

**Special Stamp Issue – “Hong Kong Hiking Trails Series No. 1: Lantau Trail”
on 13 October 2016**

This set of special stamps is designed by Mr. Eric CHAN and printed by Cartor Security Printing of France. The stamps are printed in lithography in screen 600 lines per inch while the souvenir sheet is printed in lithography in screen 600 lines per inch plus silver hot foil stamping.

Official First Day Covers will be on sale at \$1.20 each at all post offices from 29 September 2016. The stamps and the associated philatelic products will be displayed at the General Post Office, Tsim Sha Tsui Post Office, Tsuen Wan Post Office, Sha Tin Central Post Office and Tuen Mun Central Post Office from the same day. To complement this stamp theme, the stamps and the associated philatelic products will also be displayed at Discovery Bay Post Office, Mui Wo Post Office, Tai O Post Office and Tung Chung Post Office (located at the Lantau Island) from the same day. Advance orders for servicing self-provided covers will be accepted at all philatelic offices from 29 September 2016 to 5 October 2016.

Sales Arrangements

Information about the sales arrangements is set out below:

<i>Products Available From 29 September 2016</i>	<i>Unit Selling Price</i>	<i>Maximum Purchase Quantity Per Queuing Customer</i>
“Hong Kong Hiking Trails Series No. 1: Lantau Trail” special stamps		
First Day Cover <i>(available at all post offices until 13 October 2016)</i>	\$1.20	No restriction

<i>Products Available From 13 October 2016</i>	<i>Unit Selling Price</i>	<i>Maximum Purchase Quantity Per Queuing Customer on the First Day of Issue</i>
“Hong Kong Hiking Trails Series No. 1: Lantau Trail” special stamps		
Mint Stamps (a set of 12 designs of gummed stamps) <i>(available at all post offices from 13 October 2016)</i>	\$20.4	5 sheets of each design (each sheet contains 10 stamps, viz. 50 stamps of each design)

Souvenir Sheet (containing 12 designs of gummed stamps) <i>(available at all post offices from 13 October 2016)</i>	\$20.4	10 sheets
Presentation Pack (containing a souvenir sheet) <i>(available at all post offices from 13 October 2016)</i>	\$37	Five packs
Self-adhesive Stamp Booklet (containing 12 designs of self-adhesive stamps) <i>(available at all philatelic offices only from 13 October 2016)</i>	\$20.4	Five books
Serviced First Day Cover affixed with a set of 12 gummed stamps and date-stamped with the special postmark <i>(available at all philatelic offices only on 13 October 2016)</i>	\$24.1	Five covers
Serviced First Day Cover affixed with a souvenir sheet and date-stamped with the special postmark <i>(available at all philatelic offices only on 13 October 2016)</i>	\$24.1	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 13 October 2016 at all post offices for official/private-made covers bearing the first day of issue indication and a local address. All philatelic offices will also provide 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.

Information about this special stamp issue and associated philatelic products is available on Hongkong Post’s website at www.hongkongpost.hk and from any post office, the Hongkong Post mobile app and the Hongkong Post Philatelic Bureau hotline on 2785 5711.