



## Conditions of Sale

### Postal Auction Bidding

All Bids must be made in New Zealand Dollars.

Bids can be made above or below our suggested estimates. Reserves are set at 80% of the estimate. We do not under any circumstances accept bids under 80% of the estimate. Buy Bids are NOT accepted in our Auctions. Successful bidders will pay the lowest possible price for any lot. This will be either the reserve or one increment above the second highest bidder. Unless advised otherwise we will 'Break A Tie' for any absentee bids received. In the case of identical bids, the first bid received will win the lot. By placing a bid, the bidder is entering into a legal and binding contract to purchase all the lots won in the auction.

### Percentage Increase

Please tick the appropriate 'Percentage Increase' box on the bid form in order for you to have a better chance at winning the item.

### Multiple Lots

We reserve the right to sell more than one lot where multiple lots are available. We will only exercise this right when such lots are identical to the description.

### Purchase Limit

You may nominate a 'Maximum Purchase Limit' by filling in the amount on the front of the bid form. When the limit has been reached we will cancel all subsequent bids.

### Catalogue Listings

When describing lots we generally use the latest edition of either The Auckland City Stamps Colour Catalogue of New Zealand Stamps, Stanley Gibbons World & British Commonwealth Volumes or The Campbell Paterson Catalogue Of New Zealand Stamps.

### We Accept Bids By:

**Mall:** PO Box 99988, Newmarket, Auckland 1149, NZ  
**Telephone:** +649 522 0311  
**Email:** hello@aucklandcitystamps.co.nz

### Deadline

Bids for this auction must be received no later than 5pm (New Zealand time) on the day of the auction. Any bids received after this time will not be included in the auction.

### Postage, Insurance, Tarif & Tax Costs

Every bidder's invoice will be subject to a postage, packing and insurance charge. Purchases exported into the USA will now be subject to customs duties, payable by the buyer. Any taxes or tariffs imposed by other countries are payable by the buyer.

### Guarantee

Every item is guaranteed to be genuine and/or as described. All descriptions of condition are opinion and based on our 40+ years of experience as professional stamp dealers.

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### Return Of Lots

If you believe that a lot has been incorrectly described, you must return it within 48 hours of receipt and if we agree with you a replacement or credit will be arranged. In the event of a dispute the opinion of a mutually agreed authority will be sought and such opinion will be final.

The following lots are not returnable:

- i. Items illustrated in the catalogue are not returnable for visible faults.
- ii. Items that have been immersed in water or subjected to a chemical process after auction.
- iii. Collection, accumulation and kiloware lots.
- iv. Lots that have been inspected by the purchaser prior to the auction.

### Photocopies / Scans

These are available for most lots free of charge. Please contact our office prior to the auction closing date with your requests.

### Viewing Of Lots

Lots can be viewed by appointment only at our offices before the auction.

### Prices Realised

Prices realised will be posted on our website within 24 hours of the auction closing and will be mailed to all bidders in the auction.

### Payment

Can be made by EFTPOS, Cash, Direct Bank Deposit, International Money Transfer (IMT), Visa, MasterCard or Amex. We do not accept payment by cheque. Successful bidders must pay their accounts within 7 days of receipt of invoice.

### Time Payment

Time Payment may be available to clients spending \$2,500.00 or more in this auction. Please contact us with your time payment request prior to sending in your bids or prior to registering as a bidder on the day of the auction.

Time payment arrangements must be approved in writing by Auckland City Stamps.

### Failure To Pay

If payment is not made in accordance with the above two clauses the auctioneer reserves all rights to recover any moneys due, with interest in accordance with any applicable New Zealand laws.

### Buyer's Premium

There is no Buyer's Premium in this Postal Auction.

### GST

In this Postal Auction GST is charged on the vendor's commission and is not added to sales invoices.

### Acceptance

By placing a bid or bids in this auction, the bidder irrevocably accepts and agrees to each of these terms and conditions.

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### ABBREVIATIONS

**	Unhinged Mint	FU	Fine Used	L	Literature	m/s	Miniature Sheet
Unh	Unhinged Mint	CTO	Cancelled To Order	P	Proof	Blk	Block
*	Mint	C	Cover	Defs	Definitives	Pl.Blk	Plate Block
O.g.	Original Gum	env	Envelope	Picts	Pictorials	ACS	Auckland City Stamps Catalogue
Lm	Lightly Hinged Mint	FDC	First Day Cover	Cat	Catalogue Value	CP	Campbell Paterson Catalogue
Hinge	Heavier hinge	reg	Registered	incl	Including	SG	Stanley Gibbons Catalogue
U	Used	P/c	Postcard	st/bk	Stockbook	H&G	Higgins & Gauge
GU	Good Used						