
Bangladesh

National legislation

- Name of the act/law/rule: the Post Office Act, 1898
- Year of enactment: 1898
- Year of last amendment: 2010
- Website link to the text of the act/law/rule: <https://bdpost.gov.bd/>
- All the postal legislation in place (Conventions/Rules/Regulations, etc.)
 - The Post Office Act, 1898
 - The Post Office (Amendment) Act, 2010
 - Government Savings Bank Rules, 1873
 - Post Office National Savings Certificate Ordinance, 1944

Coordinating body for postal policies

- Name of the coordinating body/ministry/committee/agency: Posts and Telecommunications Division, Ministry of Posts, Telecommunications and Information Technology
- Level (Ministry or other): ministry
- Website: ptd.gov.bd

Regulatory authority

Is there an agency/authority that regulates the postal operations: No

Licensing body

- Agency/authority responsible for issuing postal service operation licences to postal service operators: Mailing Operator and Courier Services Licensing Authority
 - Licensing/registration mandatory only for domestic and international courier service companies;
 - Any courier service company of Bangladesh wishing to engage in business in Bangladesh must apply to the chairman for a licence.

Universal service obligations

- Products and services covered by universal service obligation: Both domestic and international letter-post services.
- Name of the universal service provider providing USO: Bangladesh Post
- Status of the universal service provider providing USO: Government