.

GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE

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Number	Office of Origin	Words	Handed in at	Date
	R		1555Z	24.6.71

To FM STANLEY
TO LONDON

X/518/71. HQS/0833/BAT/1001/A/76A. "EXPLORERS" DEFINITIVE ISSUE REQUIREMENTS ARE: UP TO 10P VALUES 30,000 (THIRTY THOUSAND) OF EACH VALUE.
ABOVE 10P VALUE 20,000 (TWENTY THOUSAND) OF EACH VALUE.

ECJC/-

HQS/0934/71
FROM LONDON
TO STANLEY

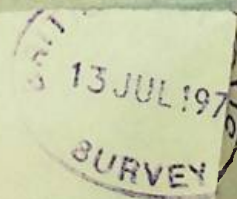
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CROWN.

R 1119Z

13/7/71

X/518/71

HAVE PASSED YOUR REQUIREMENTS TO



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EXTRACT FROM TEL HQS/0833/41 OF 21.6.71.

CROWN HAVE ALREADY BEEN TOLD TO GO AHEAD AS PER MY HQS/0663/71.
ROYAL SCOTTISH GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY HAVE CONFIRMED THAT THE BEST
PORTRAIT OF BRUCE IS THAT WHICH WAS USED IN THE DESIGN SEEN BY
SIR COSMO. THEREFORE SEEMS THIS NOW RESOLVED.
CROWN HAVE BEEN ASKED TO FORWARD ROUGH DESIGN OF REMAINING
"UNAPPROVED" DESIGNS (EL RYMILL) TO YOU FOR YOUR COMMENTS."

Y/E : BRUCE DESIGN WAS NEVER, IN THE INITIAL STAGES QUERIED.
WE ARE NOW BACK TO THE ORIGINAL DESIGN SUBMITTED WHICH WAS
ACCEPTED. SUGGEST NO ACTION NECESSARY. FOR YOUR INFO
THE PROOFS SUBMITTED WERE STUDIED AND COMMENTED ON BY THOSE
PERSONS WHO NOW MAKE UP THE STAMP CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE.
MAY I SUGGEST THE NEW RYMILL PROOFS BE SEEN BY THEM

Sgd. E.C.J. Clapp, O.I/c.,
22.6.71

Mr. Clapp : As you suggest.

Sgd: E.G.L.
24/6/71

BRITISH ANTARCTIC SURVEY

DIRECTOR: SIR VIVIAN FUCHS

30, GILLINGHAM STREET, S.W.1

TELEPHONE: 01-834 3687

TELEGRAMS: POLASURVEY, LONDON-SW1

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Mr. L. Hall
Pl. speak
B. C. J.
12/8

BAT/1001/B/iii/56

13th July, 1971.

to Mr. Lewis,

British Antarctic Territory
Definitive Stamp Issue
"Explorers"

Would you please examine the rough art work of the £1 denomination which portrays Rymill who led the British Graham Land Expedition, 1934-37.

The Crown Agents would be grateful for your comments immediately as they wish to go forward with production.

Yours sincerely,

E. M. P. Salmon.

E. M. P. Salmon,
ACCOUNTING OFFICER.

H.E. The Governor,
Government House,
Port Stanley,
FALKLAND ISLANDS,
SOUTH ATLANTIC.

BRITISH ANTARCTIC SURVEY
FALKLAND ISLANDS
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Number **R** Date **13.9.71** Time **14.55Z**

FM STANLEY OFFICE
To LONDON HQ
INFO

X/662/71. FOR SALMON FROM HIGHCOMMA. LETTER BAT/1001/B/3/56 RYMILL PORTRAIT.
SECOND ROUGH, THAT IS RIGHT FACE PROFILE, PREFERRED. ART WORK BEING RETURNED
NEXT OPPORTUNITY.=

ECJC/-

Time

16th August, 1971.

Dear Mr. Salmon,

I refer to your letter BAT/1001/B/iii/56 of 13th July, 1971, and also to my signalled reply X/662/71.

As indicated in my signal I find the 2nd Rough, that is, the full right face profile, much the more attractive.

The artwork is returned.

E.G. Lewis,
HIGH COMMISSIONER

E.M.P. Salmon, Esq.,
British Antarctic Survey,
London.

HQS/1678/71 R 1630Z 20/12/71

FROM LONDON
TO STANLEY

BAT/1001/B/1111/71A FOR POST MASTER. BAT NEW DEFINITIVE
EXPLORERS) ISSUE. WOULD YOU CONFIRM HOW MANY 1/2P AND 1P
VALUE STAMPS YOU REQUIRE FOR LOCALRUSE ASAP, PLEASE
EMPS/DNJ

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BRITISH ANTARCTIC SURVEY
20 DEC 1971

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FALKLAND ISLANDS

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Number	R	Date	22.12.71	Time	1915Z
FM	STANLEY OFFICE				
To	LONDON HQ				
INFO					

X/ 1114 /71. HQS/1678/BAT/1001/B/111/71A. DOES NOT X/518/71 OF 24/6/71
ANSWER YOUR QUERY. POSTMASTER CONFIRMS ORDER STANDS AS STATED IN X/518/71.

ECJC/-

HQS/0366/72 PRIORITY 1338Z 23/3/72
FROM LONDON
TO STANLEY
BAT1001/B/1111/79A FOR HIGHCOMA CROWN HAVE RECEIVED TENDERS
FOR PRODUCTION OF EXPLORERS DEFINITIVE AND RECOMMEND WE ACCEPT
LOWEST AT £3771.05. GRATEFUL FOR IMMEDIATE REPLY AS TIME NOW
SHORT
EMPS/LC

23 MAR 1972
SURVEY

BRITISH ANTARCTIC SURVEY

FALKLAND ISLANDS

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To	LONDON HQ				
INFO					

X/ 234 /72. HQS/0366/BAT/1001/B/111/79A. FROM HIGHCOMA. AS LONG AS CROWN ARE
SATISFIED THAT THE LOWEST TENDER GIVES THE NECESSARY STANDARD PLEASE GO AHEAD.

ECJC/-

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Mⁿ 6/11/11 J. J. J. 23/3

V/E

Please see Page 40C of this file. May I suggest your reply be in the affirmative as long as Crown Agents are satisfied that the lowest tender gives the necessary standard.

I remember a case some three years ago whereby Crown Agents recommended to Colony a lowest tender but, if I remember correctly, Colony did not accept this because they were not happy that the tender reflected the standard required.

I would say that as long as we made this little point in Para 1 we could go ahead to Crown Agents recommendations.

E.C.J. Clapp

E.C.J. Clapp, O.I/c.,
B.A.S. Office, Stanley.

23.3.72

Telegrams Crown Sutton
Telephone 01-643 3311
Telex 267103

CROWN AGENTS

FOR OVERSEA GOVERNMENTS AND ADMINISTRATIONS

H Division

ST NICHOLAS HOUSE

SUTTON

SURREY

Our ref H1B/BAT 0/06780

Your ref

Date 12 April 1972

Governor of the Falkland
Islands
Port Stanley
FALKLAND ISLANDS

Dear Sir

B A T NEW DEFINITIVE

... Under cover of this letter, we enclose one set of stamp
size bromides in respect of the above issue. These are
for your retention.

Yours faithfully

A F Oliver

A F Oliver
for the Crown Agents

SW/IMP

PROVISIONAL SHIPPING ADVICE

THE CROWN AGENTS

report that the following
shipment is expected:-

Consignee:-

SECRETARY BAS

Contractor:-

MR. FAULKES,
QUESTA COLOUR SECURITY PRINTEERS,
PARKHOUSE STREET,
LONDON, SE5.

Date 15.9.72	Customs assigned number CAN 16050	
C.A. Reference H1B/BAT 0/06780/1		
Account No. 075000	Authority HIGH MATCOM TCM 25/3/72	
Department BAT		
233		BAT

LOADING DETAILS

Dock/Wharf

DENTONS WHARF, GRAVESEND

Date(s)

a.m. 19 September 1972

MV/SS

AES

Port of Loading

LONDON

Port of Discharge

Final Destination (if on-carriage)

STANLEY

The sailing date is normally some 5/10 days
after the stated loading date mentioned in this
advice.

The particulars given in the schedule below
were those furnished by the contractor, when
forwarding instructions were issued and are not
necessarily accurate.

Marks and Numbers	Number and kind of packages; description of goods		Gross Weight Kilos	Cube Metric
Reqn 06780/1				
C A HIGH COMA BAT STANLEY HIGH COM TCM 25/3/72 8166	1 case POSTAGE STAMPS		98	0.186m
			Net Weight Kilos	Value £
			77	529.00

Metric measurements of packages

Length	Breadth	Depth
	cms	
75	54	46

The Bill of Lading and Invoice will be despatched as soon as possible. It should be
understood, however, that shipment is not yet confirmed.

Note to Contractor:-

Stowage order sent to you on 15/9/72

H1B / BAT 1/34188

All letters to be addressed to the CROWN AGENTS this reference being quoted

CROWN AGENTS
for Oversea Governments and Administrations.
H Division

ST. NICHOLAS HOUSE
SUTTON, SURREY.

Telegrams: "Crown, Sutton"
Telephone: 01-643 3311
Telex No: 267103

26 September 1972

The High Commissioner
British Antarctic Territory
Port Stanley
FALKLAND ISLANDS

Dear Sir

We have to inform you that the new definitive postage stamps for the British Antarctic Territory have been loaded on to the AES vessel which sailed from the UK on 19 September. These stamps are packed in one case No 8166. The Silver Wedding stamps packed in Case No 8312 were also loaded on to this vessel. We trust these stamps will reach you safely.

Yours faithfully

A F Oliver

A F OLIVER
for the Crown Agents

P. S. The estimated time of arrival is 21 October.

cc Mr Salmon
Accounting Officer
British Antarctic Survey
30 Gillingham Street
LONDON SW1

SW/SU/AEW

*H.E. Thank you / g.y.
for info & return*

13/10

23-11-72

Confirmed in Voults.

S. Lyle

BRITISH ANTARCTIC SURVEY

FALKLAND ISLANDS

SENT

Number R Date 24.11.72 Time 1515Z
FM STANLEY OFFICE
To LONDON HQ
INFO

X/687/72. HAVE ANY PLANS BEEN MADE FOR FIRST DAY COVERS FOR THE B.A.T. EXPLORERS
ISSUE QUERY=

ECJC/-

BRITISH ANTARCTIC SURVEY

FALKLAND ISLANDS

SENT

Number R Date 12.12.72 Time 1956Z
FM STANLEY OFFICE
To LONDON HQ
INFO

X/759/72. ANY REPLY TO X/687/72 PLEASE=

L/1597/72 R 1634Z 12/12/72
FROM LONDON HQ
TO STANLEY
BAT/1001 X/687/72 WE ARE HAVING EIGHT RUBBER STAMPS MADE.
EMPS/AH

BRITISH ANTARCTIC SURVEY

FALKLAND ISLANDS

SENT

Number PRIORITY Date 12.1.73 Time 1435Z
FM STANLEY OFFICE
To LONDON HQ
INFO

X/039/73.I/1597/BAT/1001 WHERE ARE THEY PLEASE.

ECJC/-

MMM
L/0122/73 PRIORITY
FROM LONDON HQ
TO STANLEY
BAT/1001/- X/039/73
CROWN HI DEPT.
EMPS/LC

1646Z

12/1/73

IN TRANSIT BY AIRMAIL ACCORDING TO



GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE

FALKLAND ISLANDS

SENT

WAP 15142-821 584578/790938 500 pds 12/68 Grp.782

Number	Office of Origin	Words	Handed in at	Date
	R	A	13.12.72	1310Z

To FM STANLEY OFFICE

TO SIGNY, ARGENTINE IS., HALLEY BAY, ADELAIDE.

BAT/2/4/46. FOR DEPUTY POSTMASTERS. ISSUED TO YOU VIA RELIEF SHIP ARE STAMPS OF THE NEW DEFINITIVE "EXPLORERS ISSUE". FIRST DAY OF ISSUE WILL BE 14TH FEBRUARY 1973. PLEASE ACCOUNT FOR IN NORMAL MANNER.

2. THE OLD OVERPRINT DEFINITIVE WILL BE WITHDRAWN FROM SALE ON THE 13TH FEBRUARY 1973, HOWEVER, SHOULD YOU RECEIVE REQUESTS FOR LAST DAY OF ISSUE IN MAILS RECEIVED AFTER THAT DATE YOU MAY CATER FOR REQUESTS IF THEY WERE POSTED BEFORE OR ON THE 13TH FEBRUARY. PLEASE ACT IN ACCORDANCE WITH MY BAT/2/3/70.=

GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE

FALKLAND ISLANDS

SENT

WAP 15142-821 584578/790938 500 pds 12/68 Grp.782

Number	Office of Origin	Words	Handed in at	Date
	R	B	1230Z	19. 1. 73.

To FM STANLEY OFFICE

TO HALLEY BAY. SIGNY, ADELAIDE, ARGENTINE IS.

INFO: MASTERS BISCOE, BRANSFIELD AND LONDON HQ.

BAT/2/4/46B. FOR DEPUTY POSTMASTERS. EXPLORERS ISSUE. THERE ARE NO OFFICIAL FIRST DAY COVERS FOR THIS NEW DEFINITIVE ISSUE. WE HAVE HOWEVER TODAY RECEIVED SELF INKING RUBBER STAMP CATCHETS MARKED 'FIRST DAY OF ISSUE'. IT IS PERFECTLY LEGAL FOR YOU TO MARK FIRST DAY OF ISSUE FRANKED ENVELOPES WITH THIS CATCHET LATER THAN THE 14TH FEBRUARY IF CATCHETS HAVE NOT REACHED YOU IN TIME. INTEND SENDING HALLEY CATCHET VIA ADELAIDE/HALLEY AIRCRAFT FLIGHT.

ECJC/=

BRITISH ANTARCTIC SURVEY

FALKLAND ISLANDS

SENT

Number	R	Date	Time
FM STANLEY OFFICE		23.1.73	1340Z
To SIGNY			
INFO			

BAT/2/4/46C. FOR DEPUTY POSTMASTER. THERE WILL BE REQUESTS FOR EXPLORERS FIRST DAY OF ISSUE FRANKS IN MAIL, CARRIED BY BRANSFIELD.

YOU MAY BACK DATE FRANKS WHEN YOU EVENTUALLY RECEIVE MAIL.

ECJC/-

RED - SENT IN GTC - MB=

NR T020 R 6/2/73 0214Z

FM ADELAIDE

TO STANLEY

17/070/73 RECEIVED SELF INKING RUBBER STAMP CATCHETS, FIRST DAY OF
ISSUE, BUT NOTICE BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY. ANTARCTIC SPELT
ANTARTIC OR ANTARTIC. PHILATELISTS VERY FUSSY, SO ASKING ADVICE
ON CATCHETS USE.

NR 28 R 081320Z 08/2/73

FM ARGENTINE IS
TO STANLEY OFFICE

F/082/73 FOR POSTMASTER.

WE HAVE NOTICED THAT THE NEW FIRST DAY COVER STAMP
IS SPELT WRONGLY (ANTARTIC). SOME PHILATELIC COVERS
HAVE ALREADY BEEN DONE. WHAT ACTION DO YOU RECOMMEND?

GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE

FALKLAND ISLANDS

SENT

WAP 15142-821 584578/790938 500 pds 12/68 Grp.782

Number	Office of Origin	Words	Handed in at	Date
	PRIORITY		9.2.73	1400Z

To FM STANLEY OFFICE
TO ADELAIDE, SIGNY, HALLEY BAY, ARGENTINE ISLANDS.
INFO: LONDON HQ., MASTER BISCOE.

BAT/2/4/47C. (1) REF BAT/2/4/46B. FIRST DAY OF ISSUE CACHETS. IT HAS BEEN
REPORTED THE WORD "ANTARCTIC" ON THE CACHETS HAS BEEN MIS-SPELT. PLEASE DO NOT
USE THE CACHETS AND RETURN THEM TO STANLEY OFFICE.

(2) FOR LONDON HQ. PLEASE DO NOT TAKE ANY REPLACEMENT ACTION UNTIL YOU RECEIVE
MY LETTER ON THE SUBJECT=

ECJC/-

Time



BAT/2/4.

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15th February,

73

E.M.P. Salmon, Esq.,
British Antarctic Survey,
London.

Dear Eric,

The subject is Territory Stamps and Franks.

(A) I can imagine how pleased you were to discover that the spelling mistake on the cachets was not the fault of the Survey. However in one way the mistake could be a blessing in disguise.

What was supplied were cachets as opposed to franks. Cachets augment the frank, and of course, cause extra work in that two impressions have to be placed on the envelope. What I asked for were First Day of Issue franks, and quite honestly I did not elaborate as I took it for granted the Crown Agents Bureau would know what was meant by the term. With a frank there is of course only one impression required. I attach examples of the frank used at the Post Office here. Their frank is self-inking and is made by the same firm as supplied the cachet. The Post Office normally obtain the device and frank through the G.P.O. (U.K.) or Crown Agents.

Would it be possible to have this type issued to the Bases as opposed to the cachet. I would assume re-imbursement price for the cachets would go a lot towards the cost of franks.

(B) From reading signals passing through, such as I/0265/73 and those connected, we seem to be getting in a bit of a muddle. We had a similar muddle over the transfers of FDC's from Biscoe to Bransfield and it was only because of jogging from here that the FDC's arrived at Signy on time. I think the crux of the matter is that ships' Officers have neither the knowledge or inclination to deal with stamps and franks other than for delivery from A to B. From talking to them I know that all the requests for ships' cachets are, to them, an unnecessary menace. This is no reflection upon the ships' Officers, - it is just a matter of task values.

May I suggest that in future any dealings with stamps on a similar basis to this years happenings is passed to this office for onward direction. We understand stamps here and, possibly more important, will more than likely have been involved with you on the initial dealings. If you do not like the idea of passing such material to this office for onward arrangements, I earnestly request you write informing us of what the ships have been instructed to do. We can then at least keep an eye on things at close quarters.

Life here in Stanley is just the same, and, having got rid of Bill, we are enjoying a fairly relaxed period. I suppose Bill will have told you many tales of us, - please believe only those that reflect goodly upon our countenance. Everyone sends their regards.

Yours sincerely,

E.C.J. Clapp, O.I/c., B.A.S. Stanley.

GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE

FALKLAND ISLANDSSENT

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WAP 15142—821 584578/790938 500 pds 12/68 Grp.782

Number	Office of Origin	Words	Handed In at	Date
	R	11	16.2.73	1840Z

To FM STANLEY OFFICE

TO HALLEY BAY, SIGEVY, ARGENTINE ISLANDS, ADELAIDE

BAT/2/4. FURTHER TO BAT/2/4/46 OF 13TH DECEMBER 72. ALTHOUGH THE OLD OVERPRINT DEFINITIVE HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN FROM SALE AS FROM THE 13TH FEBRUARY 1973, THE STAMPS ARE STILL VALID FOR FRANKING. SHOULD YOU THEREFORE RECEIVE ANY PRE-STAMPED ENVELOPES BEARING THESE STAMPS YOU MAY CATER FOR FRANKING IN THE NORMAL MANNER. THE OVERPRINT DEFINITIVE WILL BE VALID FOR FRANKING FOR APPROX ANOTHER FIVE YEARS=

ECGJC/—

Time

BRITISH ANTARCTIC SURVEY

FALKLAND ISLANDS

SENT

50

Number ● R Date 27.2.73 Time 1830Z

FM STANLEY OFFICE

To SIGNY ISLAND

INFO

BAT/2/4/50. PLEASE PROVIDE SIX FIRST DAY OF ISSUE ENVELOPES EACH CARRYING COMPLETE SET EXPLORER ISSUE STAMPS AND CAREFULLY FRANKED WITH FIRST DAY OF ISSUE FRANK. ENVELOPES SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO CAPTAIN WHITE, PORT STANLEY BUT PLEASE SEND UNDER SEPARATE ENVELOPE TO THIS OFFICE. MARK YOUR CREDIT SALE SHEET AS QUOTE ADVANCES, LONDON HQ UNQUOTE=

ECJC/-

GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE

FALKLAND ISLANDS

SENT

WAP 15142—821 584578/790938 500 pds 12/68 Grp.782

Number	Office of Origin	Words	Handed in at	Date
	R	B	1220Z	21. 3. 73.

FM STANLEY OFFICE
TO LONDON HQ.

X/0182/73. LOCAL POST OFFICE ENQUIRING WHETHER A PERSON CALLED B. WHITE HAS DEPOSITED £100.00 WITH YOU FOR SETS OF BAT STAMPS.

NC/=

Time

L/0655/73 R
FROM LONDON HQ
TO STANLEY

1437Z

26/3/73

A



BAT/1001/B/III IF STILL AVAILABLE, MAY WE PSE HAVE THE FOLLOWING
FIRST DAY COVERS:

- 6 SETS OF EXPLORERS (BUT ONLY TWO WITH £1 STAMP)
 - 5 SETS OF EXPLORERS EXCLUDING £1 AND .50P STAMPS FOR DR. ADIE
 - 3 SETS OF SILVER WEDDING STAMPS (BAT AND FALKLANDS IF ANY) - BUT
ONLY ONE WITH £1 STAMP.
 - 3 SETS OF BAT DECIMAL ISSUE - ONLY ONE WITH £1 STAMP
 - 3 SETS OF FALKLANDS DECIMAL ISSUE - ONLY ONE WITH £1 STAMP.
- AT/LC

BRITISH ANTARCTIC SURVEY

DIRECTOR: SIR VIVIAN FUCHS

30, GILLINGHAM STREET, LONDON, SW1V 1HY

TELEPHONE: 01-834 3687
TELEGRAMS: POLASURVEY, LONDON-SWI

BAT1001/D/i/53

11th April, 1973.

Dear Ted,

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Would you please refer to your letter ref.
BAT/2/4 dated 15th February, 1973 on the subject of
B.A.T. stamps and franks.

I should be delighted if all philatelic work
could be channelled through your office in Stanley.
I quite agree that you can deal with this matter
far more efficiently than we can and with the Post
Master almost at your right hand I am sure nothing
will go wrong.

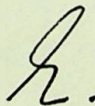
I am therefore writing to the Crown Agents to
tell them that in future all requests for franks
and covers should be addressed directly to you with
the necessary instructions.

I am also writing to them enclosing the First
Day Cover frank. We might as well get a supply of
these now for future use.

Would you please return the cachets which
were mis-spelt and I will try to get our money back.

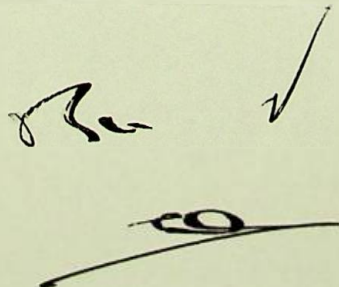
With kind regards.

Yours sincerely,



E. M. P. SALMON

E.C.J. Clapp, Esq.,
British Antarctic Survey,
PORT STANLEY,
FALKLAND ISLANDS,
SOUTH ATLANTIC.



L/1255/73

R

10482

13/6/73

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FROM LONDON HQ
TO STANLEY

A

BAT/1001/- TED, RE EXPLORER STAMP ISSUE FDC'S - ARE THERE ANY MORE
AVAILABLE IF SO WHAT VALUE OF STAMPS ON COVERS AS STAFF HERE
INTERESTED. ARE THERE COMPLETE SETS.

PW/LC



CROWN AGENTS STAMP BUREAU

ST. NICHOLAS HOUSE, SUTTON, SURREY.

TELEPHONE 01-643 3311

TELEX No. 267103

CABLES "CROWN SUTTON"

OUR REFERENCE H3/ BAT

The Chief Secretary
The Secretariat
Stanley
FALKLAND ISLANDS
South Atlantic

Dear Sir

Certificate of Posting		The undermentioned postal packet has been registered and posted here this day. (Ordinary postage p if parcel)	
Regn. No. 332	Regn. fee paid	MINIMUM LETTER 20p	
<i>Mr J G Watts Bureau Manager Crown Agents Stamp Bureau Sutton</i>		Date Stamp <i>5/10/73</i>	
Accepting Official's Initials <i>Link</i>	FOR REGULATIONS SEE OVER		

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY NEW DEFINITIVE ISSUE OF POSTAGE STAMPS

At the moment we hold orders for 40,000 of the British Antarctic Territory $\frac{1}{2}$ p denomination definitive issue which we are unable to supply as we have insufficient stock of this value. I would be grateful if you would approve a new printing of this denomination in a quantity of 200,000 x $\frac{1}{2}$ p plus your requirements.

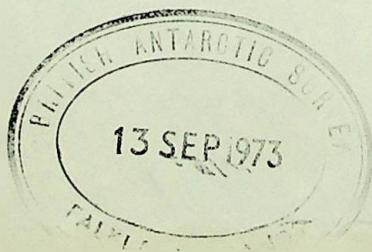
Printing costs for the full quantity of 200,000 - which we are confident of being able to sell - will be approximately ~~£450~~ £308

We are also running rather low on the £1 denomination of this issue of postage stamps, having approximately 1339 in stock and will be grateful, if you have sufficient stock, if you could arrange to forward 5,000 of this value. If you are unable to supply this quantity from local supplies will you please also authorise a new printing of the £1 denomination.

If new printings are to be arranged for both denominations will you please advise your requirements of each.

Yours faithfully

J G Watts
J G Watts
Bureau Manager



IN VAULTS AT 12-9-73.

$\frac{1}{2}$ p 26,800
£1 18,500

JGW/MRD

Conclusion.

we will send 5000 of £1. - sent on 8/10/73 mail, registered air packet.
authorisation is print will be
rougher.

CD. 295 B.&C.

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13-9-73

BRITISH ANTARCTIC SURVEY

FALKLAND ISLANDS

SENT

56

Number  R Date 14.9.73 Time 1330Z

FM STANLEY OFFICE

To LONDON HQ

INFO

X/ 615 /73. FOR BAT ACCOUNTANT. THERE IS A REQUIREMENT TO PRINT 200,000 X $\frac{1}{2}$ P BAT EXPLORER ISSUE STAMPS. PRINTING COSTS APPROX £308. NEW PRINT ISSUE REQUIRED TO FULFIL NEEDS OF CROWN AGENTS STAMP BUREAU. HAVE WE SUFFICIENT FUNDS, IF NOT ARE YOU ABLE TO OBTAIN QUERY IF AFFIRMATIVE I WILL GO AHEAD AND ARRANGE NEW PRINTING. =

ECJC/-

BRITISH ANTARCTIC SURVEY

FALKLAND ISLANDS

SENT

Number R Date 14.9.73 Time 1335Z

FM STANLEY OFFICE

To LONDON HQ

INFO

X/ 616 /73. GRATEFUL YOU PASS THE FOLLOWING TO MR J G WATTS, BUREAU MANAGER, CROWN AGENTS STAMP BUREAU, BEGINS:
DEAR SIR, REFERENCE YOUR LETTER H3/BAT OF 3RD SEPT 1973. THE QUESTION OF REPRINT 200,000 X $\frac{1}{2}$ P BAT EXPLORER ISSUE STAMPS BEING LOOKED INTO. I WILL ADVISE YOU IN THE VERY NEAR FUTURE.

WILL DESPATCH FROM THIS OFFICE WITHIN NEXT WEEK 5,000 X £1 BAT EXPLORER ISSUE POSTAGE STAMPS. SIGNED: ECJ CLAPP, SUB ACCOUNTANT, BAT, STANLEY.
ENDS=

ECJC/-

5/10/73 Registered
package (air)

BAT/214

L/2054/73 R 1609Z 21/9/73

FROM LONDON HQ

TO STANLEY

BAT/1001/B/1111/108B X/615/73 WILL INCLUDE £308 IN
1973/74 ESTIMATES.

IJP/AH



Number R Date 3.10.73 Time 1440Z

FM STANLEY OFFICE

To LONDON HQ

INFO

X/ 633 /73. WITH REFERENCE TO MY X/616/73, GRATEFUL YOU PASS THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO THE SAME PERSON WITH SAME SIGNATURE QUOTE
DEAR SIR, PLEASE TAKE THIS MESSAGE AS AUTHORITY TO PROCEED WITH REPRINT OF 200,000 X $\frac{1}{2}$ P BAT EXPLORER ISSUE STAMPS. UNQUOTE=

ECJC/-

STAMPS REQUIRED FROM TREASURY VAULT

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BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY - EXPLORERS ISSUE 1973

A

5000	x	£1	(100 sheets)	<u>£5000.00</u>
					£5000.00
					=====

I CERTIFY that I have this day received from the
Financial Secretary the above mentioned stamps.

.....*d Campbell*.....

**CROWN AGENTS
STAMP BUREAU**

ST. NICHOLAS HOUSE, SUTTON, SURREY, ENGLAND.

TELEPHONE 01-443 3311
TELEX No. 267103
CABLES "CROWN SUTTON"

H3. J.A.T. 06084

16 October 1973

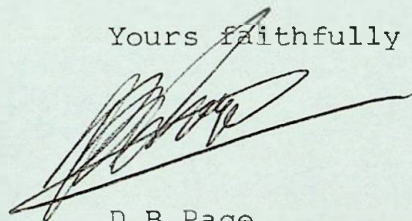
The Chief Secretary
The Secretariat
Stanley
Falkland Islands
SOUTH ATLANTIC

Dear Sir

ISSUE: BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY NEW DEFINITIVE

We have to acknowledge, with thanks, receipt of
5000 x £1 stamps relative to your above named issue.

Yours faithfully



D B Page
Stock Executive



BRITISH ANTARCTIC SURVEY

FALKLAND ISLANDS

SENT

59.

Number	PRIORITY	Date	1.4.74.	Time	1255Z
FM	STANLEY OFFICE				
To	ARGENTINE ISLANDS				
INFO					

BAT/2/4/59 PLEASE MAKE-UP ONE ENVELOPE CONTAINING A COMPLETE SET OF THE B.A.T.
^{ASSIGN}
 EXPLORERS ISSUE. ~~SIGN~~ SALE TO CREDIT STANLEY OFFICE AND QUOTING THIS SIGNAL AS AUTHORITY.
 PLEASE ENSURE SET IS PHILATELICALY PERFECT AS IT IS ULTIMATELY INTENDED FOR A SAVE
 THE CHILDREN FUND AUCTION. PLEASE SEND TO THIS OFFICE VIA BRANSFIELD.

ECJC/-.

Time

Telegrams Crown Sutton
Telephone 01-643 3311
Telex 267103

CROWN AGENTS

FOR OVERSEA GOVERNMENTS AND ADMINISTRATIONS
H Division

ST. NICHOLAS HOUSE

SUTTON

SURREY

Date 22 May 1974

Our H1/1918

Your ref

High Commissioner
for B.A.T
Port Stanley
FALKLAND ISLANDS
South Atlantic

Dear Sir

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY DEFINITIVE STAMPS

We enclose a copy of the 1974 price schedule for the above issue which has been agreed in this office. These prices incorporate an 8% increase over and above the January 1973 price schedule, and will, of course, be subject to any further certified price increases that may be applicable.

Yours faithfully

June M Vardill

Mrs J M Vardill
for the Crown Agents

JMV/MRD

STAMPS

Territory.....**B.A.T.**

Details of Issue.....Definitive

Regulation 0/06780/1

Size of stamp 1.1" x 1.75"

Set 50 (2 x 25)

4 colours each value

Printed by QUESTA COLOUR SECURITY PRINTERS LIMITED

Denominations: $\frac{1}{2}$ p, 1p, $1\frac{1}{2}$ p, 2p, $2\frac{1}{2}$ p, 3p, 4p, 6p, $7\frac{1}{2}$ p, 10p, 15p, 25p, 50p, £1

Lithography Process

RATES AT 1.1.74

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P+T/1/1

**CROWN AGENTS
STAMP BUREAU**

ST. NICHOLAS HOUSE, SUTTON, SURREY, ENGLAND.

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TELEPHONE 01-643 3311
TELEX No. 267103
CABLES "CROWN SUTTON"

CA Ref H3/B.A.T. 06084

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The Chief Secretary
The Secretariat
Stanley
Falkland Islands
South Atlantic

21 May 1974

Dear Sir

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY
DEFINITIVE ISSUE POSTAGE STAMPS

Our stock of the 1p value of the British Antarctic Territory definitive stamps is very low. To enable us to have a working stock in the bureau it will be appreciated if you will send us 10,000 x 1p B.A.T. definitive stamps, or as many as you can spare up to this amount.

2 Please advise the date and means of despatch.

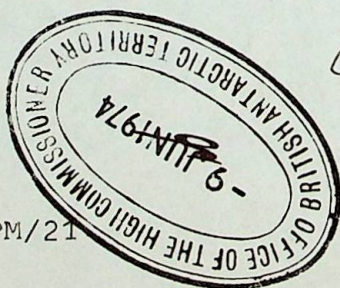
3 In order to avoid any possible delay at Customs in U K please show on the address label of parcels addressed to us our Value Added Tax Number which is VAT238.8/99 93. This number should also be shown on any invoice.

4 Please also address the Stamps to:-

Crown Agents Stamp Bureau
c/o Crown Agents
06
4 Millbank
LONDON SW1P 3JD

Yours faithfully

D B PAGE
Stock Executive



SU/PM/21

100000
200
Defender
Per A.D. July 74

File

ZCZC ATS256 OLY047 TX267103

FKLX HZ GBLA 036

LONONLA TLX 36/35 5 1440

LTF

SECRETARY

PORTSTANLEYFALKLANDISLANDS

WE REQUIRE 10000 X 1P BAT DEFINITIVE STAMPS FOR BUREAU STOCKS
STOP OUR LETTER 21 MAY REFERS STOP CAN YOU SUPPLY STOP IF SO
PLEASE SEND QUICKEST MEANS ADVISE POSITION

CROWN SUTTON

COL LTF 10000 1P 21

Oic. BAs.

*Would you deal with
this one please?*

S. 8. 74.

Entered.
NNNN

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GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE

FALKLAND ISLANDS**SENT**

WAP 15148—821 585968/704663 500 pds 9/69 Grp.782

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Number	Office of Origin	Words	Handed in at	Date
	FSY			7.8.74.

To

CROWN SUTTON LONDON

YR TEL 5TH 10000 X 1 BAT DEFINITIVE STAMPS WERE DESPATCHED TO CROWN STAMP
BUREAU VIA ANNETTE DANIELSEN JULY. PLEASE ADDRESS ALL BAT QUERIES BELOW
TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS

ANTARCTIC

Time

**CROWN AGENTS
STAMP BUREAU**

ST. NICHOLAS HOUSE, SUTTON, SURREY, ENGLAND.

TELEPHONE 01-643 3311
TELEX No. 267103
CABLES "CROWN SUTTON"

H3/B A T 06084

15 August 1974

The Chief Secretary
The Secretariat
Stanley
FALKLAND ISLANDS
SOUTH ATLANTIC

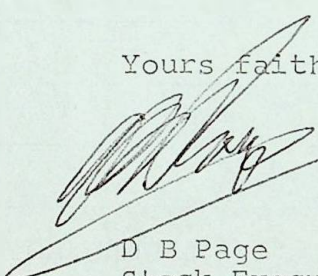
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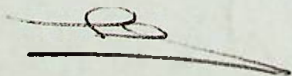
BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY
DEFINITIVE ISSUE POSTAGE STAMPS

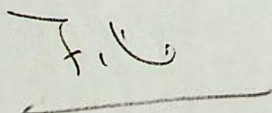
We have to acknowledge, with thanks, receipt of 10,000 x 1p stamps relative to the above named issue.

2 Please note that the parcel in which the stamps were packed was not sufficiently secure and in consequence several sheets of the stamps are badly creased and unfit for issue.

Yours faithfully


D B Page
Stock Executive





SU/SR/14



BRITISH ANTARCTIC SURVEY

FALKLAND ISLANDS

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Number

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Date 29.8.74

Time 1520Z

FM STANLEY OFFICE

To LONDON HQ

INFO

X/ 0606 /74. GRATEFUL YOU PASS THE FOLLOWING TO D B PAGE, STOCK EXECUTIVE, CROWN AGENTS STAMP BUREAU BEGINS YOUR H3/BAT 06084 OF 15TH AUGUST 1974 STOP SUGGEST YOU RETURN BADLY CREASED SHEETS, WE CAN USE THEM ON BASES FOR NON-PHILATELIC POSTAGE. PLEASE ADDRESS ALL DEALING ON BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY STAMPS TO HIGH COMMISSIONER, BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY, FALKLAND ISLANDS, SOUTH ATLANTIC, NOT CHIEF SECRETARY. TWO DIFFERENT ORGANISATIONS. ENDS=

ECJC/-

**CROWN AGENTS
STAMP BUREAU**

ST. NICHOLAS HOUSE, SUTTON, SURREY, SMI IEL

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TELEPHONE 01-643 3311

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CABLES "CROWN SUTTON"

OUR REFERENCE H3/B.A.T.06084

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29 November 1974

The High Commissioner
British Antarctic Territory
FALKLAND ISLANDS
SOUTH ATLANTIC



Dear Sir

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY - DEFINITIVE
STAMP ISSUE

Thank you for your cable of 30 August 1974 concerning the creased sheets of 1p definitive stamps which we received from you.

2 The condition of these sheets has been improved considerably by keeping them between boards since their receipt, and we are issuing as many of these as possible. Five creased sheets of stamps remain however, and we are returning 250 x 1p definitive stamps herewith.

...

X/ 3 Please acknowledge receipt in due course.

*Done
26/11*

Yours faithfully

D B PAGE
STOCK EXECUTIVE

*CS
For PM & PS
Return on 26/11*

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EJN/29

Post Office.

*Taken in charge 27th January 1975
Knoxheim.*

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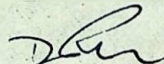
27th January

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Dear Sir,

I refer to your letter H3/BAT 06084 of 29th November 1974 addressed to the High Commissioner, British Antarctic Territory and acknowledge receipt of 250 1p stamps of the definitive issue.

Yours faithfully,



(D R Morrison)
for CHIEF SECRETARY

The Stock Executive
Crown Agents Stamp Bureau
St Nicholas House
Sutton
Surrey
SM1 1EL

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**CROWN AGENTS
STAMP BUREAU**

ST. NICHOLAS HOUSE, SUTTON, SURREY, SMI 1EL



TELEPHONE 01-643 3311/ND

TELEX No. 267103

CABLES "CROWN SUTTON"

OUR REFERENCE H3/ BAT

*Dealt with
C.A. 8/2/75*

The High Commissioner
British Antarctic Territory
Falkland Islands
SOUTH ATLANTIC

10 January 1975

Dear Sir

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY
DEFINITIVE POSTAGE STAMPS - 1/2 P DENOMINATION

At the moment we hold orders for 92,000 of the British Antarctic Territory 1/2 P denomination definitive issue of postage stamps which we are unable to supply as we have insufficient stock of this value. I should be grateful if you would approve a new printing in a quantity of 200,000 x 1/2 P plus whatever quantity you require for local use.

2 Printing costs for the full quantity of 200,000, excluding procurement charges, is estimated at £350.20 which includes an estimate of paper costs. This set has some years to run yet and we are confident of being able to sell the quantity required which of course well exceeds the print costs.

3 Will you please consider the matter and if you agree that a new printing should be arranged, forward your authority for this and advise the quantity required for local use.



Yours faithfully

J G Watts

J G WATTS
Bureau Manager

JGW/IMP

I y/e. I recommend you authorize. If you agree please state on this letter and I will inform C/A by cable. We have sufficient in the vote. E. Bluff Sub. A. K. A. T.

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FM STANLEY OFFICE
TO CAMBRIDGE HQ

X/154/75. GRATEFUL YOU PASS THE FOLLOWING TO MR J G WATTS
BUREAU MANAGER, CROWN AGENTS STAMP BUREAU, QUOTE
WITH REFERENCE TO YOUR LETTER H/3/BAT OF 10TH JAN 1975,
PRINTING OF 200,000 X 1/2P STAMPS IS AGREED TO.
NONE EXTRA REQUIRED FOR LOCAL USE. REGRET DELAY. UNQUOTE
2. FOR BAT ACCOUNTING OFFICER: GRATEFUL YOU NOTE ESTIMATION
FOR PRINTING THESE 1/2P STAMPS IS 350.20.=
ECJC/MB

(1)

CS

CROWN AGENTS
STAMP BUREAU

ST. NICHOLAS HOUSE,
SUTTON, SURREY, SM1 1EL

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CABLES "CROWN SUTTON"

OUR REFERENCE H3/ BAT/06149
06084

BAT/2/32
BAT/2/19 ✓

The High Commissioner
British Antarctic Territory
Falkland Islands
South Atlantic Ocean



13 April 1977

Dear Sir

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY DEFINITIVE &
CONSERVATION OF WHALES ISSUES

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt on 4 April 1977 of the following Stamps returned to us "cancelled to order" of these particular issues.

DEFINITIVE

250 Sets CTO

CONSERVATION OF WHALES

1610 x 2p	CTO
1610 x 8p	CTO
1610 x 11p	CTO
1610 x 25p	CTO

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "M. M. Spoor".

MRS M SPOOR
Stock Executive
for the Crown Agents



**CROWN AGENTS
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SUTTON, SURREY, SM1 1EL

TELEPHONE 01-643 3311

TELEX No. 267103

CABLES "CROWN SUTTON"

OUR REFERENCE H3/ BAT/06084

25 May 1977

BAT/211

CS

The High Commissioner
British Antarctic Territory
Falkland Islands
SOUTH ATLANTIC



Dear Sir

BAT DEFINITIVE ISSUE

The following Stamps of this issue were posted to you
by surface mail on the 19 May 1977 in parcel No. 8717.

2,500 x 1p

2,000 x 1½p

The cost of postage, £3.65, will be debited to your
account.

2 We trust the consignment will arrive safely; please
acknowledge receipt of the stock when it comes to hand.
Packing notes are included in the package.

Yours faithfully

M. Spoor

MRS M SPOOR
Stock Executive
for the Crown Agents

*Copy to PM
6/6*



**CROWN AGENTS
STAMP BUREAU**

ST. NICHOLAS HOUSE,

SUTTON, SURREY, SM1 1EL

CS (70)

TELEPHONE 01-643 3311

TELEX No. 267103

CABLES "CROWN SUTTON"

OUR REFERENCE H3/ BAT 06084

URGENT

17 August 1977

The High Commissioner
British Antarctic Territory
FALKLAND ISLANDS
SOUTH ATLANTIC



Dear Sir

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY
DEFINITIVE ISSUE POSTAGE STAMPS

Our stock of the £1 value of the British Antarctic Territory definitive stamps is very low. To enable us to have a working stock in the bureau, it will be appreciated if you will send us 5,000 x £1 British Antarctic Territory definitive stamps, or as many as you can spare up to this amount.

2 Please confirm that you are able to supply and advise the date and means of despatch.

3 In order to avoid any possible delay at Customs in UK please address the package to:-

Crown Agents Stamp Bureau
c/o Crown Agents Dept.06
4 Millbank
LONDON SW1P 3JD.

4 In addition our Value Added Tax number which is VAT 238 8799 93 should be shown on the address label and International labels affixed.

Yours faithfully

M. Spoor

MRS M SPOOR
Stock Executive
for the Crown Agents.

*Letter copied to Postmaster
who is taking appropriate
action.*

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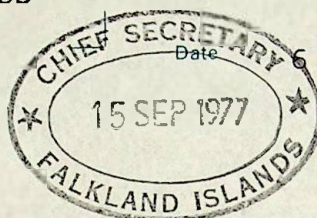
Crown Agents for Oversea Governments and Administrations

ST NICHOLAS HOUSE SUTTON SURREY SM1 1EL
TELEPHONE 01-643 3311 TELEX 267103 TELEGRAMS CROWN SUTTON

Our ref H1/1918

Mr D R Morrison
Deputy Secretary
The Secretariat
Stanley FALKLAND ISLANDS
SOUTH ATLANTIC

Your ref



Date 6 September 1977

Dear Doug,

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY
DEFINITIVE STAMP ISSUE

We have received an order from Stangib Ltd for a quantity of 100,000 x $\frac{1}{2}$ p denomination of your current definitive stamp issue. However, we will need another 44,000 stamps to fulfil this order.

In addition, stocks of the 1p and 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ p and £1 denominations are also very low indeed. In fact, you have already been requested to supply us with 5000 of your own stocks of the £1 stamps.

As your new definitive will not be released for some time to come I should be grateful if you would give some thought to a reprint of these values of which we would require the following quantities:-

200,000	x	$\frac{1}{2}$ p	
25,000	x	1p	
25,000	x	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ p	
5,000	x	£1	(provided you are unable to supply these from your own stocks)

In order to justify a reprint of course, we will have to include some of the high value stamps such as the £1 denominations.

I look forward to receiving your reply.

Yours sincerely

M Vaughan

M VAUGHAN

SU/MA/6



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CABLES "CROWN SUTTON"

OUR REFERENCE H3/B A T/06084

30 September 1977

BAT/2/4

The High Commissioner
British Antarctic Territory
Falkland Islands
SOUTH ATLANTIC



Dear Sir

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY
DEFINITIVE ISSUE

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt on 26 September 1977
of the following Stamps of this particular issue.

5000 x £1

2 These have been taken on charge and will be accounted
for to you, in the usual manner, in our stock reports.

Yours faithfully

MRS M SPOOR
Stock Executive
for the Crown Agents

SU/AH/30

MEMORANDUM

Reference

It is requested that this number and date should be quoted.

Date 5th October, 1977

From Postmaster



Chief Secretary

Subject:- Stamps - BAT Definitive Issue

Reference letter from Crown Agents dated 6th September.

Of the stamps in question we currently stock the following:

11,000 x $\frac{1}{2}$ p

2,000 x 1p and $1\frac{1}{2}$ p

7,000 x £1

We could therefore supply Crown Agents requirements of £1 stamps but presumably the reprint would not then be justified? Obviously we will need to stock the lower denominations and I suggest Crown Agents proceed with the reprint with a very minimum of the £1 denomination.


Postmaster



CABLE AND WIRELESS

CABLE AND WIRELESS LIMITED

INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND

CHARGE	NUMBER	DESTINATION	PT	ORIGIN	WORDS	FORWARDED PARTICULARS (4)	5/47
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		INSTRUCTIONS					
		VIA CW					

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AND LTF CROWN SUTTON
ADDRESS

BAT A/C

No. 269

FOR VAUGHAN YOUR LETTER ⁽²⁾ 41/1918 6 SEPTEMBER BAT DEFINITIVE REPRINT DENOMINATIONS
MENTIONED AUTHORISED WITH MINIMUM QUANTITY £1 AS WE CAN SUPPLY 5,000 x £1

CHIEF SEC

C.C. POSTMASTER



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P.T.O.



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Crown Agents for Oversea Governments and Administrations

ST NICHOLAS HOUSE SUTTON SURREY SM1 1EL
TELEPHONE 01-643 3311 TELEX 267103 TELEGRAMS CROWN SUTTON

Mr J Massingham
Chief Secretary
Secretariat
Stanley
FALKLAND ISLANDS

Our ref PH1B/BAT 7/24173/1



TGM DTD 11/10/77 No 269

24 January 1978

Dear Mr Massingham

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY REPRINT
OF DEFINITIVE POSTAGE STAMPS

I am pleased to advise that an order has been placed for the reprint of the definitive postage stamps and I have arranged for a token supply to be sent to the High Commissioner in Stanley for local use.

2 The reprint supplies will be available for despatch by air parcel post at the end of February 1978.

3 The total cost of the contract is £1282.34 packing and delivery extra at cost. This includes a token quantity of 500 of each of the $\frac{1}{2}$ p, 1p and 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ p values as well as 50 of the £1.00 value. The remainder of the order is required by the Crown Agents' Stamp Bureau and Stangib to replenish stock and to meet current orders.

Yours sincerely

MV

Who pays?

M VAUGHAN

P.S. The cost of paper will be £166.50.

cc High Commissioner
British Antarctic Territory
Stanley
FALKLAND ISLANDS

WCS

p. follow-up as necessary

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[Handwritten signature]



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Crown Agents for Oversea Governments and Administrations

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TELEPHONE 01-643 3311 TELEX 267103 TELEGRAMS CROWN SUTTON

PH1/1918



4 May 1978

Dear Mr. Morrison

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY SHIPS & NAVIGATORS DEFINITIVE
VALUES: 1/2p, 1p, 1.1/2p, 2p, 2.1/2p, 3p 4p, 5p, 6p, 7.1/2p,
10p, 15p, 25p, 50p, £1.

- ... I enclose the approved reprint schedule for future reprints of the Ships and Navigators Definitive. This schedule, for your information, details the fob cost and is, of course, subject to variation in accordance with the Price Variation Clause.

Yours sincerely
Brian Hawthorne

B J HAWTHORNE

Mr D F Morrison

STAMPS

Printed by QUESTA COLOUR SECURITY PRINTERS LIMITED

Denominations... $\frac{1}{2}p$, $1p$, $1\frac{1}{2}p$, $2p$, $2\frac{1}{2}p$,

3p, 4p, 5p, 6p, $7\frac{1}{2}$ p, 10p, 15p, 25p,

50p, £1.

Process.....LITHOGRAPHY.....

Territory...B.A.T.....

Details of issue.....DEFINITIVE.....

Requisition.....0/06780/1.....

Size of stamp.....1.1" x 1.75".....

Set 50 (2 x 25)

RATES AT 1ST JANUARY 1978.

Quantity (in 1,000s)	10	20	50	100	200						
4 colours	£16.55	£8.85	£4.05	£2.55	£2.32						
Also : 2,000 stamps @ £82.73 per 1,000.											

APPROVED

[Signature]



**CROWN AGENTS
STAMP BUREAU**

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SUTTON, SURREY, SM1 1EL

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TELEPHONE 01-643 3311

TELEX No. 267103

CABLES "CROWN SUTTON"

OUR REFERENCE PH3/BAT/06084

The High Commissioner
British Antarctic Territory
FALKLAND ISLANDS
South Atlantic

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Dear Sir

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY DEFINITIVE ISSUE

We have received orders for the undermentioned quantities of stamps of the latest reprint of the B.A.T definitive issue "Cancelled to Order".

50 x ½p
50 x 1p
50 x 1½p
50 x £1

... 2 We enclose these quantities of stamps from our stocks, and we shall be grateful if you will arrange to have these cancelled and returned to us as soon as possible.

3 Please acknowledge receipt and confirm that the stock can be cancelled, and advise date and means of despatch. The package should be addressed to the:

Crown Agents Stamp Bureau
c/o Department 06
4 Millbank
LONDON SW1P 3JD

quoting our VAT No: 238-8799-93 on the outside of the parcel.

Yours faithfully

M. Spoor

MRS M SPOOR
Stock Executive

Send a copy to Stock Executive
P.m. pl then
File pl.
9/4/78
8/4/78
8-6-78

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ETAT
CHIEFSEC
PORTSTANLEY

DEMAND FOR THE REPEINT OF 1 POUND VALUE BAT DEFINITIVE HAS
GREATLY EXCEEDED PRINT QUANTITY OF FIVE
THOUSAND STOP A NUMBER OF MAJOR DEALERS ARE SERIOUSLY
CONCERNED AT OUR INABILITY FULFIL THEIR ORDERS STOP TO
MEET THEIR DEMAND WE SUGGEST FURTHER REPEINT FIFTEEN THOUSAND
STAMPS PLUS

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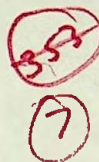
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YOUR REQUIREMENTS BE PUT IN HAND AS MATTER OF
URGENCY STOP WOULD WELCOME YOUR APPROVAL PROCEED IN THIS
MANNER AND IF FORTHCOMING WILL MAKE EARLY ANNOUNCEMENT
TO TRADE STOP PLEASE TELEGRAPH STOP REGARDS
CROWN BUTTON

NNNN

pm
See your advice pl
2/6/78

copied to PH. 7/6/78 72



MEMORANDUM

Reference 23/D

It is requested that this number and date should be quoted.



Date 9th June, 1978

From Postmaster

Chief Secretary

CS

Subject:- B.A.T. Definitive Issue - £1 stamps

Reference Telegram from Crown Agents dated 7th inst.

Providing the suggested reprint is identical to the last one there should be no problems. If they differ (and they normally do) the collectors who purchased the last 5000 will be obliged to buy again and this is where we could be severely criticised. The actual stock position is virtually the same as it was last October when the re-print was authorized - we can still supply 5000 stamps but I don't suppose this is considered sufficient as a running stock. ~~As I see it a reprint will eventually be necessary so it may as well be now as later.~~ As I see it a reprint will eventually be necessary so it may as well be now as later.

[Signature]
Postmaster



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FKLY CY GPLH 025
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ETAT
CHIEFSEC
PORTSTANLEY

GRATEFUL EARLY REPLY NYTEL 7TH REGARDING FURTHER PRINTING BAT
ONE POUND DEFINITIVE STAMP PLEASE CABLE BY 16TH IF POSSIBLE
CROWN SUTTON

COL ETAT 7TH 16TH

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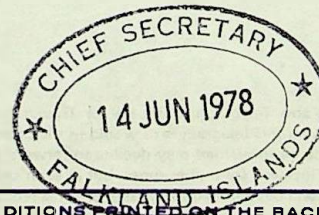
LTF CROWN SUTTON

(BAT A/C)

No. 153 YRTEL 7 JUNE BAT & REPRINT. WE CAN SUPPLY 5000 STAMPS. IF INSUFFICIENT YOUR NEEDS REPRINT AUTHORISED. ANXIOUS AVOID CRITICISM FROM THOSE WHO BOUGHT PREVIOUSLY AND WHO HAVE NOW TO BUY AGAIN EVEN THOUGH OUR STOCKS VIRTUALLY SAME AS WHEN REPRINT AUTHORISED OCTOBER 1977

CHIEF'S EC

c.c. POSTMASTER



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ETAT
CHIEFSEC
PORTSTANLEYFALKLANDISLANDS



FROM SIMS THANKS YRTEL 153 OF 14/6
WE SHALL PUBLICISE THIS AS A REPRINT AND YOU ARE
LIKELY RECEIVE ORDERS SPECIFICALLY FOR
REPRINTS FULLSTOP
LOCAL STOCK THEREFORE ESSENTIAL AND SUGGEST YOU TAKE
2,500 RETAINING EXISTING STOCK ORIGINAL PRINTING
FOR ANY POSTAL REQUIREMENTS FULLSTOP
OUR REQUIREMENT NOW 17,500

COL 153 14/6 2,500 17,500

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MAKING TOTAL 20,000 FULLSTOP PLEASE CONFIRM WE MAY PROCEED
WITH PRINTING OF THIS QUANTITY
CROWN SUTTON

COL 20,000 CROWN SUTTON

*For ✓ expedited to P.M.
26/6/78/mz*

*For your early views pl
RCH
26/6*

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ETAT CROWN SUTTON

BAT A/C

No. 171

FOR SIMS YRTEL 26TH BAT REPRINT £1. PLEASE PROCEED 2500 FOR US

CHIEFSEC

c.c. POSTMASTER



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TELEPHONE 01-643 3311

TELEX No. 267103

CABLES "CROWN SUTTON"

OUR REFERENCE PH3/ BAT/O6084

13 June 1978

The High Commissioner
British Antarctic Territory
FALKLAND ISLANDS
SOUTH ATLANTIC

Dear Sir

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY
DEFINITIVE ISSUE:

We have received orders for the undermentioned quantities
of stamps of the new printing of your definitive issue
"cancelled to order".

700 x 1p
700 x 1.1/2p

... 2 We enclose these quantities of stamps from our stocks
and we shall be grateful if you will arrange to have these
cancelled and returned to us as soon as possible.

3 Please acknowledge receipt and confirm that the stock can
be cancelled and advise date and means of despatch. The
package should be addressed to the:

Crown Agents Stamp Bureau
c/o Department O6
4 Millbank
LONDON SW1P 3JD

quoting our VAT No 238-8799-93 on the outside of the parcel.

Yours faithfully

MRS M SPOOR
Stock Executive

SU/REL/12

*Copied to P.M.
29/6/78*

Your Ref:- BAT/06084

30th June

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Mrs. M. Spoor,
Stock Executive,
Crown Agents Stamp Bureau,
St. Nicholas House,
Sutton,
Surrey, SM1 1EL.

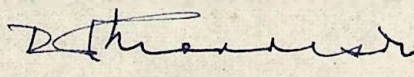
Dear Mrs. Spoor,

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY DEFINITIVE ISSUE

I confirm receipt of 700 x 1p and 700 x 1½p stamps enclosed with your letter of 13th June addressed to the High Commissioner, British Antarctic Territory, Falkland Islands.

Would you please note that it would be more convenient if you send stamps direct to the Postmaster, Stanley, who is also Postmaster of the British Antarctic Territory, and not to the High Commissioner, as all it means is that your letter goes to Government House, is opened there, sent down to the Secretariat, and then finds its way to the Postmaster. It would be much simpler for all concerned if stamps went direct to the Postmaster.

Yours faithfully,


for CHIEF SECRETARY

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FKLY HL GBLA 034
LONDON/LA TLX 34/33 24 1620

LT
SECRETARY
PORTSTANLEY

YOUR TEL 19 JULY 500 BAT DEFINITIVE 1P AND 1 1/2P STAMPS
DESPATCHED AIR PARCEL NUMBER 511803 TO POSTMASTER STANLEY
19 JULY STOP DETAILS SEA DESPATCH TO FOLLOW
CROWN UTTON

COL 19 500 1P 1 1/2P 511803 19

*copied to P.H.
25/7/78*

CA. 25/7/78





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17/11
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Crown Agents for Oversea Governments and Administrations

ST NICHOLAS HOUSE SUTTON SURREY SM1 1EL
TELEPHONE 01-643 3311 TELEX 267103 TELEGRAMS CROWN SUTTON

PH1/BAT 7/24173

2 August 1978



Dear

M. Massingham

BAT £1 DEFINITIVE REPRINT

I am pleased to confirm that 2,500 stamps of the above reprint were despatched to you by air parcel post on 19 July.

Quantities for Stangib and the Crown Agents Stamp Bureau were delivered at the same time, and this order is therefore now complete.

Yours sincerely

M. Vaughan

M VAUGHAN

Mr J Massingham



**CROWN AGENTS
STAMP BUREAU**

ST. NICHOLAS HOUSE,
SUTTON, SURREY, SMI 1EL

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TELEPHONE 01-643 3311

TELEX No. 267103

CABLES "CROWN SUTTON"

OUR REFERENCE PH3/ BAT/06084

9 August 1978

The Secretary
Port Stanley
Falkland Islands
SOUTH ATLANTIC



Dear Sir

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY
DEFINITIVE ISSUE

In response to your cable of 19 July 1978, the following
Stamps of this issue were posted to The Postmaster, Port Stanley
by air on the 19 July 1978 in Parcel No 511803.

500 x 1p
500 x 1½p

and by sea on the 28 July 1978 in Parcel No 9530.

5000	x	1p	4000	x	2½p
5000	x	1½p	5000	x	3p.
1500	x	2p			

The cost of postage, £8.19, will be debited to your account.

2 We trust the consignments will arrive safely; please
acknowledge receipt of the stock when it comes to hand.

3 Packing notes are included in the packages.

4 We regret that we had insufficient stock of the 1p, 1½p, 2p and
2½p values to supply the full quantities requested and keep a
small working balance in the bureau.

5 As we hold stock in sheets of 25 only none of the stamps could
be supplied with gutter margins.

Yours faithfully

M. Spoor

MRS M SPOOR
Stock Executive
for the Crown Agents

*Copy this to SMH
21/8/78
Copied to PA.
21/8/78*

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LONDON/LH 39/38 5 1126

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PORTSTANLEYFALKLANDS

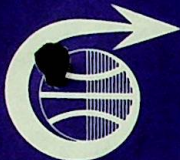
FOLLOWING FOR POSTMASTER BAT GRATEFUL YOU SUPPLY
2,000 X 1P AND 1-1/2P VALUES
OF REPRINT OF DEFIN OR AS MANY AS YOU CAN SPARE FULLSTOP
REPLY URGENT PLEASE DESPATCH DETAILS WHEN KNOWN
APPRECIATED
CROWN SUTTON

COLL 2,000 X 1P 1-1/2P

NNNN
213 CWCOUNTER FK



*copied to P.M.
5/10/78 Jm*



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LTF CROWN SUTTON

BAT A/C

No. 280

YOURTEL 5TH BAT/DEFINITIVES. SORRY UNABLE LET YOU HAVE ANY AS OUR STOCKS REQUIRED TO MEET REQUIREMENTS THIS SOUTHERN SUMMER

CHIEFSEC



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LTF CROWN SUTTON

BAT A/C

No. 372

65 on P/T 2/31

YRTEL 24TH NO EXPLORERS DEFINITIVE COVERS RECEIVED. FRANKING POLICY AS MYTEL

14 BAT 12/8

NO 341. PLEASE CLARIFY

copies on BAT/2/4 ✓
BAT/2/8
BAT/2/9
P/T/2/31

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ORIGINAL ON P7/2/31

LTF
CHIEFSEC
PORT STANLEY
FALKLANDISLANDS



YRTEL 28 NOV BAT PROJECT USING CORONATION STAMPS ON PRIVATE
COVERS WITH EXPLORERS DEPICTED ON COVERS STOP COVERS ARRIVED
IN FALKLANDS IN OCTOBER STOP CONFUSION REGRETTED HOPE ALL WELL
NOW STOP CONFIRM CANCELLATIONS CAN BE GIVEN
AS REQUESTED PLEASE
CROWN SUTTON

COL 28 NOV





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LTF CROWN SUTTON

BAT A/C

No. 386

YRTEL 29TH. REGRET UNABLE TO BACK STAMP EXPLORER COVERS TO DATES REQUESTED.

ENDEAVOURING TO HAVE AMUNDSEN AND FUCHS COVERS FRANKED SOMETIME IN DECEMBER BUT
POSITION VERY UNCERTAIN AT THIS STAGE

CHIEF SEC



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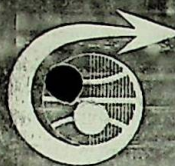
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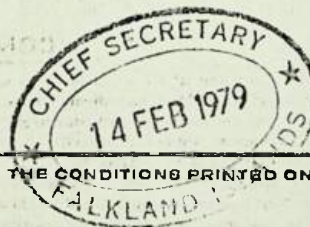
LEF CROWN SUTTON

No. 71

FOR SIGNS DEPT PNB. YOURTEL 9TH. CAN SUPPLY 3000 BAT DEFINITIVE £1 6LD PRINTING IF INTERESTED. THESE WITH SOUTH GEORGIA 4P AND £1 STAMPS WOULD BE DESPATCHED AIR PARCEL POST 21ST FEBRUARY

CHIEFSEC

C.C. POSTMASTER



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214 GOVERNOR FK
267103 CASUTN G

19/2/79 11224 TLX NR 911

YRTEL 15 FEBRUARY - 3,000 X 1 POUND VALUE BAT DEFIN
OLD PRINTING NOT REQUIRED THIS STAGE FULLSTOP
DESPERATELY NEED 3220 X 1P AND 1-1/2P TO FULFIL
ORDERS HELD INCLUDING ONE POUNDS VALUE.
MUST BE SPIRAL W/MARK =

M SPOOR DEPT PH3
CROWN SUTTON

PMB

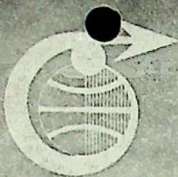
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267103 CASUTN G

HW HIWS THT ?
ALSO FIVEES

HAVE TAKEN AB BI THEN OR CAN I ALSO OH ITS OK BI

cc PM 8/19/2

56/15
C & BAT 12/4 ✓



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AND 1PP CROWN SUTTON
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No. 97

FOR SPOOR. YOUR TELEX 19TH. REGRET UNABLE SUPPLY BAT 1p AND 1½p STAMPS. SG 4p
AND £1 DESPATCHED REGISTERED AIRMAIL 28TH FEBRUARY

CHIEF SEC

C.C. POSTMASTER



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FKLY HL GBLA 027
LONDON/LA TLX 27/26 14 1928

LTF
CHIEFSEC
PORTSTANLEY

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YRTEL NO 71 OF 15/2/79 GRATEFUL YOU SEND 3000X1
POUND VALUE BAT DEFIN OLD PRINTING TO US FOR STOCK
CONFIRM SOONEST
CROWN SUTTON

COL 71 15/2/79 3000X1

copy to
pm 8/15/5




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LTF CROWN SUTTON

NO.207 GRATEFUL DESPATCH FOLLOWING DEFINITIVE STAMPS BY AIR POST 5000 EACH BAT 1P AND FI 3P. BY SEA MAIL 5000 EACH BAT 1½P, 2P, 5P AND 50,000 FI 3P.

CHIEFSEC

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P.T.O.

D.C.S.

*I take it we would
normally agree?*
JS



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Crown Agents for Oversea Governments and Administrations

ST NICHOLAS HOUSE SUTTON SURREY SM1 1EL
TELEPHONE 01-643 3311 TELEX 267103 TELEGRAMS CROWN SUTTON

Our ref PH3/B A T

Mr D F Morrison
Assistant Chief Secretary
The Secretariat
STANLEY, Falkland Islands,
South Atlantic



25 June 1979

Dear *Mr Morrison*

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY

We are writing to suggest that certain denominations of the current British Antarctic Territory Definitive Stamps should be reprinted. Stocks held in our Strong Room vary from one value to the next but the overall embarrassment at this time is that we cannot fulfil any orders for complete sets (yet hold requests for 1655) and have requirements for certain denominations in higher quantities than this. We are having to decline orders in these circumstances and are unable to advise prospective customers about the future.

2 As you know, we have cabled for some supplies to help us through the short-term crisis but recommend reprinting the quantities listed at the end of this letter which would allow breathing space whilst future arrangements are considered.

3 Please cable your decision as soon as possible and notify any additional requirements you may have locally. As with all reprints there will be a flurry of purchasing from keen enthusiasts anxious to obtain their supplies but this will be particularly enhanced on this occasion because Crown Agents' standard security paper now embodies a different watermark to the paper which was used before.

Quantities of Reprint required by Crown Agents

1p	30,000	10p	20,000
1½p	30,000	15p	20,000
2p	30,000	25p	20,000
2½p	30,000	50p	20,000
3p	30,000		

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From: THE CROWN AGENTS

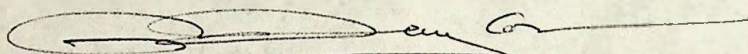
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To Mr D F Morrison.....

Date

3 C A Special watermark throughout: these supplies should be sufficient for at least three years.

Yours sincerely



B A R TAYLOR
Marketing Manager

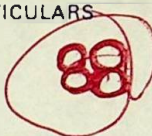
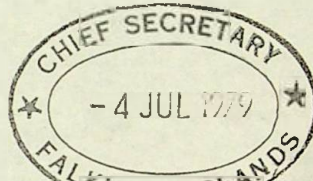
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~~LEIF CROWN SUTTON~~

TELEX 267103 CASUTOG BAT ACCOUNT

No. 239

YOURLET PH3/BAT 15JUNE BAT REPRINT AUTHORISED WITH MINIMUM QUANTITY OF 15P 25P AND 50P VALUES AS CAN SUPPLY FOLLOWING FROM STOCK HERE 15P X 7,500 25P X 10,000 50P X 10,000. LOCAL REQUIREMENTS FOR REPRINT AS FOLLOWS 1P X 15,000, 1½P X 7,500, 2P X 12,000, 2½P X 5,000, 3P X 10,000, 10P X 10,000, 15P X 2,500, 25P X 2,500 AND 50P X 2,500. THIS WOULD HOPEFULLY BUILD A 3 TO 4 YEAR WORKING STOCK BASED ON CURRENT DEMANDS. YOU MAY WISH CONSIDER REPRINT OF 5P AS IN ADDITION 2500 BEING DESPATCHED FROM C/A STOCK WILL REQUIRE ADDITIONAL 10,000 FOR SAME PERIOD ABOVE. DESIRABLE ALL LOCAL SUPPLIES ARE AVAILABLE WITH GUTTER STRIP AS THERE IS DEMAND FOR GUTTER PAIRS. CHIEFSEC

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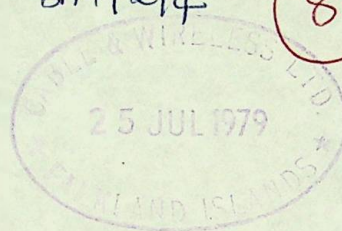
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CHIEFSEC
PORTSTANLEYYRTEL NO 239 5/7/79 REPRINT BAT DEFINITIVE RECEIVED STOP
WE WILL ADVISE QUANTITIES REQUIRED FOR OUR BUREAU AND TOTAL
COST SOONEST
CROWN SUTTON

COL 239 5/7/79

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BAT/2/4

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sent 24/7
[Signature]
25/7



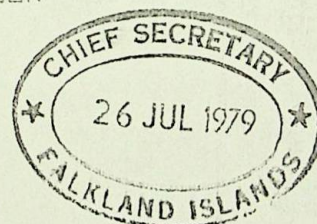
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LTF
 CHIEFSEC
 PORTSTANLEY

FOR URGENT ORDERS GRATEFUL YOU SUPPLY 150X2P 165X3P AND
 240X50P OS S GEORGIA DEFIN PLUS 75X2P OF BAT DEFIN
 GRATEFUL ANY NUMBER OR W/M STOP PLEASE ADVISE DETAILS OF
 252.98 POUNDS REQUESTED FROM UNICOVER AS WE HAZ BEEN
 ASKED FOR INVOICE
 CROWN SUTTON

CCL47 150X2P 165X3P 240X50P OS S 75X2P
 252.98



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TELEPHONE 01-643 3311 TELEX 267103 TELEGRAMS CROWN SUTTON

The Chief Secretary
The Secretariat
Stanley
FALKLAND ISLANDS
SOUTH ATLANTIC

Our ref PH1/BAT 9/11035

Your ref

Date 21 September 1979



Dear Doug,

BAT REPRINT DEFINITIVE

The BAT stocks for this issue are to be airfreighted to Stanley to catch the "Bransfield" for forwarding.

However, please would you advise on how urgently your stocks for this issue are required, so that we may prepare freighting.

Yours sincerely

M.V.

M VAUGHAN

*Phoned to
Phil Bureau
5/10/79*

AMVW/JG



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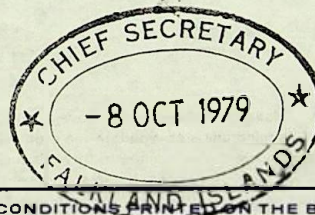
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BAT A/C

No. 366

YRLET PH1/BAT 9/11035/21 SEPTEMBER. BAT REPRINT. AS LONG AS STAMPS
(91)
BRANSFIELD
ARE HERE TO CONNECT/THIS WILL SUFFICE

CHIEFSEC



c.c. Philatelic Bureau

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De. S.

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PRINTERGRAMS

214 GOVERNOR FKTKS
214 GOVERNOR FK
267103 CASUTN G

ACTION
COPY

21-11-79 1151 TLX 1692

OUR REF PHIA BAT 9/11035/1

FOR MORRISON

BAT REPRINT DEFINITIVE STAMPS DESPATCHED BY APP IN THREE
PARCELS NOS 0952-0954 16/11/79 TRUST SAFE ARRIVAL
REGARDS PENRY DEPT PH1 CROWN SUTTON

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JM

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214 GOVERNOR FK
267103 CASUTN G

Pl copy to Phil B

EV

214 GOVERNOR FK TKU
214 GOVERNOR FK

FOR THE ATTENTION OF TMMOM LPL


2/11/79 SH
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LTF CROWN SUTTON

NO. 431 FOR PENRY DEPT PH1 REF PHIA BAT/9/11035/1

BAT DEFIN REPRINT YR TELEX 1692

STOCKS SAFELY RECEIVED TODAY

CHIEFSEC

cc Secretariat File

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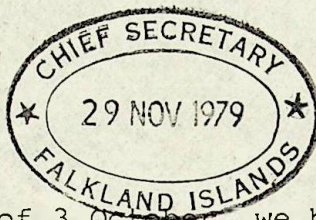
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TELEPHONE 01-643 3311 TELEX 267103 TELEGRAMS CROWN SUTTON

The Chief Secretary
Secretariat
Stanley
FALKLAND ISLANDS
SOUTH ATLANTIC

Our ref PH1/BAT 9/11035/1

Your ref

Date 13 November 1979



BAT REPRINT DEFINITIVE

Further to our telegram of 3 October, we have pleasure in advising that following our progressing the printers are now able to despatch the above stamps by air parcel post on 16 November.

2 I trust these supplies arrive in good time to connect with "Bransfield" and it would be appreciated if you would confirm by telegram their safe receipt.

Yours sincerely

C B Penry
C B PENRY

see (94) NFA

SU/AP/DL

BAT/2/4

DCS

one file copy
D. Ch
B/1

CS

OG
29/1

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214 GOVERNOR FK
214 GOVERNOR FK
267103 CASUTN G

29.1.80 15.31 TLX NO. 2569

FOR CHIEFSEC PORT STANLEY

**ACTION
COPY**

BAT Definitive on other copy

HAVE ENQUIRY FOR 1600X50P NEW PRINTING DEFIN. PLEASE ADVISE
IF YOU CAN SUPPLY AND DETAILS OF DESPATCH IF AVAILABLE

M SPOOR DEPT PH3
CROWN SUTTON ++

MM


214 GOVERNOR FK
267103 CASUTN G



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LTF CROWN SUTTON

No. 49 FOR SPOOR DEPT PH3 REYR TELEX 2569 29TH INSTANT.
CONFIRM SUPPLY 1600 x 50p BAT DEFIN REPRINT. DESPATCHED
REGISTERED AIRPOST TODAY. 30th JAN

CHIEFSEC

cc Secretariat

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Philatelic Bureau

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13/2/80 11.30 1089

FOR CHIEF SEC

PLEASE ADVISE QUANTITY AVAILABLE FULL SETS BAT DEFIN 13
VALUES AND CONFIRM THAT WE WILL RECEIVE 3000 GUTTER PAIRS
OF NEW F.I.D. DEFINITIVE

REGARDS - KMMH FORDHAM CROWN SUTTON

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Ag? PM

PL advise

13/2/80

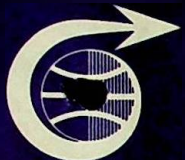


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Ag. C.S.,

We have a large quantity of BAT Defin. If CAS let us know their requirements we can consider to what extent we can meet them. 3000 gutter pairs of the FID new Defin are earmarked for CAS

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14.2.80



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LTF CROWN SUTTON

BAT A/C

No. 70

FOR FORDHAM. YOUR TELEX 1089 13 FEBRUARY. WE HAVE FAIRLY LARGE STOCKS
BAT DEFINITIVE SO PLEASE ADVISE QUANTITY YOU REQUIRE. I CONFIRM 3000
GUTTER PAIRS FI DEPENDENCIES NEW DEFINITIVE ARE EAR MARKED FOR YOU

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Printed by . . . **THE HOUSE OF QUESTA** . . .

Denominations . . . $\frac{1}{2}$ p. 1p. $1\frac{1}{2}$ p. 2p. $2\frac{1}{4}$ p.

3p. 4p. 5p. 6p. 7½p.

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Process **Lithography**

Paper Type **CA Watermarked**

Watermark

Principal . . . **B.A.T.**

Details of issue **New Definitive**
(Explorers).

Requisition

Size of stamp 27.94 x 44.45 mm

Set, . . . 50

RATES AT **1ST JANUARY 1980.**

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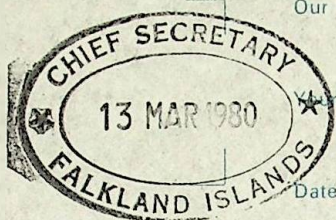


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Our ref PH1/1918

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Date

5 March 1980

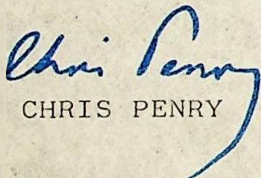
Dear Doug,

REPRINT SCHEDULES

... I have pleasure in enclosing herewith one copy of the reprint schedule for the British Antarctic Territory Definitive issue featuring Explorers.

2 This schedule has been checked and found to be in accordance with the Crown Agents' Price Variation Clause, and future reprints will be subject to these rates.

Yours sincerely


CHRIS PENRY



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16 September 1980

Dear Doug,

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY REPRINT DEFINITIVE STAMP ISSUE

Further to your telegram of the 28 August, I have pleasure in confirming that Questa are proceeding with the production of the above stamps and you will receive your copies of the confirming official order in due course.

2 The total contract price is £1,474.80 FOB aircraft southern UK airport and we will arrange for the stamps to be airfreighted to you early in November, which I trust meets with your approval.

Yours sincerely

Chris Penry
CHRIS PENRY

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16 October 1980

Dear Mr Morrison

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY RE-PRINT DEFINITIVE STAMP ISSUE

Further to our letter of the 16 September, I have pleasure in confirming that the delivery of the above re-print definitive issue is still on schedule for despatch by airfreight early in November and I will advise you of flight details as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely

ALAN PRINGLE

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9/7/81 13.52 TLX NR 275

FOR THE ATTENTION OF CHIER E E E CHIEF SECRETARY

RE TGM 83 26/3/81 FROM POSTMASTER.

REQUEST REPRINT XX BAT DEFINITIVES 10P 15P AND 25P.
AS BUREAU STOCKS VERY LOW.

PLEASE CONFIRM CAN PROCEED WITH REPRINT AND ALSO ADVISE
YOUR QUANTITIES REQUIRED

REGARDS
JANICE SMITH DEPT PH1
CROWN SUTTON

PMB

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NO..145....

FOR MRS JANICE SMITH

REUR TLX 275 OF 9.7.91

REPRINT BAT DEFINITIVE 10P, 15p, & 25P.

REPRINT AS NECESSARY AUTHORISED. SUGGEST YOU CONSULT CLIFTON RE QUANTITIES. FOR INFORMATION OUR STOCKS 10P, 15P & 25P RESPECTIVELY 6004, 1146 AND 414.

YOU WILL NOTE THAT A NEW DEFINITIVE IS PLANNED FOR 1982/83 SEASON PROVIDED IT CAN BE PREPARED IN TIME. REGARDS

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22/7/81 13.25 TLX NR 721

AG 8/23/81

FOR THE ATTENTION OF CHIEF SECRETARY

OUR REF PH1/FALKLANDS/BAT

ant/2/4 RE BAT REPRINT DEFINITIVE. SPOKE LEWIS CLIFTON
AND ORDERING FOLLOWING FOR YOUR SUPPLIES

10P X 25000
15P X 30,000
25P X 30,000

CA SUPPLIES EXTRA.

Pr/2/81 UNDERSTAND FROM LEWIS 4TH DEFIN BOOKLET ARTWORK
OKAY. WOULD APPRECIATEXKS ITS EARLY RETURN FOR
FURTHER ACTION.

Pr/2/81- RE COASTAL LANDMARKS FOR RELEASE 1982
LEWIS ADVISED THIS TO BE DESIGNED IN
FALKLANDS ALONG LINES RECENT GB NATIONAL TRUST.

LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING DESIGNS BY END YEAR LATEST TO
ENSURE DELIVERY 3 MONTHS BEFORE RELEASE AS LEWIS
HAS REQUESTED.

REGARDS
JANICE SMITH DEPT PH1
CROWN SUTTON

PMB

CCN PSE READ IN 2ND LINE RETURN

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Mr F E Baker
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Ref. PH1/1618 & PH1/1918

4 August 1981

Dear Mr Baker,

BAT AND FALKLAND ISLANDS DEFINITIVES

... I have pleasure in enclosing herewith a Reprint Price Schedule for the Falkland Islands "Mail Ships" Definitive and the BAT "Explorers" Definitive. The prices stated on the Schedule have been prepared by The House of Questa and are based on those prices agreed as at the 1 January 1980 with an increase of 13.52% being the certified Department of Employment increase for the period 1 January 1980 to 1 January 1981.

2 Any reprints for the stamps concerned will be placed at the prices stated plus any quarterly interim increases which are allowed under the Terms and Conditions of the Crown Agents' Price Variation Clause. The enclosed Schedules are for your information and retention.

Yours sincerely

MRS JANICE SMITH