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NetStamps Update

Shown with this article are new examples of NetStamps™ labels that Postage Technology Management has authorized Stamps.com™ to offer. NetStamps is a feature of a previously approved PC Postage® product offered by Stamps.com. This new feature allows customers to print sheets of individual NetStamps.

Customers can use this feature of PC Postage just like adhesive stamps, but with the opportunity to print from their home or office. It also allows customers to print variable rates for their particular needs at the time. Just like other forms of PC Postage, NetStamps may be used to pay for all mail classes and the special services most widely used by small businesses and households. It may also be used in combination with other forms of postage such as original PC Postage indicia, meter strips, and traditional postage stamps. You may see packages or letters with mixed forms of postage. You should process those items in the same manner as any other mail bearing authorized postage.

This postage is printed on stock approved by the Postal Service. It bears a fluorescent strip on the right-hand border and a pale watermark of various graphics at the top. What is shown here are examples, but the Postal Service may approve other designs in the future.

These indicia will not have a human readable date and, depending on local mail processing decisions, may or may not be canceled. Process and handle these indicia in the same manner as any other form of PC Postage. Customers may initiate refunds through the provider, Stamps.com.







— Postage Technology Management, Product Development, 3-6-03

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Credit Card Acceptance for Passport Execution Fee

Passport application acceptance personnel may now accept credit cards for the \$30 execution fee charged by the Postal Service for processing passport applications. The execution fee is the amount recorded in AIC 264. Passport fees payable to the U.S. Department of State must still be paid by check or money order.

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