Exhibition for the 15th Inter-School Stamp Exhibits Competition (15 – 17 July 2016)

Hongkong Post and the Education Bureau have been co-organising the Inter-School Stamp Exhibits Competition since 2000 to promote philately among students.

The result of the 15th Inter-School Stamp Exhibits Competition this year was announced on 1 June 2016. An exhibition displaying the winning entries and other entries will be held at the Sha Tin Town Hall from 15 to 17 July 2016.

The exhibition is open to the public and admission is free. The opening hours of the exhibition are:

15 July 2016 (Friday)	12:30 p.m. – 6.00 p.m.
16 July 2016 (Saturday)	11.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
17 July 2016 (Sunday)	11.00 a.m. – 4.00 p.m.

To mark the event, Hongkong Post will issue a souvenir cover, together with a special postmark and a cachet. Souvenir covers, priced at \$2 each, will be put on sale at all philatelic offices from 2 to 17 July 2016. Serviced souvenir covers at \$6.2 each will be available for sale at all philatelic offices on 15 July 2016.

Sales Arrangements

Information about the sales arrangement is set out below:

Products Available From 2 July 2016	Unit Selling Price	Maximum Purchase Quantity Per Queuing Customer
Souvenir Cover	\$2	No restriction
(available at all philatelic offices only		
until 17 July 2016)		

Products Available on 15 July 2016	Unit Selling Price	Maximum Purchase Quantity Per Queuing Customer on the First Day of Issue
Serviced Souvenir Cover affixed with a \$1.7 definitive stamp, date-stamped with the special postmark and the cachet (<i>available at all philatelic offices only on</i> 15 July 2016)	\$6.2	Five covers

Date-stamping Arrangements

A hand-back date-stamping service using the office steel date-stamp and the special postmark will be provided on 15 July 2016 at the exhibition venue and all philatelic offices for official/privately-made covers bearing an indication of the event and a local address. All philatelic offices will also provide a hand-back date-stamping service using the "Philatelic Bureau" pictorial postmark and the philatelic office pictorial postmark concurrently, but the GPO-1 date-stamp will only be available at the General Post Office. A cachet will be available for application on covers from 15 to 17 July 2016 at the exhibition venue throughout the exhibition period and at all philatelic offices during normal office hours.

Information about this exhibition and the souvenir covers is available on Hongkong Post's website at www.hongkongpost.hk. It can also be obtained from any post offices, the Hongkong Post mobile app and the Hongkong Post Philatelic Bureau hotline on 2785 5711.