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Note

This Monitoring report contains information from Members's website, social media accounts and information received directly via email.

Armenia

In Armenia, Haypost provides free delivery of humanitarian aid to Ukraine.

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Austria

Our thoughts are also with the people of Ukraine at the moment and we are working with high pressure to find a way to find a way we can provide help as the Austrian Post! 💛💙 More to come soon.

If you want to directly support your loved ones in Ukraine and Poland, you can send money free of charge with our partner Ria Money Transfer

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Jeder Beitrag zählt! 💙💛 Unsere Sondermarke "Hilfe für die Ukraine" ist nicht nur für Philatelisten ein zumindest kleines #Highlight in schwierigen Zeiten. Die Zuschlagsmarke der Österreichischen Post ist ein Solidaritätsbeitrag. Er soll helfen, Betroffene mit dem zu versorgen, was sie benötigen – die Bandbreite und das Ausmaß des #Notwendigen sind groß. Daher gehen die 2 Euro Zuschlag der Marke, die einen Nominalwert von 1 Euro hat, je zur Hälfte an zwei erfahrene #Hilfsorganisationen: die österreichische „Nachbar in Not", die internationale UNICEF. Beide sind Partner bei der Ausgabe dieser #Sondermarke. Die Marke ist beim Sammler-Service, in den Postfilialen und Philatelie-Verkaufsstellen und im Onlineshop erhältlich.

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Humanitarian Aid Ukraine

We support Ukraine and send your aid packages to where they are needed free of charge.

Europe and especially Ukraine are currently in a situation that no one expected until a few weeks ago. Within a very short time, hundreds of thousands of people are suddenly fleeing or are confronted with tanks and armed soldiers on their own doorstep.

Even though we at Austrian Post can neither stop the situation nor predict the outcome, we still want to do what we can to help the people in Ukraine and the refugees at the border.

Due to the war, Austrian Post is transporting parcels with relief supplies to Ukraine free of charge until further notice. 1)

1) Note: Due to the state of war in Ukraine, there may be problems with electronic shipment tracking, and the Ukrainian post office cannot deliver in some areas of the country or only with a delay. Österreichische Post AG reserves the right to stop sending parcels to the Ukraine free of charge at any time. There is no guarantee. Any liability is based on the provisions of the Universal Postal Agreement.

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Klaus Schwertner • 2nd
Wir können nicht die Welt retten? Wir sollten zumindest damit beginnen!
1d • Edited •

#Ukraine - Caritas Österreich und Österreichische Post AG starten größte Sachspenden-Sammelaktion ATS

Um geflüchteten Menschen aus der #Ukraine rasch und unbürokratisch zu helfen, können Sachspenden ab Montag kostenlos direkt an die Caritas geschickt

#Wirhelfen macht's möglich, wirksam zu helfen.

1) auf www.wirhelfen.shop können Spender*innen zw verschiedenen Paketen auswählen

2) die benötigten Sachspenden einkaufen

3) mithilfe v Versandetiketten der AT Post kostenlos direkt an die Caritas schicken.

Bitte teilen! Bitte mitmachen! Dankeschön an Georg Pölzl und das ganze Team der Post!

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Ukraine: Caritas und Post starten größte Sachspenden-Sammelaktion Österreichs

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Österreichische Post AG
29 March at 14:10 ·

#zusammenhelfen für die Ukraine 💙💛
Ihr habt Familie und/oder Freunde in der Ukraine und wollt ihnen Hilfsgüter zukommen lassen, wisst aber nicht wie? Wir unterstützen bis auf Weiteres mit einem kostenlosen Transport von humanitären Hilfsmitteln in die Ukraine! 📦
In unserem neuesten Blogbeitrag erklären wir euch wie das ganz einfach & unkompliziert funktioniert.
https://unsere.post.at/.../zusammenhelfen-fuer-die...

#helpingtogether for Ukraine 💙💛
You have family and/or friends in Ukraine and want to get them relief goods, but don't know how? We will support you with free transport of humanitarian aid to Ukraine until further notice! 📦
In our latest blog post, we explain to you how this works very simple & uncomplicated.
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Belarus

On March 30, 2022, as part of the charity event "Marathon of Kindness - Helping the Children of Ukraine", employees of the Gomel branch of RUE "Belpochta" handed over the collected things, toys, personal hygiene products for IDPs staying in the sanatoriums of the region.

Food and sweets were handed over to the Red Cross organization to be sent to mobile help points for Ukrainian citizens who come to the territory of the Gomel region every day.

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Belgium

bpost is working with Ukraine's national postal operator to help the hardest hit people in Ukraine

All Belgians can deliver donations of vital supplies in our post offices

Thursday 17 March 2022

bpost supports everyone affected by the humanitarian crisis in Ukraine. The Belgian postal and e-commerce logistics company will collect donations of vital supplies at its 657 post offices from Monday 21 March 2022 until the end of March. These donations will then be sorted at a bpost sorting centre. In response to the humanitarian crisis, bpost volunteers will drive company trucks filled with the donations up to the Ukrainian border. There, the cargo will be handed over to Ukrposhta, Ukraine's national postal operator, which will ensure it gets to where it's most needed.

The war ravaging Ukraine has left no one unmoved. bpost wanted to provide assistance to the Ukrainian people in partnership with Ukrposhta.

https://press.bpost.be/bpost-is-working-with-ukraines-national-postal-operator-to-help-the-hardest-hit-people-in-ukraine

https://www.lesoir.be/431925/article/2022-03-23/le-president-de-la-poste-ukrainienne-utilisez-bpost-pour-envoyer-votre-aide?fbclid=IwAR1_kUGd1jEAh2NLdJkIEfCFWOef6flH1wp7nXwGwokgWvFLBR63enbSviw

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Le Soir interview: Ukrainian Post president: "Use bpost to send your aid

Ukrainian Post plays a key role in the distribution of humanitarian aid in the country. Belgian Benoît Pleska is in charge of establishing cooperation with European postal groups.

Since Monday and until the end of the month, bpost is making its 657 post offices available for Belgians to drop off essential goods for Ukraine. The donations are sorted and then transported to the Ukrainian border by company trucks. From there, they are taken over by the Ukrainian post office (Ukrposhta) and distributed throughout the country. Bpost is thus responding to a call for help from its Ukrainian counterpart. Benoît Pleska, the Belgian chairman of Ukrposhta's board of directors, who is in charge of coordinating international aid, explains to us from his home in Bucharest, Romania, why this cooperation between European postal companies is so important for the delivery of humanitarian aid.

What is Ukrposhta's role during this war?
It is very important because we are the logistical backbone of the country. We are the most powerful logistic group in Ukraine and the only logistic force that remains in an organised way today. We have more than 60,000 employees, a fleet of trucks, sorting centres, thousands of post offices...

How does the Ukrainian Post operate?
It continues to provide basic services: delivery of mail, parcels, etc. If you know people living in Ukraine, you can send them a parcel. There are a lot of displaced people in the country, but we continue to provide pension payments wherever they are. We have also set up a service for people who have left the country without taking anything with them. Families who have stayed behind can send them their clothes, personal items...

Not all regions are accessible...
There are cities where we are not operational. Mariupol, of course - our logistics centre was completely destroyed there - and the Lugansk region... Where the bombing is intense, we don't go. Out of the 10,000 post offices that we have, 5,000 to 6,000 are open.

Were your postmen not mobilised by the army?
4,000 were drafted out of 60,000. In the first days of the invasion, two of them shot down two Russian planes. They were decorated by the president.

Why did you ask bpost for help?
There are a lot of individual solidarity initiatives that are being put in place and which are excellent, but in general it gets complicated when we start talking about logistics. How do you get the parcels to the border? Where to drop them off? How to cross the border? Who will take them and distribute them to whom? With Ukrposhta and bpost, you have two logistics behemoths that speak the same language and have decided to work together. Everything is arranged in advance. It goes fast. There is a mass effect. The list of products that bpost accepts was drawn up by the Ukrainian government*. Bpost knows how to sort and package everything it receives and send it to us in the best possible conditions. All border crossing problems are solved thanks to our contacts with the government. And we have the logistical structure to distribute the packages throughout the country.

What do you say to Belgian individuals and companies who leave with vans to transport food or clothing to Ukraine?
Use the logistical power of bpost instead, because it is the best organised and most efficient chain. You can be sure that your goods will reach us very quickly and will be distributed where they are most needed.

Is the delivery of international aid the primary job of your postmen?
Yes. They have another very important mission: paying pensions. We can't leave people without income. Outside the big cities, many people have no access to the banking system. They have to be paid in cash. In the middle of the war, we managed to deliver 80% of the pensions this month. It should also be noted that we have no problem sorting and transporting humanitarian aid. Ukraine is a very large country with a low population density. In some remote villages, the post office is the only point of contact with the population, and they used to deliver basic necessities.

Do you collaborate with other European Posts?

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We started this type of collaboration with the Romanian Post because I used to sit on its board. It was easier. We tested the model. Now that we know it works, we want to extend it to other European players and the first postal company I thought of was bpost. I gave Dirk Tirez (CEO of bpost, editor's note) a call on a Saturday evening and he immediately made bpost available for this operation. For logistical capacity reasons, we can't do this with all the European Posts at the same time. It will be one at a time.

Is this international aid very important?
Yes, because today all the logistical chains are interrupted. This allows those who have remained in the country and are defending it to concentrate on their mission and not have to waste energy looking for food. It is one less thing to worry about.

*1. Canned food (meat, fish), packaged dried fruit, packaged cereals, dried biscuits or rusks. No jars. 2: Hygiene products (soaps, nappies, etc.). 3. Dry or tinned food for dogs and cats.

Benoît Pleska is a little-known Belgian boss. He left the country in 1992 and spent most of his career in Eastern Europe. He graduated in management and human resources management from the Fucam in Mons - the city from which he originates - and began his career at Puratos (industrial bakery) where he was in charge of the major Western European countries. He was then appointed General Manager of the Bulgarian subsidiary of the group. He continued his career in the food industry by becoming marketing director of the brewer Interbrew (AB Inbev) in Romania, then founder of Danone Romania. He also restructured all the activities of the cement company Holcim in Eastern Europe. From 2006 to 2011, he worked in Ukraine - where his family is originally from - especially in the distribution sector. He was a director of the Romanian Post between 2014 and 2019 and has been chairman of the board of the Ukrainian Post since 2018.

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4 April 2022

Les premiers camions de dons Bpost sont partis ce lundi de Jemelle vers l'Ukraine

Il y avait un peu plus d'animation que d'habitude, ce lundi après-midi, au centre de tri Bpost de Jemelle. Le CEO, Dirk Tirez, avait même fait le déplacement pour assister au départ des deux premiers camions transportant des biens de premières nécessité, à destination des Ukrainiens

touchés par le conflit russo-ukrainien. L'opération lancée par Bpost remonte au 21 mars dernier. L'entreprise postale et de logistique d'e-commerce a mis ses 657 bureaux à disposition pour collecter des produits de première nécessité. "Le président du Conseil d'Administration de la poste ukrainienne, Benoît Pleska, un Belge originaire de Mons, a contacté le CEO de Bpost pour mettre quelque chose en place. Ce dernier a répondu positivement", explique la porte-parole de Bpost Laura Cerrada Crespo. Depuis, les 657 bureaux de poste reçoivent quotidiennement des dons qu'il faut trier. Une étape qui a lieu au centre de tri de Jemelle. Six employés s'y attellent quotidiennement. "Il y a beaucoup de nourriture pour chien et chat, de langes, de lingettes, de lait en poudre et des produits d'hygiène. On reçoit 18 chariots par jour, à trier (Ndlr : le volume d'un chariot est d'environ 2m³). On est rôdé", détaille Steven, l'un des six employés chargés du tri.

Une fois triés et rangés par catégories, ces dons seront acheminés par camion. Les deux premiers départs ont eu lieu ce lundi après-midi. Deux duos de chauffeurs provenant de Bruxelles et de Liège sont partis pour un aller-retour de 3.400km. Ils transiteront notamment par l'Allemagne et la Hongrie. La suite reste tenue secrète par mesure de sécurité. Les marchandises seront remises à la poste ukrainienne, qui est responsable de la distribution ultérieure. 180 chauffeurs s'étaient portés volontaires pour participer à cette opération. Une sélection a été opérée sur base de leur expérience, de leur caractère et de leur capacité à maîtriser leurs émotions. "Car on ne sait pas ce qu'il peut se passer là-bas", précise la porte-parole de Bpost Laura Cerrada Crespo. Christophe (32ans), originaire de Huy et chauffeur pour le centre de tri d'Awans, en fait partie. "Un reportage du JT sur l'acheminement de dons, depuis le Heysel, m'a donné envie de le faire il y a quelques semaines. Je n'avais pas les dons mais étant chauffeur, je pouvais mettre ma main-d'œuvre à disposition. J'en ai parlé à mon chef mais ma proposition est restée sans réponse. Et puis, Bpost a lancé son opération." L'homme s'est directement porté volontaire. "Depuis 15 jours, j'ai le pied droit qui chatouille. Je vais conduire, et faire plaisir. Ce qui me fait le plus peur ? Une éventuelle panne…" Les quatre chauffeurs seront de retour jeudi, à Jemelle. L'opération de collecte de dons de Bpost se poursuit, elle, jusqu'au 15 avril inclus.

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5 April 2022

Un convoi bpost de 25 tonnes pour l'Ukraine

Bpost envoie deux camions bourrés de matériel et de colis alimentaires en direction de la frontière ukrainienne.

Jacques Duchateau

Depuis une quinzaine de jours, les clients de bpost peuvent déposer dans les bureaux de poste du pays des colis alimentaires. Une opération couverte de succès.

«Bpost a été contactée par la poste ukrainienne, nous explique Laura Cerrada Crespo, porte-parole de bpost. C'était un appel à l'aide pour les citoyens restés au pays.»

Les colis sont composés d'alimentation, de produits de soin et d'hygiène, des soins pour bébés, de l'alimentation pour animaux de compagnie et aussi de l'aide médicale. Presque tout a été offert par les clients de bpost mais certaines sociétés, comme Tom & Co, ont également offert du matériel.
60 colis par jour

À Saint-Vith par exemple, il y a eu jusqu'à 60 dons de colis par jour. Tous les colis déposés dans les bureaux de poste de Belgique ont été centralisés au dépôt de Jemelle (Rochefort). Là, ils ont été triés, étiquetés, emballés puis chargés dans deux camions semi-remorques. Direction: un lieu tenu secret, pour ne pas faire prendre des risques inutiles à ceux qui réceptionneront ces 25 tonnes de vivres et de matériel.

Laura Cerrada Crespo: «Nos 2 camions, conduits par 4 chauffeurs, vont rouler jusqu'à la frontière ukrainienne. Là, ce sont des camions de la poste ukrainienne qui vont charger les 64 palettes et les emporter dans les lieux de distribution.»

Les chauffeurs sont tous bénévoles. Et c'est sous le regard ému du CEO de bpost, Dirk Tirez, que les deux gros camions blancs ont pris la route ce lundi après-midi. Leur voyage devrait durer quatre jours: deux jours aller, deux jours retour. Avec sur place un arrêt le plus court possible pour décharger les camions et remettre le matériel aux collègues ukrainiens.

Aider son prochain

Jonathan Costa est chauffeur bpost. Originaire de Dison, il est un des quatre chauffeurs volontaires partis ce lundi pour la frontière ukrainienne. « On va transporter des marchandises de nécessité pour l'Ukraine. C'est une belle expédition. ce qui me motive c'est la solidarité entre êtres humains. »
La récolte de colis continue encore. La semaine prochaine, ce sont deux autres camions qui partiront pour acheminer de l'aide humanitaire vers les populations ukrainiennes.

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bpost
1 April at 12:33

Tous ensemble pour aider l'Ukraine 💙💛

Sylvain, Tristan, Steven, Dylan, Jonathan et Noémie traitent toute l'aide humanitaire recueillie dans nos 657 bureaux de poste. Celle-ci sera transportée par des camions @bpost jusqu'en Ukraine la semaine prochaine. La poste ukrainienne @ukrposhta les distribuera ensuite à travers tout le pays.

Prenez part à cette chaîne de solidarité. Donnez pour l'Ukraine !... See more

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bpost
6 April at 12:27

Het 1e bpost-konvooi leverde vandaag humanitaire hulp aan de Oekraïense grens 💙💛

bpost chauffeurs Christophe, Stéphane, Nicolas en Jonathan hielpen hun collega's van de Oekraïense post Укрпошта bij het uitladen en laden van de vrachtwagens.

Meer vrachtwagens volgen. Zet deze grote golf van solidariteit verder. Geef voor Oekraïne!... See more

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bpost
7 April at 11:11

🇺🇦 Uw giften zijn veilig aangekomen in #Oekraïne en overgedragen aan Укрпошта: dank u! 🙏

De lokale postbodes verdelen ze aan de meest behoeftigen.

De inzamelactie in de postkantoren loopt tot 15 april. Blijf er over praten en doe ook een gift voor Oekraïne 💙💛

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bpost
12 April at 10:46

Aveve toont zijn hart voor dieren en schenkt een aantal paletten dierenvoeding om #Ukraine te steunen

Deze hulpgoederen vertrekken vandaag al met het tweede bpost konvooi, maar ook met jullie giften, naar de Oekraïense grens.

De dappere postmannen en -vrouwen van Укрпошта, de Oekraïense nationale postoperator, nemen het daar van ons over. Zij zullen in uiterst moeilijk en gevaarlijke omstandigheden deze levensnoodzakelijke producten bezorgen aan de Oekraïners en hun ge... See more

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13 April at 11:46

De Oekraïners die hun land niet kunnen verlaten hebben jouw hulp nodig

Het 2e bpost-konvooi is onderweg om jullie giften naar de Oekraïense grens te brengen. Andy, een bpost-chauffeur en vrijwilliger om humanitaire hulp te leveren, heeft een boodschap voor jou

Doe zoals hij. Doe een geste voor Oekraïne en breng voor 15 april hulpmiddelen naar het postkantoor in jouw buurt.

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bpost
Yesterday at 16:51

De ophaalactie in de postkantoren eindigt op vrijdag 22/04

Doe zoals Petra De Sutter, Minister van Overheidsbedrijven en Post, en doe een gift voor Oekraïne!

Allemaal samen Oekraïne helpen

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Petra De Sutter
Yesterday at 13:27

This morning I stopped by the post office of De Brouckère in Brussels to contribute to the collection of bpost . It was extended until this week Friday, April 2... See more

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bpost
15 April at 09:59

Het 2e bpost-konvooi is vanmorgen vroeg veilig aangekomen aan de Oekraïense grens

Proficiat aan onze 4 chauffeurs Amine, Andy, Edward en Frédéric die de humanitaire hulp afleverden aan de Oekraïense post Укрпошта. De goederen zullen goed terecht komen!

Het is nog niet te laat om bij te dragen aan deze warme solidariteitsactie. Ga naar je lokale postkantoor en breng hulpgoederen voor Oekraïne!... See more

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bpost
15 April at 15:20

Hulpgoederen voor Oekraïne worden nog verzameld in de postkantoren tot 22/4

Ga naar je lokale postkantoor en breng jouw doos met levensmiddelen voor Oekraïne!

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Croatia

As a sign of solidarity and good mutual relations, the Croatian Post has made certain activities since the beginning of the aggression to actively help Ukraine.

- From March 7 Croatian Post allows users to pay donations for humanitarian aid to Ukraine without charging a payment fee in favor of the following accounts:
    - Croatian Red Cross
    - Croatian Caritas
    - Caritas of the Zagreb Archdiocese

- From March 4 Croatian Post allowed receipt of humanitarian packages for Ukraine. Packages may contain food, medical supplies and clothing.

- On April 12 Croatian Post issued a new commemorative postage stamp „For peace in Ukraine“.

The motive on the postage stamp is a yellow rapeseed field and a blue sky symbolizing the Ukrainian flag. The stamp was printed in 30,000 copies and in a sheet of 8 stamps. Stamp was conceived as an additional symbol of friendship between the Republic of Croatia and Ukraine.

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Czech Republic

The free package to Ukraine has its first results. You shipped 470 packages to this country in January. After the outbreak of war, you have sent a total of 201 such free packages to your Ukrainian friends in the first three days since the beginning of March. Thank you.

The Czech Post's wagons help transport the necessary things to Ukraine. UA

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We are glad that our mail wagons can also help transport humanitarian aid to Ukraine.

The Czech Post also helps people fleeing the war in Ukraine by providing them with asylum in their accommodation facilities.

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Estonia

A postage stamp to support Ukraine will be released for sale
21 March 2022

This Thursday, 24 March, Omniva will start selling the postage stamp issued in support of Ukraine. A postcard with a similar design will be given for free with all purchases of the stamp.

The 'Glory to Ukraine!' postage stamp, which will be released exactly one month after the start of the war in Ukraine, is Estonia's symbolic show of support to the state and people of Ukraine in defending their independence. The postage stamp carries a message of peace that is symbolised by a dove of peace. Now, it can be spread by people around the world. With the postage stamp, you can express support for ending the war and for the independence of Ukraine.

Omniva has sent 23 trucks with humanitarian aid to Ukraine

In cooperation with multiple aid organisations, Omniva has already sent 23 trucks containing humanitarian aid to Ukraine. Many more trucks containing aid will be sent over the course of this week and the next.

Currently, Omniva is working in collaboration with three charity organisations to support Ukraine. They are the Estonian Red Cross, the non-profit Mondo, and the Estonian Food Bank. 'With the help of various logistics companies, we are able to send help by dispatching new trucks to Ukraine every day. This means organising the whole process from storaging to arriving safely at the destination', said one of the members of Omniva's Management Board, Kristi Unt. 'People, organisations, and companies have donated so much, and our hands are quite full – we have fixed transport delivery schedules for the coming weeks.'
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Omniva: humanitarian aid can now be sent to Ukraine by free parcel

In cooperation with the Ukrainian Post, Omniva now offers private persons the possibility of sending humanitarian aid to Ukraine by free parcel as a new service.

The people of Estonia wish to help their acquaintances, friends, and relatives in Ukraine and send help in the form of medicine, foodstuff, clothes, or basic necessities, for example. We offer private persons the possibility of sending a free parcel containing humanitarian aid to a specific address in Ukraine,' said Marita Mägi, head of Omniva's international parcel and letter services.

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Omniva has sold nearly 20,000 „Glory to Ukraine!" postage stamps in a month
25 April 2022

The state-owned company Omniva has sold nearly 20,000 „Glory to Ukraine!" postage stamps in a month. The postage stamps were first issued on 24 March.

Mart Mägi, Chairman of the Management Board of Omniva, said that the sale of the postage stamp with twice the circulation of a traditional Estonian themed postage stamp has been extremely successful. „I am happy to see that the postage stamp issued in support of Ukraine is so popular and its important message means a lot to so many people!" said Mart Mägi. „I would like to thank everyone who has used these postage stamps and postcards to send a message of peace all around the world, and I urge everyone to continue to do so!"

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The „Glory to Ukraine!“ postage stamp is the symbolic statement of the support of Estonia for the Ukrainian state and people in defending their independence. The postage stamp depicts a dove of peace against the background of the colours of the Ukrainian flag. The stamp features the text „Слава Україні!“ in Ukrainian, which means „Glory to Ukraine!“, and „Eesti toetab Ukrainat“ („Estonia supports Ukraine“) in Estonian. The edition size of the stamps is 50,000 and its nominal price is 1.90 euros, which means that the stamps can be sent around the world. The design of the postage stamp was created in cooperation with the advertising agency Utopia and the stamps were printed by the printing house Vaba Maa. The postage stamp can be purchased from the e-shop of Omniva and in post offices all across Estonia.

Omniva supports Ukraine through its services in several ways. Omniva offers private individuals the opportunity to send humanitarian aid, such as medicines, consumer goods, and other basic necessities, to Ukraine free of charge. Information on sending humanitarian aid parcels in cooperation with the national postal service of Ukraine is available on the website of Omniva and in post offices all over Estonia. In cooperation with the charity organisations Estonian Red Cross, the non-profit association Mondo, and the Estonian Food Bank, as well as the Tallinn City Government and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, 34 truckloads of aid have been sent to Ukraine since the beginning of March. In addition, Omniva supports humanitarian aid within Estonia with logistics and the storage of goods.

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Finland

After the outbreak of war in Ukraine, everyone's help is needed. The post office is involved with a donation of 50,000 € @unicef_finland and @PunainenRisti

In addition, we work in cooperation with the Ukrainian Post and have promised them transport-related assistance from Finland to Poland.

We also help various organizations and other parties in the transportation of humanitarian aid within Finland, which is on its way to Ukraine. We also encourage other companies to donate

Today, the first semi-trailer is fully loaded and in motion. We hope that the aid will arrive quickly and safely. 🕊️💙💛

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France

Statement from La Poste

LA POSTE GROUPE

COMMUNIQUÉ DE PRESSE

Paris, le 3/03/2022

SOLIDARITE UKRAINE

Le groupe La Poste s'associe à l'élan de solidarité pour l'Ukraine à travers plusieurs actions de soutien. En relayant les appels aux dons des principales associations (Croix-Rouge, Secours Populaire, Unicef…) vers ses collaborateurs et ses clients et en travaillant à une offre gratuite de campagne par courrier d'appels aux dons. La Poste travaille également pour proposer gratuitement l'acheminement de colis ou de produits de première nécessité par des associations caritatives. La Banque Postale va proposer la gratuité pour tous les virements vers l'Ukraine y compris ceux de Western Union. Les appels, SMS et MMS de la France vers l'Ukraine seront gratuits pour les clients de La Poste Mobile dès le 4 mars.

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La Poste is appealing for donations from the main charities (Red Cross, Secours Populaire, UNICEF, etc.) to its employees and customers and by offering a free appeal for donations by mail. La Poste is also making its Colissimo network available to the Red Cross for the free delivery of parcels or the shipment of essential goods to the Ukrainian population. La Banque Postale is also offering free transfers to Ukraine, including those from Western Union. Calls and SMS from France to Ukraine have been free of charge for La Poste Mobile customers since 4 March. Lastly, GeoPost is providing financial support to the Red Cross and the European Federation of Food Banks (FEBA) to help Ukrainian refugees.

https://www.lapostegroupe.com/fr/actualite/solidarite-ukraine

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Updated statement from La Poste on 15 March 2022

PRESS RELEASE

Paris, 3 March 2022

UPDATED ON 15 March 2022

STANDING TOGETHER WITH UKRAINE

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Le Groupe La Poste is standing with the Ukrainian population through a number of different initiatives carried out by all its entities.

The Retail Customers and Digital Services business unit is relaying UNICEF's appeals for donations through its internal media and to its customers. **La Banque Postale** is doing the same for the appeals for donations launched by the Red Cross and Secours Populaire. In total, tens of thousands of people can make a donation easily by clicking on labanquepostale.fr and in the near future laposte.fr.

La Poste is also offering **free postage** to humanitarian associations recognised as being of public interest for their donation campaigns for Ukraine until the end of April 2022.

Despite the closure of Ukrainian airspace, parcels are still being delivered. The parcels are forwarded to Poland and handed over to the Polish postal service, which in turn hands them over to the Ukrainian postal service.
Against this backdrop, and subject to changes in the situation, **Colissimo** is making its international network available to the Red Cross to deliver parcels or transport essential goods to the Ukrainian population free of charge.

La Banque Postale is also offering free transfers to Ukraine, including money transfers with Western Union.

For its part, **La Poste Mobile** has decided to offer its 2 million customers (with or without a fixed-term contract) free voice calls and text messages from France to Ukrainian landlines and mobile numbers. This free service started on 4 March 2022 and will continue throughout the month of March.

GeoPost, Le Groupe La Poste's International Parcel Network, does not have a subsidiary in Ukraine but is active in Russia and in all the countries bordering Ukraine. A huge surge of solidarity and local initiatives in each country, and in particular in Poland, is being organised to provide all possible practical help to the humanitarian associations on the ground.

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GeoPost is also supporting NGOs working for the benefit of Ukrainian refugees.
In practical terms, GeoPost will donate €1 million to the Red Cross and €200,000 to the European Federation of Food Banks (FEBA). In addition, GeoPost is encouraging donations to FEBA through a dedicated web page and will double every euro donated up to a limit of €200k.

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Georgia

To express solidarity to the Ukrainian people, Georgian Post is launching a campaign to organize the transfer of humanitarian parcels to the Ukrainian people free of charge. The Georgian citizens can apply to service centres of the Georgian Post across the country to use the free service.

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Up to now to express solidarity to the Ukrainian people, the Georgian Post launched a large-scale campaign to organize the free of charge transfer of humanitarian aid received from the citizens of Georgia to the Ukrainian People.

Alongside with the above-mentioned campaign, with the initiative of the Georgian Government and with the support of Enterprise Georgia the first humanitarian cargo up to 40 tons of various necessities were collected, including food and beverages, primary and medical supplies. Georgian Post organized the transfer of products from Georgia to the Ukrainian people.

In addition, on the Prime Minister's decision, and with engagement from State Representatives and the Government Administration's Regional Liaison Department, more than 153 tons of humanitarian aid for the Ukrainian people has been collected across Georgia. The second humanitarian cargo consisted of non-perishable products, essential goods, medical items, and medications. In the process of cargo mobilization and transportation Georgian post enjoyed active involvement.

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Additional Activities to support Ukraine

- Georgian Post employed the citizens of Ukraine for the transfer of collected humanitarian aid from Georgia to Ukraine
- Georgian National Tourism Administration has opened a hotline for the Ukrainian tourists being in Georgia
- The Georgian Government is covering accommodation of the Ukrainian people arrived in Georgia
- The Municipality of Tbilisi offers some municipal services free of charge to the citizens of Ukraine in the capital. In addition, to free travel on public transport, Ukrainian citizens have the benefits of free services from municipal sports centres, swimming pools, museums, theatres, libraries, media libraries and art schools.

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Germany

To express solidarity to the Ukrainian people, Deutsche Post Humanitarian aid packages to Ukraine is free.

https://www.dhl.de/de/privatkunden/information/hilfe-ukraine.html?tid=pk-banner_4

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Greece

Hellenic Post S.A. stands in solidarity with the people of Ukraine and the refugees to be hosted in Greece, actively participating in the campaign organized by the Embassy of Ukraine in Greece.
We collect, free of charge, parcels of humanitarian aid via our post offices network throughout Greece, with the indication "Humanitarian Aid Parcels for Ukraine", and we transport them to the appointed coordination center in Athens, from 17th March to 30th April 2022.

We stand with the children of #Ukraine

Post Office and Post Office Courier stores across the country are participating in the Ukrainian Children's First-Aid Funding Campaign, organized by @The Smile of the Child.

We accept free parcels, up to 20kg, with the code: "Humanitarian Aid - UKRAINE - THE CHILD'S SMILE"
In detail the requirements:
https://bit.ly/36Ymi1n

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Ireland

Donate to Red Cross or UNICEF for Ukraine at any post office

1 March 2022

Financial donations for the UNICEF and Red Cross Ukrainian crisis appeals may be made at any post office, Monday to Friday and on Saturday mornings.

An Post and Postmasters have waived the fees normally payable for such transactions so the entirety of donations will go to the two charities.

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1 March 2022

Supports for Ukrainian Refugees in Ireland:

Social Welfare Payments:	Those entitled to social welfare income supports and/or Child Benefit will be paid at their designated post office.
Address Point Service:	A secure personal address will be provided to displaced Ukrainian refugees who are living in temporary accommodation.
Send/Receive Money with No Fees:	An Post will not charge the usual transfer fee for money being sent or received from the Ukraine.
An Post Current Account:	Displaced Ukrainian citizens who come to Ireland will be provided with an An Post Current Account to enable their everyday banking
An Post Mobile:	Ukrainian refugees can avail of a free SIM card and three months credit. All call, text & usage charges have been lifted for any customers in Ukraine.
FreePost:	All Ukrainians living or recently arrived in Ireland can avail of free standard postage on letters and parcels to Ukraine at their local Post Office.

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Humanitarian Aid:

- **Financial Donations to UNICEF and Red Cross Ukrainian Crisis Appeals at any Post Office -** An Post and Postmasters have waived the fees normally payable for such transactions.

- **Key Drop Off Points for Aid to Ukraine -** Ongoing efforts to establish multiple access points across the An Post Postal Network as key drop off points for humanitarian aid.

- **Transport & Drivers available to the Irish Red Cross -** An Post and the CWU have made a truck and drivers available to the Irish Red Cross for transport for goods to Ukraine or a neighbouring country.

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Italy

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AhqT1uk6zMs

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6HxVIrfeQj4

On ongoing humanitarian emergency in an interview with Italy's UN High Commissioner
https://twitter.com/PosteNews/status/1504473300587536391
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TGPoste internal newscast (watched by customers at the post offices and the network of Poste Italiane's employees) daily dedicates special insights on Ukraine crisis to keep updated on the developments and actions

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Jersey

Jersey Post
@jsypost

We've all seen the news coming from Ukraine and our hearts go out to the people caught up in this tragedy.

We've teamed up with @JTsocial to support our customers to send parcels to Ukraine, make calls and SMS texts free of charge from today, 1st March.

lnkd.in/d9s5m3dk

Ukraine

As of Tuesday 1st March, JT and Jersey Post will make calls, SMS texts and postage to Ukraine free of charge for customers.

Please be aware that communications to the region may be affected and deliveries might be impacted by delays, but we will do our best to keep you connected with your loved ones.

JT Jersey Post

10:34 AM · Mar 1, 2022 · Twitter Web App

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Jersey post is having a Dress Down day tomorrow, Friday 4 March to fundraise for Ukraine.

As a result, we would like to make you aware that your postie may not be dressed in their regular Jersey Post uniform tomorrow whilst out delivering.

Thank you for your understanding.

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Latvia

Latvijas Pasts releases a stamp block in support of Ukraine: half of its sales will be donated

On the 10th of March 2022, Latvijas Pasts issues a stamp block and a special cover in response to the Russian invasion of Ukraine: 50% of the proceeds from the sales of the block will be channelled to the charity fund Ziedot.lv programme in support of Ukraine. The stamp block consists of three stamps and a special explanatory coupon. The block features the national flags of Ukraine and Latvia, Ukraine's Independence Monument in Kiev and Latvia's Freedom Monument in Riga as well as inscriptions in Ukrainian and Latvian saying We Are with You! and Glory to Ukraine!

In response to Russia's invasion of Ukraine, on the 10th of March Latvijas Pasts releases a block of three stamps and a special cover to support Ukraine. The selling price of the stamp block will be nine euro, and 50% of the proceeds from the sales will be donated to the charity fund Ziedot.lv programme in support of Ukraine.

The philatelic releases dedicated to supporting Ukraine – stamps, a coupon and a cover – form a single patriotic composition depicting the symbols of independence of both countries: the Independence Monument in Kiev and the Freedom Monument in Riga, the national flags of Ukraine and Latvia, and inscriptions in Ukrainian and Latvian: We Are with You! and Glory to Ukraine! The planned print run of the stamp block is 20,000 copies, and the print run of the cover is 800 copies.

The face value of each of the stamps included in the block is €1.44, and it can be used to send an ordinary letter weighing up to 20 grams to the countries in Groups 2 and 4. The new philatelic releases have been designed by the artist Ģirts Grīva.

It is expected that the stamp block will first be available for purchase in the e-shop of Latvijas Pasts and at the largest post offices in Riga: post office No. 10 at 41/43 Elizabetes Street, post office No. 50 in the shopping centre Origo at 2 Stacijas laukums and the post centre Sakta at 32 Brīvības bulvāris.

From the 14th of March, the stamp block released in support of Ukraine will be available at post offices throughout Latvia. However, the most convenient way to purchase stamps is the e-shop of Latvijas Pasts, which offers deliveries by courier to any address most suitable for the customer, as well as to Latvijas Pasts parcel lockers and post offices throughout Latvia.

The first day cancellation of the stamp block and the cover is scheduled to take place in the post centre Sakta at 32 Brīvības bulvāris, Riga, from 9 AM to 6 PM on the 10th of March.

The stamp block and the cover released in support of Ukraine can be viewed here.

Let us support Ukraine together! #StandWithUkraine
https://pasts.lv/en/footer/Useful_Information/News/philately_news/6796-latvijas-pasts-releases-a-stamp-block-in-support-of-ukraine-half-of-its-sales-will-be-donated

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We have resumed accepting shipments to Ukraine, because in cooperation with the Polish Post, a solution has been found for deliveries by land. Shipments from Ukraine to Latvia will be transported in the same way. However, deliveries will be slower and not possible everywhere https://pasts.lv/lv/zinas/6768-atjaunota-sutijumu-apmaina-ar-ukrainu

Western Union money transfers to Ukraine, as well as from Ukraine to Latvian Post offices are available free of charge. At present, both shipments and remittances are accepted to Ukraine, but the war situation must be taken into account.

#StandWithUkraine #SlavaUkraini

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Lithuania

Create a postage stamp for Ukrainian heroes!

Unity and solidarity with the people of Ukraine, who bravely defend their country's freedom every day, is more important than ever today. Lithuanian Post invites to express support for this nation in a unique language known to the whole world - through a postage stamp.

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Luxembourg

POST offre les appels et SMS depuis et vers l'Ukraine Afin de soutenir ses clients touchés par les événements actuels en Ukraine, POST Luxembourg offre les frais de communication des appels effectués depuis des appareils fixes et mobiles, ainsi que l'envoi de SMS vers l'Ukraine.

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POST Luxembourg extends its solidarity actions in favour of refugees from Ukraine
In order to facilitate and support the reception of refugees from Ukraine in the Grand Duchy, POST Luxembourg is committed to providing aid in the form of free mobile phone subscriptions, as well as the provision of a bank account and a payment card free of charge. Both actions are implemented in consultation with the "Office national de l'accueil" (ONA). POST Luxembourg is also making a number of facilities and accommodation available to ONA for housing refugees.

From Monday 21 March 2022, refugees from Ukraine, with their certificate of temporary protection (issued by the "Direction de l'immigration), can go to any POST Telecom point of sale and benefit from a mobile subscription. This solidarity offer includes unlimited calls from Luxembourg to Ukraine, a mobile Internet volume as well as calls and SMS in Luxembourg.

In order to offer refugees from Ukraine their banking access, POST Finance has set up a simplified and accelerated account opening procedure, which also includes a Vpay payment card and unlimited withdrawals at all ATMs. To take advantage of this offer, applicants must contact ONA (5, rue Carlo Hemmer L-1734 Luxembourg-Kirchberg), which centralises applications and organises an appointment with a dedicated POST Finance advisor. This simplified procedure is based on an existing cooperation between POST and ONA, in place since 2016 for beneficiaries of international protection and now extended to beneficiaries of temporary protection. All administrative documents related to this procedure have been translated into the languages appropriate for this target group.
As soon as the "one-stop shop" of the "Direction de l'immigration" for refugees from Ukraine is opened, POST advisors will be present to accompany the beneficiaries in their procedures.

Since 21 February 2022, POST Luxembourg has been supporting all its customers affected by the current events in Ukraine by offering them calls and SMS between Luxembourg and Ukraine. This measure, initially planned until 31 March 2022, has been extended until 30 June 2022.

#Luxembourg #POSTLuxembourg #Ukraine #helpukraine

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Moldova

Solidarity with the Ukrainian people

In these difficult times when our neighbours from Ukraine were mentioned, we, the citizens of the Republic of Moldova, are with them. Because of the war, thousands of families have to leave their homes, leaving behind everything they have put their souls into their lives.

The Moldova Post is in solidarity with the Ukrainian people and launched a campaign to collect aid for Ukrainian citizens who have taken refuge in the Republic of Moldova. We are a welcoming and helpful people in need. Some of us have opened doors to house families with children, others have donated products or joined volunteer teams to help manage this crisis situation.

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Montenegro

Money transfers to Ukraine without transaction fees

"Montenegro Post wishes to inform its customers that, as a sign of solidarity with Ukrainian citizens, all the services of money transfers from Montenegro to Ukraine, via Western Union and MoneyGram, will be provided free of charge, i.e. transfer fee will be 0 EUR. We believe that this fee waiver for money transfers to Ukraine will make it much easier for customers to send money, thus contributing to a larger number of transactions."

https://postacg.me/novcane-transakcije-ka-ukrajini-bez-provizije/

Money transactions to Ukraine via Ria Money Transfer without fee

Montenegro Post hereby informs its customers that all money transfers to Ukraine through Ria money transfer will be made with 0 transaction fee by the end of April.

https://postacg.me/transakcije-za-ukrajinu-preko-ria-money-transfera-bez-provizije/

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https://www.instagram.com/p/CcPdA2aIkVB/?igshid=MDJmNzVkMjY=

Montenegro Post have been also regularly updating our customers on the situation in Ukraine and the initiatives taken.

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Netherlands

PostNL colleagues have joined forces to collect as many necessary goods as possible (in close alignment with the Red Cross on what is required). Customers, partners and other PostNL colleagues have generously donated items and made resources available. This meant that on 7 April 2022, for the third time, a convoy of PostNL trucks with aid left for Swarzedz in Poland. There we hand over the aid to the Red Cross who then take care of the distribution.

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Wat er in Oekraïne gebeurt raakt ons allemaal enorm. 💙💛 Naast een donatie vanuit de organisatie besloten een aantal PostNL-collega's in actie te komen en ons logistieke netwerk in te zetten.

Deze collega's hebben hun krachten gebundeld om zoveel mogelijk noodzakelijke goederen bij de vluchtelingen te laten komen. Denk hierbij aan voeding, hygiëneproducten en artikelen voor baby's. Ook klanten, partners en andere PostNL-collega's hebben ruimhartig spullen gedoneerd, resources ter beschikking gesteld en letterlijk hun handen uit de mouwen gestoken. Waarvoor onze hartelijke dank!

Vanochtend vertrok voor de derde keer een konvooi PostNL vrachtwagens met hulpmiddelen naar Swarzedz in Polen. Daar zal het Rode Kruis zorg dragen voor het uitdelen. We wensen onze collega's op de weg een hele voorspoedige reis! 🚚

#Oekraine #noodhulp #support

See translation

PostNL konvooi op weg naar Polen met hulpmiddelen voor slachtoffers va...

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25 March 2022

Jesteśmy z Wami! – specjalny znaczek wyrazem wsparcia dla Ukrainy

W piątek, 25 marca br., Poczta Polska wprowadziła do obiegu specjalny znaczek pocztowy emisji „Jesteśmy z Wami!", jako wyraz wsparcia, szacunku i solidarności z walczącą o wolność i niepodległość Ukrainą. Ten unikatowy walor w nakładzie 3 mln sztuk trafił do placówek pocztowych w całym kraju.

https://media.poczta-polska.pl/pr/734006/jestesmy-z-wami-specjalny-znaczek-wyrazem-wsparcia-dla-ukrainy

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The Management Board of Poczta Polska decided to:

- exemption from postage fees for customs declarations for items with humanitarian aid

- introduce EMS items to Ukraine free of charge

1 April 2022

Free delivery of humanitarian parcels to Ukraine weighing up to 20 kg

From April 1 this year. Poczta Polska will enable free delivery of EMS parcels weighing up to 20 kg to recipients in Ukraine. The contents of the parcels may only be humanitarian aid items. The initiative is part of the Polish Post "HELP UKRAINIE" campaign.

Poczta Polska, as part of the support action for the attacked neighbor "HELP UKRAINE", from April 1 this year. free of charge for international EMS parcels to Ukraine up to 20 kg. In order for a shipment to be accepted free of charge, it must meet certain conditions. It is essential that the address side be marked with a sticker, lettering or imprinted word " HUMANITARIAN AID" . The value in use of the shipped items in the package may not exceed the equivalent of EUR 100. The addressee of the package may be a natural person, a legal person or an organizational unit without legal personality. During the campaign, it is possible to send one free EMS package with humanitarian aid. The list of facilities providing the EMS service is available on the website of Poczta Polska .

https://media.poczta-polska.pl/pr/735370/poczta-polska-bezplatne-nadanie-paczek-humanitarnych-do-ukrainy-o-wadze-do-20-kg

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Portugal

CTT enviaram 40 toneladas de donativos para ajudar a população ucraniana
Os CTT enviaram 40 toneladas de donativos para ajudar a população ucraniana. A campanha solidária 'Ajuda ao Povo da Ucrânia' decorreu entre os dias 02 e 08 de março em todas as Lojas CTT de Portugal Continental, ilha da Madeira e, nos Açores, nas ilhas de São Miguel e Terceira.

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During a period of 21 days, CTT Correios de Portugal was able to deliver in Poland, in the organizations and addresses provided by the Ukrainian Embassy in Portugal, 8 trucks, with 242 pallets of humanitarian aid, equivalent to about 90 tons of several essential goods, such as first aid kits, children wear, footwear, personal care products, warm clothing and food.

The solidarity campaign 'Helping the People of Ukraine' took place between the 02 and 08 of march in all CTT stores from north to south of the country and islands (Madeira and Azores);

CTT took advantage, once again, of the capillarity of its retail network, the largest and most comprehensive in the country, to raise goods and bring help to those who need it most;

40 tons of goods were sent to Ukraine: mostly clothing and food, but also shoes, children items, hygiene and first-aid products;

From CTT in Famões, where all donations arrived daily, eight trucks loaded with goods left with more than 240 pallets sent to their destination;

The campaign had the support of several logistics partners: Galp, TAP, Transportes Bernardo Marques, Transportes Pascoal and Transportes Figueiredo e Figueiredo;

This campaign had the active participation of almost half hundred CTT employees;

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Ajuda ao povo da UCRÂNIA

Helping the people of UKRAINE
Допомога народу УКРАЇНИ

- ☐ **Artigos para crianças / Articles for children / дитячі речі**
  - Fraldas / Diapers / пелюшки
  - Toalhitas infantis / Baby wipes / дитячі серветки
  - Creme / Baby cream / дитячий крем
- ☐ **Calçado / Shoes / взуття**
  - Sapatos tamanhos 43-44,5 / Shoes size 43-44,5 / Розміри взуття 43-44,5
- ☐ **Produtos de higiene / Hygiene products / засоби гігієни**
  - Escovas de dentes / toothbrush / зубні щітки
  - Pasta de dentes / toothpaste / Зубна паста
  - Champôs / shampoos / шампуні
  - Gel de banho ou sabonete / shower gel or soap / Гель для душу або мило
- ☐ **Roupa de aquecimento / Warming clothes / теплий одяг**
  - Sacos-cama / Sleeping bags / спальні мішки
  - Lençóis e mantas quentes / Warm sheets and blankets / Теплі простирадла та ковдри
- ☐ **Kits de primeiros socorros / First aid kits / аптечки першої допомоги**
  - Soro fisiológico / Saline / фізіологічний розчин
  - Betadine / Betadine / бетадин
  - Ligaduras e compressas esterilizadas / Bandages and compresses sterilized / Пов'язки та компреси
- ☐ **Bens Alimentares / Food / продукти харчування**
  - Leite em pó / Powdered milk / сухе молоко
  - Papas lácteas / Porridge / молочна каша для дітей
  - Boiões de comida para criança / Jars of food for children / Банки з їжею для дітей
  - Massa (spaghetti) / Pasta / макарони
  - Arroz / Rice / рис
  - Azeite / Olive oil / оливкове масло
  - Óleo alimentar / Cooking oil / олія
  - Bolachas / Cookies / печиво
  - Café solúvel / Soluble coffee/ розчинна кава
  - Barras energéticas / Energy bars / енергетичні батончики
  - Açúcar / Sugar / цукор
  - Chocolate / Chocolate / шоколад
  - Enlatados e conservas (atum, salsichas, feijão, grão, ervilhas) / Canned food (tuna, sausages, beans,chickpeas, peas) / консерви (тунець, ковбаси, квасоля, нут, горох тощо…)

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Media coverage

- The solidarity campaign 'Helping the People of Ukraine' had high visibility in the Media;
- Participation to the campaign and the interest of the Media once again reflected the confidence of the Portuguese in the CTT brand;
- Total news: 38 (television and press);
- Total on television: 28;

Social media

- CTT social media: Instagram, Facebook and LinkedIn;
- Hundreds of hits daily;

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Romania

18/3/2022

Dear colleagues,

We received your email about the humanitarian aid that PostEurop member countries have provided for the people in Ukraine in the humanitarian crisis caused by the war in this country. The Romanian Post has been involved since the first days.

From the first day of the war, the company made available the **accommodation spaces** in the internal circuit dedicated to the employees, for hosting the population of the Ukraine, refugees in Romania.The company owns a total of 23 accommodation units, which are dedicated to the internal circuit of employees, in 17 counties. Within these locations, the number of existing beds in this circuit is 203.

The Romanian Post continued to be involved in supporting the citizens affected by the humanitarian crisis in Ukraine. Following the provision of internal accommodation for refugees, the national postal service operator has made available its entire infrastructure to collect and distribute humanitarian aid donated to people affected by the crisis in Ukraine. **Humanitarian aid is collected at dedicated centers in the postal network.**

The first convoy of Romanian Post cars left, in a week, to Ukraine, loaded with **50 tons of humanitarian aid**. They were handed over to Ukrainian postmen at the Halmeu Border Crossing Point in Satu Mare County.

In the first seven days since the Romanian Post announced its involvement in supporting the citizens affected by the humanitarian crisis in Ukraine, by providing logistics infrastructure in all centers dedicated to this campaign, more than 50 tons of humanitarian aids were collected nationwide. The entire quantity was transported by Romanian Post cars and handed over to colleagues from Ukrposhta, at the Halmeu Border Crossing Point, in the presence of the authorities.

The donations consisted of: non-perishable food (water, canned food, packaged food, etc.); hygiene products (diapers, disinfectant wipes, toilet paper, absorbents, etc.); clothing and footwear (women / men / children, thermal clothing, gloves, backpacks, good / new footwear, etc.); support (pillows, tents, mattresses, cutlery, binoculars, folding beds, high-capacity portable batteries, walkie-talkie stations, radio broadcasting-reception stations, thermal imaging rooms, etc.); heating and lighting products (tents, thermal blankets, sleeping bags, electric or other heating radiators, lanterns, candles, lamps, etc.); medical equipment to support the injured (first aid kit, folding wheelchairs and frames for people with locomotor disabilities, sticks etc).

Romanian Post will continue this campaign, as long as necessary.

Best wishes!
Claudia BIBIRE
Coordonator Compartiment Comunicare

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Comunicate de presa > 50 de tone de ajutoare umanitare, colectate în oficiile Poștei Române, au plecat spre Ucraina

București, 10 martie 2022 – Primul convoi format din mașinile Poștei Române a plecat, astăzi, spre Ucraina, încărcat cu 50 de tone de ajutoare umanitare. Acestea vor fi predate poștașilor ucraineni în Punctul de Trecere a Frontierei Halmeu din județul Satu Mare.

În primele șapte zile de când Poșta Română și-a anunțat implicarea în sprijinul cetățenilor afectați de criza umanitară din Ucraina, prin punerea la dispoziție a infrastructurii logistice în toate centrele dedicate acestei campanii, au fost colectate, la nivel național, peste 50 de tone de produse. Întreaga cantitate a fost transportată cu mașinile Poștei Române și predată colegilor de la Ukrposhta, în Punctul de Trecere a Frontierei Halmeu, în prezența autorităților.

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Immediately after the outbreak of war in Ukraine, Romanian Post reacted promptly and activated an emergency humanitarian plan specifically targeted to help Ukrainian refugees from the conflict zones, as well as those who were not able to leave Ukraine and remained in the underground shelters of major cities under military attack. Thus, the plan activated by the management of the Romanian postal services operator targeted three main directions of development and was carried out under the slogan SOLIDARITY WITH UKRAINE!

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The first rapid reaction was to provide accommodation for Ukrainians who were able to take refugees in Romania. In parallel with the efforts of the Romanian governmental authorities to build emergency accommodation infrastructure, the Romanian Post made available its accommodation capacity throughout Romania, which was normally dedicated to the internal circuit for employees.

This aspect was popularized through all communication channels of the Romanian Post:
Spaţiile de cazare ale Poştei Române puse la dispoziţia refugiaţilor ucrainieni (posta-romana.ro) on

Romanian Post Office accommodation made available to Ukrainian refugees

Bucharest - 25 February 2022 - In the difficult context caused by the military actions on the territory of Ukraine, the Romanian Post National Company announces that it is making available the accommodation spaces in the internal circuit dedicated to its employees, for hosting the population of the neighbouring country, refugees in Romania.

The management of the Romanian Post has decided, during an emergency meeting, to issue a decision approving the provision of accommodation spaces in its own network to the County Prefectures for hosting refugees from Ukraine. Thus, the local county authorities that will be involved in humanitarian operations dedicated to the population of refugees from the war can use the internal accommodation units of the Romanian Post Office for as long as humanitarian support will be provided to the population of the neighbouring country.

The company has a total of 23 accommodation units in 17 counties in its network of post offices, which are dedicated to the internal circuit of employees. The number of beds available in these locations in this circuit is 203.

"Romanian Post, by its mission, is made up of people who are dedicated to people, without discrimination. So we cannot sit idly by and just pity the suffering of Ukrainian citizens who have to leave their country. We want to show solidarity, not only in thought, but also in deed! We have decided to make all our accommodation available to the local authorities who will be involved in the hosting of Ukrainians. Refugees will have access to normal housing conditions, to utilities, in order to be able to live decently during their displacement from their home country. It is a small step, which we understand to put our shoulder to the wheel so that humanity is not defeated!", said Valentin Ştefan, CEO of Romanian Post.

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Această situație este cauzată de starea de securitate incertă în această zonă.

De asemenea, traficul poștal pentru Ucraina va înregistra timpi mai mari de circulație.

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The magazine of the Romanian postal community - POSTASUL - edited by the Communication Department of the Romanian Post Office also reported:
Refugees in Romanian Postal's accommodation premises

Since the beginning of the war in Ukraine, Romanian Post has been helping the refugees, with a first decision taken as an emergency, at that time, to make available to Ukrainians coming to Romania, the company's accommodation facilities. 23 accommodation units, in 17 counties, a total of 203 beds. The number of those fleeing death is increasing. Every day, many are taking the path of flight, where they think they are better off. Of those who have arrived in Romania, some have chosen to live in the Post Office's accommodation. We went to meet some of them, in the locations in Galati and Iasi. They and our enthusiastic colleagues who take care of them.

The excitement set in with the idea of this report. The flurry of questions, one after the other, overwhelmed us all. How will it be, how are they feeling, how are they doing, is it good where they live, what are their thoughts...many such, with a question mark at the end. As in a state of weightlessness, floating towards Galati and then towards Iasi, the road was like a blink of an eye, we arrived without realizing when time had passed. Unlike them, who travelled the road to Romania with heavy sadness in their backpacks and time dilating with every step taken. We entered the post houses where these people are temporarily living as if we were in the ward of a patient with an uncertain but surely painful diagnosis, with a high chance of leaving behind lasting scars. Just the thought of demoralising them stopped the tears running down our cheeks. They flowed inward, unseen, but the roar echoed in our hearts and souls. It is irrelevant and foolish to weigh this injustice done to them, the war, with any other perspective than that of humanity, of human identity, which we claim we all assume. We went to them to meet them, to embrace them and to reconfirm that they are welcome in Romania, in the Romanian Post family.

Galați. The accommodation we are talking about is a shared 3-room apartment, located on the ground floor of a block in a beautiful part of the city. Clean, decently equipped, with all the necessary utilities for a normal daily life. In addition to the role of host, which our fellow postmen from OJP Galati have assumed, they have activated, out of the inertia of their kindness, the human side, with a parental scent, somehow. They take care of these people, starting with their morale, bank and other documents, which are also taken care of by our people, up to the development of a plan, with sure steps, to configure a life as close to normality as possible. They have officially registered them at the Prefecture of Galati and at the police station where the apartment is located. Anișoara Neculai is the director of OJP Galați and she is the one who coordinates all the activities, including this novelty in the postal service, hosting refugees. Adrian Tatu, a colleague from the Administrative Service in Galați, is the most present human link in the lives of the Ukrainians staying with us, and is at the top of the group of postmen who deal with the situation, day after day. Our postmen have made a cheque, without any prior discussion, to add to their material comfort. They bought everything for the six refugees: from telephone cards to irons, an extra bed, a writing table, a clothes dryer, pillowcases, pillows, bed linen, to dishes, pots and cutlery. These details are bricks in the great edifice of humanity. It's exciting to learn them, let alone experience them. From 6 March 2022, the Galati post office has a different history. In a way, it is part of Ukraine's war. In fact, it is a form of resistance to the war, by housing this family. Coming from the Odessa region, the Tkachenko family passed through Isaccea customs and arrived in the normality of Galati, with one thought, which still dominates them: to return home to Ukraine as soon as possible, to a country covered by peace, not by bombs and death. Pensioners - mother, father, daughter, her partner. That's what they live on, their pension. We don't name them by name, we don't put them in the photo, because they asked us not to. A restraint with its source in fear. They couldn't put their finger, precisely, on the wound of this fear, they don't know where it comes from, but it is present in their whole being.

The road to freedom leads to Galati

With the first hiss of a death-dealing missile, humanity ceased to exist. It began the dullness, the blackness, the wandering. About 60 children leave Ukraine every minute, the statistics of this moment tell us. The number can change significantly, upwards. Minute by minute, they set off on a journey for life. Those who stay, stay and pass their existence through the sinister Russian roulette wheel. No one knows if or when they will be killed by the rain of bombs, dropped from death planes or fired from the murderous mouths of Russian heavy weapons. It is terrible! Nothing, absolutely nothing can justify this. Olga, let's call her that although her real name is something else. Olga is 10 years old. She can

now sleep safely all night, with her mother and grandparents, in the apartment of the Romanian Post Office in Galati, which has become her shield against the war. Here she is protected. We cannot know what her soul will be like in years to come, but today her body, her life, has been put under shelter. In the Odessa region, where she came from, she went to school with her classmates, was spoiled by her family and enjoyed the clear skies of Ukraine, today the sky of ash and thick smoke. Now, she plays the theatre of normality, through online school classes, day in, day out, but she still has the family spoiled badge. But, no, this is not the normality of life as they knew it. That one lives on only in their memories. Maria is the happy mother of this wonderful child, she is Maxim's sad wife, she is the honest Ukrainian woman who cries for her country, for her people. She left the Odessa region three weeks ago. She and Olga have left for Romania, to stay with grandparents in the Post Office apartment, and her husband is floating on the seas of the world, who knows where exactly. He went on a sea voyage before the first siren of war. They haven't heard from him. They are lost to each other, but they are united by the invisible thread of love. Surely, they will experience their family reunion soon. "After we win the war and return home," as they assured us, full of hope. He recounts his ordeal, adding an instinctive gesture through tears - he hugs his daughter. Not as his most precious treasure, but as his very soul. The tears have become part of them, part of who they are. As if in a sad Pavlovian reflex, these people burst into tears every time Adrian Tatu or his colleagues who care for them visit them. With tears and hiccups. Why? Because they have been introduced to absolute Evil, they have looked the devil in the eye and felt the depth of his darkness, on their skin, on their lives. After such an encounter, the freshness of humanity, the normality of empathy, compassion and selflessness simply overwhelms them! In the meantime, the postmen and postwomen of Galati are constantly collecting and sending aid to Ukraine. We would say that a simple thank you would be too little for these employees. We embrace and appreciate you!

The story of humanity

Iași. Probably for the first time in the real estate history of the Romanian Post Office, the company's assets acquire such a great, important value, sheltering souls broken by the drama of war, people who have experienced injustice. An injustice in itself! Two women, childhood friends, and two children, their sons, put on the refugee's coat and threw themselves into the void, leaving Odessa, not knowing what awaits them, where they are going and what they will do. They arrived in Iasi, in the apartment of the Romanian Post Office. The thoughts of these mothers pulsate to the rhythm of their heartbeats, with a single tab, on which the names of their children are written: Daniel. A single first name for both children. One is a year and a half old, and his uncle a year older. Semenchenko Daria, an interior designer, worked in marketing for a company. Oriekhova Iryna is a pediatrician. They have left, but do they have anywhere to go back to, do they have a home, do they have a life? That's the question I fall asleep with night after night. Their husbands are fighting at the front, which makes the lead of sadness even harder. Sadly, Daniel and Daniel, went through a trial shortly after settling into their post office apartment. They had to be taken by ambulance to hospital and admitted, with high fever and poor health. After a few days, all ended well. From their reception in the house, their settling in, all the daily details that followed, until the moment of the ambulance, going through all the inherent human emotions, our colleague Laura Limbău, Deputy Director of the Regional Branch Iasi, was by their side, permanently. And she will be with them from now on. Already, it seems that the bud of a strong friendship has sprouted, which will last even after the drama of the war is only in the history books. In fact, in order to give to Caesar what is Caesar's, we put in the light of truth the one who made this meeting possible. Laura's son, Calin. How was it? Laura tells us: "Călin has been volunteering for over 15 years with several organisations. He is inexhaustible in solidarity, empathy, involvement and, naturally, our source of emotion. He has accommodated more than 30 refugees, mostly mothers with children, in various locations. He has transported refugees, from the border, done interpreter work for them. At one point, when he had been asked by someone for Daria and Iryna, he ran out of connections for other housing or shelters. He remembered that I had shared, on Facebook, the post of the CEO, Valentin Ștefan, about the fact that the Romanian Post also provides accommodation for refugees in our premises in the country. He asked me and brought the girls with the children here". Thank you, Călin!

Daria and Iryna, like their fellow citizens in Galati, dream of returning home, they don't want to go further to Europe or to the world. They are trying to adapt to everyday life in Iasi, they still meet other Ukrainians in the city, they keep an eye on their phones, on their messages, being their only link with those left on the front. An undesired, unwanted, undeserved drama. On the other hand, this war, this refugee situation, is like a contrasting substance for the souls and humanity in us. It brings out in factual expression, what lives in our souls, what we are. Good or bad. In the main, Laura Limbău

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included the result in her personal conclusion: "I firmly believe that we have behaved exemplarily as a people. And as postmen".

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The second important direction of the emergency humanitarian plan developed by the Romanian Post to help the Ukrainian people was to organize and promote a campaign to raise awareness in Romanian society on the involvement in helping citizens affected by war. Thus, the network of post offices collected donations from Romanians in non-perishable food, clothing and footwear, first aid products and medicines which were transported, free of charge, by their own cars to the border crossing point with Ukraine, where they were handed over to Ukrposhta, the Ukrainian postal operator.

Press release:
Poșta Română transportă gratuit, în Ucraina, ajutoare umanitare/The Romanian Post transports humaritarian aid for free, in Ukraine (posta-romana.ro)

The Romanian Post transports humaritarian aid for free, in Ukraine

Bucharest, March 1st 2022 - The Romanian Post continues to be involved in supporting the citizens affected by the humanitarian crisis in Ukraine. Following the provision of internal accommodation for refugees, the national postal service operator is making available its entire infrastructure to collect and distribute humanitarian aid donated to people affected by the crisis in Ukraine. Humanitarian aid will be collected at dedicated centers in the postal network.

Donations can be made in the form of products from the categories:

non-perishable food (water, canned food, packaged food, etc.); hygiene products (diapers, disinfectant wipes, toilet paper, absorbents, etc.); clothing and footwear (women / men / children, thermal clothing, gloves, backpacks, good / new footwear, etc.); support (pillows, tents, mattresses, cutlery, binoculars, folding beds, high-capacity portable batteries, walkie-talkie stations, radio broadcasting-reception stations, thermal imaging rooms, etc.); heating and lighting products (tents, thermal blankets, sleeping bags, electric or other heating radiators, lanterns, candles, lamps, etc.); medical equipment to support the injured (first aid kit, folding wheelchairs and frames for people with locomotor disabilities, sticks etc).
Citizens or NGOs wishing to send humanitarian aid to Ukraine have at their disposal the centers dedicated to this campaign, which will take over the parcels. Here, the products will be loaded into the company's cars and transported to the four border crossings with Ukraine. From here, they will be picked up by the Ukrainian Post - Ukrposhta and distributed where needed.

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There was also a press conference on the subject which was broadcast live on our facebook page:

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Together for Ukraine

Do you want to donate non-perishable food products, hygiene products, clothing and shoes, medical equipment for the wounded, heating, lighting and support products for people affected by the crisis in #Ukraine Where?

Here is the list toare of the county centers where the help packages can be brought!

More info here:

https://www.posta-romana.ro/.../posta-romana-transporta...

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„Câte ceva pentru fiecare. Am cumpărat mâncare şi pentru animăluţe, pentru că şi ele suferă la fel ca noi, oamenii. Ştiu, nu e mult, dar sper să ajute nişte suflete din Ucraina şi să le aducă puţină bucurie", ne-a spus doamna Cristina D., pe care am întâlnit-o, astăzi, într-unul dintre oficiile poştale din Bucureşti.

Îi mulţumim pentru gestul de umanitate şi vă aşteptăm pe toţi cu donaţiile care vor ajunge, prin #PoştaRomână, la oamenii afectaţi de războiul din Ucraina.

Transportul este gratuit!

Lista centrelor judeţene unde pot fi aduse coletele cu ajutoare o poţi consulta aici:

https://www.posta-romana.ro/.../posta-romana-transporta...

Suntem alături de Ucraina şi vom continua să fim până când războiul se va încheia!

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#SolidariCuUcraina

Hai să ne susţii în misiunea de a oferi sprijin umanitar populaţiei civile din Ucraina!

Donează alimente neperisabile, echipamente medicale de susţinere a răniţilor, îmbrăcăminte şi încălţăminte, produse de igienă şi produse de încălzire, iluminat şi suport!

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#SolidariCuUcraina

"Am văzut ieri, pe geamul oficiului poştal, că se primesc ajutoare pentru Ucraina şi m-am mobilizat [...]. Îndemn pe toată lumea să facă acelaşi lucru, pentru că acei oameni sunt foarte greu încercaţi!"

Umanitatea nu are limite! Îi mulţumim şi vă aşteptăm pe toţi cu donaţiile care vor ajunge, prin #PoştaRomână, la oamenii afectaţi de războiul din Ucraina.

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Vaslui

Din prima zi, vaslulenii au răspuns strigătului de ajutor şi au început să aducă donaţii pentru Ucraina. Vă mulţumim!🙏

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Felicitari!

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Ai în cămară niște borcane cu gem și vrei să le împarți și cu vecinii ucraineni, greu încercați în această perioadă?
Vino cu ele în oficiile poștale! Te ajutăm noi cu niște cutii pe măsură!
Iar transportul este gratuit!
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„M-a sunat mama mea ieri, foarte de dimineață, și m-a întrebat dacă ajung la Poștă, pentru că are un pachet de trimis. I-am zis că nu am drum la oficiu, dar, dacă trebuie neapărat, mă duc. „Da, trebuie!", mi-a spus.
Am mers după-amiază la ea și... ce credeți că avea de trimis? „O pătură. O pătură pentru cineva din Ucraina. Sper să încălzească un copilaș!", mi-a spus plângând.
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The Romanian postal community magazine - POȘTASUL - also reported in the article:

Posta Romana help for the Ukrainian people

The Romanian Post, a traditional institution of the Romanian society, could not stay away in these difficult times, when what we could no longer imagine to be possible, a terrible war, is happening at the Romanian borders. Together with thousands and thousands of compatriots, organizations, associations, institutions of the Romanian state, who have jumped to the aid of their Ukrainian neighbours, refugees from the bombings, but also for those who remained in Ukraine, Romanian Post is supporting this natural step. From the very first moments of the war, our company reacted without hesitation and set in motion a series of forms of humanitarian aid, so necessary for those in need. In a brief sequence, we try to retrace the events up to the time of going to press.

Last month, shortly before the terrible invasion of the Russian army in Ukraine, Valentin Ştefan, the CEO of the Romanian Post signed a Memorandum of Cooperation with UkrPoshta in Kiev, together with Igor Smelyanskyi, the manager of the post office in the neighbouring country. It was a gesture that preceded what was to follow in a very short time. Although, initially, this Memorandum was part of the series of regional collaborations started by Romanian Post under the umbrella of the project "Romania - Logistic Hub", started by our company's management at the end of last year, we could say that it started, practically, in these unfortunate days, for the neighbouring country.

Immediate reaction to the neighbours' trouble

The public postal operator is among the first Romanian institutions to react to the Ukrainian drama. Just two days after the invasion of the neighbouring country, CNPR decided to make available to those fleeing the war all the accommodation spaces it owns throughout the country. On 26 February, during an emergency meeting, the management of the Romanian Post decided to issue a decision approving the provision of all these spaces in its network to the county prefectures. There are 23 units in 17 counties with a total of 203 beds.

"The Romanian Post, through its mission, is made up of people who are dedicated to the people, without discrimination. So we cannot sit idly by and just pity the suffering of Ukrainian citizens who have to leave their country. We want to show solidarity with these people not only in thought but also in deed!", said CEO Valentin Ştefan at the time.

Then, shortly afterwards, in a press conference held on March 2nd at the company's headquarters, attended by Valentin Ştefan, together with Oleksandr Zlatin, representative of the Ukrainian Embassy in Bucharest, Benoit Pleska, Chairman of the Board of Directors of UkrPoshta, Alexandru Andrei, Secretary of State in the Ministry of Innovation, Digitisation and Research, we learned that, after providing internal accommodation for the refugees, CNPR has made available its entire logistical infrastructure to collect and distribute humanitarian aid donated by Romanians.

The post office could not stay out of this equation and did what it has always done in its spirit: jumping to the aid of those in need! And it does it together with all the Romanians who feel they want to help, to get involved!

This aid is collected in county centres in the postal network, specially dedicated to this initiative, and has already started to bear fruit in the first concrete actions. People, Romanians, individuals or legal entities, NGOs, all those who want to help their Ukrainian neighbours, all those who want to donate various aid, can go to these centres that the Romanian Post has set up especially for this purpose, in their own premises, deposit the parcel, and it will be forwarded through the postal network to the Regional Transit Centres. From the Regional Transit Centres, they are forwarded, with the logistical help of the Romanian Post, to UkrPoshta, the exchange taking place at the border crossing points between the two countries. We live in troubled times, hard times, which challenge us to bring out the best in us.

First parcels arrived in Ukraine

Just one week after Romanian Post announced its involvement in supporting Ukrainians affected by the war by making its logistical infrastructure available, more than 50 tons of goods have been collected nationwide. This was the first convoy of Post Office vehicles loaded with humanitarian aid. The convoy

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was literally led by the CEO of Romanian Post, who drove one of the postal vans, stuffed into its red tin "belly" with several tonnes of aid.

"I wanted to be present when the first donations collected by the Romanian Post Office go to those who are in dire need of support. I thus wanted to make a concrete contribution to this humanitarian action, as a sign of respect for all the Romanians who got involved, alongside us, in this event in support of human values. In this way, I believe that we are expressing our compassion for our neighbours who are so hard hit. The campaign "Solidarity with Ukraine", organized by us, made available to the county authorities the company's accommodation facilities for receiving refugees, as well as the collection of donations through the national postal network and their free transport to Ukraine. Of course we don't have to stop there! Support for our neighbours must continue. I am confident that this support to Ukrainian citizens will continue and I want to assure Romanian citizens that we will carry out our mission to the end", said the CEO of Romanian Post.

The starting point of the convoy of cars was the Cluj Transit Centre, where the donated parcels arrived from all over the country, and the exchange point with Ukrainian postal colleagues was the Halmeu Border Crossing Point, Satu Mare county. On the approximately 200 kilometres from Cluj to Halmeu, one after the other, the Romanian Post's trucks formed a convoy, ending with a heavy lorry, also full of parcels sent by Romanians to their neighbours in the north-east. The whole journey was made in a kind of solemnity, a combination of the joy of being able to help and the sadness of this unwanted and undeserved war. Arriving at the Customs Point, the fellow postmen were confronted with the routine customs paperwork, but also with the solidarity of the customs officers there, who behaved as if they were their brothers. They treated all customs clearance procedures with priority, some stayed overtime, others helped with their operativeness, with useful and prompt information. Most of all there was empathy and human warmth. We would like to thank the Halmeu customs officers on behalf of those who received this help.

The donations from this first aid caravan consisted of: non-perishable food - water, canned food, packaged food; hygiene products - diapers, disinfectant wet wipes, toilet paper, absorbents; women's, men's and children's clothing and footwear; thermal clothing, gloves, backpacks; support - pillows, tents, thermal blankets, sleeping bags, mattresses, cutlery, binoculars, folding beds, large capacity portable batteries, two-way radios, electric heaters, torches, candles, first aid kits, wheelchairs and more.

The campaign goes on

The aid collection campaign for Ukrainian neighbours continues at the Romanian Post. Those who want to donate, have all our support, they have all the necessary information at www.posta-romana.ro. From the country, we hear that this initiative, this project, this involvement of Romanian Post is having the desired effect of helping people who are in great need of help. For example, from Olt county, through the Red Cross, about 4 tons of products were sent to the border with the help of the Post Office, collected in the Slatina and Caracal areas. Institutions in the same county also mobilised and used the postal infrastructure to send aid where it was needed. "In the face of the drama of the Ukrainian people, we have all united, military and civilian, to alleviate, in any way, the suffering caused by the conflict that has turned the natural into the unnatural. The fire brigade, represented by the Slatina City Hall and the Romanian Post Office prepared a new humanitarian transport for Ukrainians who fled the war. Thanks for the solidarity of all citizens who proved, once again, that together we can do extraordinary things!", Alin Băsășteanu, ISU spokesman, told the local press.

Every parcel sent to Ukraine, big or small, contains not only food, clothes, hygiene products, blankets and more, but much more. It carries a message sent by Romanians to their Ukrainian brothers and sisters: you are not alone! It contains the empathy, compassion and help of Romanians for our fellow human beings. And this can be as important as mobilising for victory!

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Press release:

50 de tone de ajutoare umanitare, colectate în oficiile Poștei Române, au plecat spre Ucraina (posta-romana.ro)

50 tons of humanitarian aid, collected in Romanian Post offices, have left for Ukraine

Bucharest, 10 March 2022 - The first convoy of Romanian Post's cars left today for Ukraine, loaded with 50 tons of humanitarian aid. They will be handed over to Ukrainian postmen at the Halmeu Border Crossing Point in Satu Mare County.

In the first seven days since Romanian Post announced its involvement in support of citizens affected by the humanitarian crisis in Ukraine, by providing logistical infrastructure in all centres dedicated to this campaign, over 50 tons of products have been collected nationwide. The entire quantity was transported by Romanian Post's cars and handed over to the colleagues from Ukrposhta, at the Halmeu Border Crossing Point, in the presence of the authorities.

The donations consisted of: non-perishable food (water, canned food, packaged food etc), hygiene products (diapers, disinfectant wet wipes, toilet paper, absorbents etc), clothing and footwear (women/men/children, thermal clothing, gloves, backpacks, shoes in good/new condition etc), support (pillows, tents, mattresses, cutlery, binoculars, folding blankets, large capacity portable batteries, walkie-talkies, walkie-talkies, two-way radios, thermal imaging cameras etc), heating and lighting products (tents, thermal blankets, sleeping bags, electric radiators or other heating appliances, torches, candles, lamps etc), medical equipment to support the injured (first-aid kits, folding wheelchairs and frames for people with locomotor disabilities, walking sticks etc).

"I wanted to be present when the first donations collected by the Romanian Post go to those in acute need of support. I thus wanted to make a concrete contribution to this humanitarian action, as a sign of respect for all the Romanians who got involved, alongside us, in this event in support of human values. In this way, I believe that we are expressing our compassion for our neighbours who are so hard hit. The "Solidarity with Ukraine" campaign, organized by the Romanian Post Office, made available to the county authorities the company's accommodation facilities for receiving refugees, as well as the collection of donations through the national postal network and their free transport to Ukraine. Of course we don't have to stop there! Support for our neighbours must continue. I am confident that this support to Ukrainian citizens will continue and I want to assure Romanian citizens that we will carry out our mission to the end", said Valentin Ștefan, CEO of Romanian Post.

We also reported on social media channels to our online communities, the first and the second convoy of humanitarian aid:

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https://fb.watch/ciBkwTYy85/

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We also posted on facebook when humanitarian aid reached the people who needed it:

The aid you sent to Ukraine has reached its destination!

Words are not enough to describe how our neighbours felt when they received from Ukrainian postmen the parcels you had delivered to their post offices and transported by the first convoy of the Romanian Post.

Thank you!

Please do not stop here! We know you can continue to be generous.

Those people, who live their lives amidst the deafening sound of alarms and under bombardment, need us!

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The full implementation of the SOLIDARITY WITH UKRAINE project involved the management of Romanian Post taking decisions with a direct effect on the company's business, by applying zero fees for parcels destined for Ukrainian refugees in Romania.

Poşta Română, scutiri de taxe pentru coletele destinate refugiaţilor ucraineni aflaţi în România (posta-romana.ro)

Press release:

Romanian Post, tax exemptions for parcels for Ukrainian refugees in Romania

Bucharest, 25 March 2022 - The National Company Romanian Post applies a tax exemption for customs declarations related to the import of personal goods destined for Ukrainian refugees in Romania, in the context of the current war.

After offering internal accommodation spaces for hosting refugees and providing the entire infrastructure to collect and distribute humanitarian aid donated for people affected by the crisis in Ukraine, Romanian Post continues to support citizens affected by the humanitarian crisis in Ukraine and simplifies import formalities for personal goods and aid sent by parcel post to war refugees in Romania.

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Thus, all parcels sent by Ukrainian post, arriving at the Bucharest International Exchange Office marked "humanitarian aid", will be exempted from the customs commission fee of 20 lei/declaration for customs declarations related to the import of personal goods for Ukrainian refugees in Romania.

"The humanitarian campaign "Solidarity with Ukraine", initiated by us since the first days of the war, continues today with this new facility offered to our hard-pressed neighbours. We have taken the decision to waive a customs commission fee, as we are constantly looking for solutions to support refugees", said Valentin Ştefan, CEO of Romanian Post.

The concentration of efforts to support Ukrainian citizens was also expressed at the level of private initiative of Romanian Post employees. This includes postmen working in the northern part of Romania, in towns and villages near the border with Ukraine, who went to the border crossing points and volunteered to take in refugees and accommodate them in their own homes. There were also postmen who, being Ukrainian and Russian speakers, acted as volunteer translators for refugees who could not communicate with the authorities for the preparation of border crossing documentation.

The magazine of the postal community in Romania - POSTASUL - has reported such situations in its articles. Here is an enlightening example:

The bag full of humanity

When some people are left homeless overnight, and suddenly without a country, their fellow men, enlisted in the army of good, balance the scales of history as best they can and build with their humanity imaginary fortress walls in the souls of those in distress. Let no one remain under the open sky in the night, to flinch at every falling star, as if it were a shell bringing death. In a village, a corner of history in the Moldova of Stephen the Great, because he opened the doors of his house to whole families of Ukrainians, refugees from the war, a simple postman wears, under his service uniform, the uniform of a marshal in the army of the good of humanity. Like him, doctors, engineers, teachers... an entire Romania.

Bucovina, with its northern villages, still leans its leaden sky against the smoke from the chimneys of its houses, like Victorian pillars carved at the will of the wind. Although the snowdrops are demanding

their rights in the calendar, winter is not yet giving in to such feeble arguments. The beginning of March grazes the cheek with chilling frost whips in broad daylight and hurls great flakes from the sky at the people who, here, do not tread the ground in vain. Now, more than ever, they have work to do. More than usual. More than in the exemplary way they tend their households day after day. Two steps away from them, across the border, there is war, death is trampling humanity with its army boot more than in the pandemic, so they have work to do. To stretch out their arms as far as they can, to join together and to embrace other people in this imaginary house. Ukrainians now fleeing the path of the tanks. People who have taken the path of flight, because the bombs have fallen deafeningly and indiscriminately on their homes, on their children's kindergartens and schools, wiping out anything that might have connected them to their normal lives before the hell of military confrontation broke loose.

While the whole of Romania jumped as if on cue to raise the flag of humanity for the Ukrainians, with all that could be done in a short time, Gheorghiță Ciocârlan, a simple postman, and his family opened wide the doors of their house in Dolhești Mici and are good hosts to whole families of Ukrainian citizens, refugees of the war. Frightened, and with their eyes alert to any trivial noise, the refugees have found peace and safety in the postman's house. Some have left for friends and relatives in other countries, others want to go back, because they say it is in his house that they feel most at home! People of Kiev, the first station

When he is not a postman in his commune, which is usually for a short time, Gheorghiță Ciocârlan fights hard to preserve the traditions and folk-cultural customs of his native area. He proudly wears the traditional costume and leads a famous folk ensemble. He plays the bear and the goat at holidays, breaks rows of sheep's shoes and pulls the owl to shake the snow off the snow-covered trees when the new year cracks. For the sake of those who will come in generations to come and who must not forget what ground they tread on. This year, he hadn't even put the heavy sheep's mites in place for next year's winter holidays when, in the first two days of the Russian attacks in Ukraine, the phone rang. "Georgie, it's mourning! I know you big-hearted man! Please get some people from Ukraine!" He was a volunteer, a good friend of his and his daughter Camelia, who was also very involved in all kinds of social actions. The man was present at the Siret border crossing point, where refugees from the war had queued for miles to cross into Romania. "We were waiting for two women from Kiev. Alina and a good friend. When we received them, Alina's friend stayed to rest. She had driven inhumanly long. Alina, on the other hand, left for the border immediately, together with my daughter. The Ukrainian was supposed to meet her 17-year-old brother. Because there is no traffic in Ukraine at night, the boy was late. This made Alina find, by chance, other friends who had just crossed the border and she directed them to us. So three other families came, three women and four children," begins Gheorghe's adventure as a humanitarian smuggler. During his time in the postman's house, Alina told him that she was a fashion designer in Kiev. He had many friends all over the world and, of course, in Moscow. It was here that her friends called her and asked her to leave Kiev immediately. They knew for sure what was coming. Her parents, on the other hand, didn't want her to leave the country, although they could have. The 34-year-old woman spoke English, as well as French and Italian. When she and her brother left Dolhești Mici, they initially wanted to go to one of these countries, but in the end they stopped in Alba Iulia, where they are very involved in fundraising activities and sending aid to Ukraine. "The other women and their children left us for Germany, where they had relatives. I remember one of the women didn't even feel like talking much, because she was worried. She also had a 25-year-old son, a photographer by profession, who had stayed in Ukraine and joined the army," the postman recalls.

The chess champion wants back home to the postman

After the first Ukrainians left, another call for help. This time the postman's daughter answered. Someone was crying, begging her sister, grandchildren and her mother to come back to Romania, where they had nowhere to stay. They were supposed to reach her in Bulgaria, but they had no strength left after all that travelling and waiting in customs. "You can't even think in those moments. You say, 'Come on, there's no other way! I understand that someone in the first group recommended they call. I gave them the location and they managed. When they arrived, more arrived. They befriended other women, a mum, daughter and grandmother, whom they took with them. That's four women and three children. They were from Kaliningrad and didn't speak much English. Only the children, Artur and Vanesa, he a chess champion at his age, and the sister, a gymnast, spoke to my daughter some basic words. They continued their journey to Bulgaria, where their aunt was waiting for them. The other women, Renata and Irina, mother and daughter, headed for Hungary," recalls the postman. The big surprise for the Ciocârlan family was when, a week later, the group that had arrived

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in Bulgaria contacted them and told them they wanted to go back, because the children felt safest there. "Artur wrote to my daughter that he would like to come back to us, that she is his best friend for life and that he never wants to part with her!", says the postman, stunned by the reaction of the little chess champion. They have corresponded and the plan is already set. The Ukrainian family will stay in Bulgaria for a month, while they pay rent for a studio apartment, and then they will try to return to Dolhești, where the children's mother has expressed her intention to look for work for a longer period of time. "She told us that for the children's comfort she is willing to work whatever it takes. She doesn't refuse to work in the fields, with animals, cooking, wherever she is needed, because the most important thing is the children's mental comfort", adds Camelia.

They left death behind in frozen shoes

On the platform of life, by far the heaviest ship that has run on the rails of his soul has been for Gheorgiță the case of Olena and her two children, son Mario and daughter Cristina. With their father, a surgeon, still in Ukraine, they arrived in Romania after two weeks at home in Kharkov in an underground shelter. They crossed the border with just a bag and their shoes in canvas sneakers that were no longer sagging because they had frozen. "They only decided to actually flee when they ran out of food and water in the bunker where they had taken shelter. One boy in the group there ventured out in search of water and never returned. He stepped on an anti-tank mine and was never heard from again. Then they decided to go where they could see," says the postman. But in Dolheștii he met a man with a big heart. Camelia took them home with her, straight from the border crossing point. "They stayed with us for almost a week. My heart was crying inside me because they were the most traumatised of all. While they stayed in their room they didn't turn on the light bulbs at all, and during the day they sat with the windows covered to keep the light out. They let just a finger of light in through the window during the day. They only ate once, outside the room, when they saw that they could relax," recalls the postman. The woman who rescued her children from the missiles couldn't hold back her tears when they got boots for her and the children. The postman's daughter had discreetly taken the sizes off the soles of their sneakers and went to the village to sort out the situation with the help of her friends. "When they left our house they told us that there were just as big heroes in this house as in Ukraine. They told us that they had arrived in Bucharest, where they were helping other fellow citizens settled in the capital," says the postwoman. In the meantime, his daughter continues the fight to help those who need it most. Together with the Grand Circle Foundation, an American foundation, she has started a campaign to help people left behind by tanks in Ukraine. Already several American members are staying in the postman's house and during this period they will be sending water filters to areas without resources in Ukraine, which is essential in the reality given by the noise of the weapons.

In Dolheștii Mici, good people are living. Among them, Gheorghe Ciocârlan. Postman. With people like him, the flame of humanity will not lose its DNA of hope, the only hard core seed that Adam inherited when he left Heaven to conquer the earth!

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Compania Naţională Poşta Română
25 March at 18:17

#SolidariCuUcraina

We are on our way!

Soon, the 50 tons of humanitarian aid will cross the border into #Ukraine and will reach where they are most needed.

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Compania Naţională Poşta Română
1 April at 10:45

Felicitări, Czane Maria, pentru implicarea, dedicarea şi profesionalismul de care daţi dovadă în fiecare zi!

„Serviciul #StaiAcasăPlus merge extraordinar în Hunedoara! Pentru că suntem foarte implicaţi şi iubim ceea ce facem! Avem contract cu DHS BYKE PARTS SRL, producător de biciclete, şi distribuim pentru toate magazinele Dedeman din ţară!

Contractul este profitabil şi datorită faptului că distribuim, într-un singur loc odată, câte 17, 20, 25 de colete. Nu trebuie sa p... See more

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Compania Naţională Poşta Română
14 April at 15:17

#SolidariCuUcraina

A successful day, full of hope, energy, emotion and joy of good deeds!

More than 1,500 products received in the property of the Romanian Post have been donated, today, to the General Directorate of Social Assistance of the Municipality of Bucharest (DGASMB), an institution that, during this period, focuses its activity on helping refugees Or Ukrainians arrived in Bucharest.

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Compania Naţională Poşta Română
15 April at 11:45

#SolidariCuUcraina

Formula bunătăţii: puţin + puţin = mult mai mult decât nimic!

Haideţi #SăFimBuni şi donăm pentru #Ucraina!

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Compania Naţională Poşta Română
16 April at 13:38

#SolidariCuUcraina

Am început ziua cu BINE!

Suntem la Romexpo, în calitate de voluntari pentru #Ucraina!

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Compania Naţională Poşta Română
18 April at 13:46

Poşta Română este, începând de astăzi, noul loc de muncă pentru o ucraineancă din Kiev, refugiată de război în România încă de la începutul conflictului militar din ţara ei. Cu o bogată experienţă profesională acumulată în sectorul corporate din Ucraina, ca director comercial, noua angajată a operatorului de servicii poştale român îşi va reorienta activitatea profesională, urmând să lucreze în domeniul serviciilor poştale internaţionale.

"Cred că, în acest moment, misiunea m... See more

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The third direction developed within the “Solidarity with Ukraine” campaign was the one in which **Romanian Post assumed the important role of a zonal logistical hub for other postal administrations carrying out humanitarian actions for the benefit of the Ukrainian people. Thus, the Romanian Post provided logistical support for the transhipment of humanitarian aid, acting as a bridge with customs and border police institutions and drawing up the necessary customs procedures. An example of this is the partnership with bpost, the Belgian postal operator.**

Press release:

Poșta Română sprijină strategic acțiunile umanitare ale bpost, organizate în beneficiul cetățenilor din Ucraina (posta-romana.ro)

Romanian Post strategically supports bpost's humanitarian actions for the benefit of citizens in Ukraine

Bucharest, 8 April 2022 - Romanian Post successfully completed yesterday at the Halmeu Border Crossing Point - Satu Mare County - the logistical support provided to the Belgian postal operator, bpost, for the transfer of over 60 tons of non-perishable food and hygiene products, donations collected in the Belgian postal network for the relief of citizens in Ukraine.

More than 60 tons of humanitarian aid collected by the national postal operator of Belgium, bpost, consisting of non-perishable food and hygiene products, were handed over yesterday evening at the Halmeu Border Crossing Point to Ukrainian postmen from Ukrposhta, with Romanian Post providing logistical support for the transhipment of the consignments and ensuring customs procedures for the transfer.

The Belgian postal operator chose the partnership with Romanian Post following the success of the humanitarian campaign "Solidarity with Ukraine", which is ongoing in the Romanian postal network. The organisational infrastructure and working model applied by Romanian Post in its own humanitarian actions for the benefit of the citizens of Ukraine were solid arguments to follow for the successful transfer of the donations collected in Belgium to the war affected areas.

"The fact that Belgian postmen and postwomen called upon the support of Romanian Post for the transfer of products collected in their network is a clear proof that the humanitarian actions undertaken by Romanian Post in the first days after the beginning of the war in support of Ukrainian citizens provided the European postal community with an example of good practice, which could be successfully replicated in other postal networks. Whatever the hardships, the postmen remain united around the same strong values, which is why they made possible the successful transfer to Ukraine of dozens of tons of food and clothing, essential for life in this unbearable context of war", said Valentin Ștefan, CEO of Romanian Post.

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Slovakia

Slovenská pošta, a.s. is engaged in helping the people of the Ukraine

Bratislava, 28th February 2022

Slovenská pošta, a.s. is among those who are engaged in helping the Ukraine. On the night of Monday, the 28th of February 2022, it sent two fully loaded trucks, from Bratislava, full of humanitarian aid for the people of the Ukraine who right now need our help. The clothes, water, baby food, non-perishable foods, hygiene items, blankets and clothing were collected by the citizens of Bratislava. The humanitarian aid is going to be delivered to cities such as Velykyi Bereznyi and, after reloading, also to Kyiv.

Slovenská pošta, a.s. will send humanitarian aid parcels to a specific address in Ukraine for free

Bratislava, 29th March 2022

From 23rd March 2022 Slovenská pošta, a.s. offers you the opportunity to send a humanitarian aid parcel to a specific address in Ukraine for free. The Ukrainian postal service has promised to give priority to their delivery.

Humanitarian aid parcels, addressed to specific recipients in the Ukraine, can be sent from all of the branches of Slovenská Pošta, a.s. in Slovakia. They must be suitably packed with a maximum weight of 5 kg and be visibly marked with a "**HUMANITARIAN AID**" label on the address side of the parcel. The maximum value of the products contained in such a parcel is limited to EUR 50. The consignment can only contain humanitarian aid: non-perishable food, drugs, medical supplies, groceries, clothing, hygiene products etc. Alcohol, guns, pyrotechnics or flammable substances must not be sent in the parcels.

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Slovenská pošta, a.s.
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Helping the Ukraine 🇺🇦

Slovak Post will send packages with humanitarian help to a specific address in Ukraine for free.

Terms and conditions for free transport:... See more

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Slovenská pošta, a.s. is one of the two major partners who transport post to and from the Ukraine

Press Release

Bratislava, 11th April 2022

Slovenská pošta, a. s. is helping Ukrainian refugees by offering them accommodation in their facilities all over Slovakia. More than 30 mothers and children are staying at the Slovenská pošta, a. s. training centre. In addition to accommodation, they also receive full board and can engage in various free-time indoor and outdoor activities.

As the postal operators closest to the Ukraine, Slovenská pošta, a.s. and Poczta Polska (the Polish postal service operator), due to their overland transport links with the war-torn country, are making sure that postal items from the rest of the world are delivered to the Ukraine. With the suspension of air travel to and from the country, the Ukraine has lost its postal transport links. Slovenská pošta, a.s. uses overland transport links to send postal items to and, mainly, from the Ukraine, and Poczta Polska uses air mail.

At the moment, Slovenská pošta, a.s. is responsible for the transit of postal items from the Czech Republic, Austria, Slovenia, Switzerland, the Netherlands and Germany to the Ukraine. However, you can also find items from as far afield as Australia and Japan. In peacetime these countries used air transport to send their postal items to the Ukraine, however, this means of transport is very limited these days. Slovenská pošta, a.s. dispatches postal items to the Ukrainian city of Chop, where the exchange office of its Ukrainian postal partner is located. As the volume of transit postal items is now four times higher than it was before the outbreak of the war, these days it is necessary for Slovenská pošta, a.s. to despatch a 3.5T lorry full of postal items as often as twice a week.

Slovenská pošta, a.s. is highly appreciative of the selfless service of our colleagues from Ukrposhta (the Ukrainian postal service operator), who through their best efforts strive to provide the smoothest possible national and international postal service. Slovenská pošta, a.s. is making every possible effort to be an active and reliable partner to its Ukrainian colleagues.

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Also in April 2022, through the WESTERN UNION service, money can be sent to a bank account in the Ukraine free of charge at Slovenská pošta,

6th April 2022

Ukrainian refugees may use the SKPAY card without any requirement to open a bank account. The card may be set up at any office of Slovenská pošta a. s. with a 50% discount on the card issue fee: Maestro – EUR 6 instead of EUR 12 and MasterCard – EUR 7.50 instead of EUR 15.

This provides the following benefits for the people from the Ukraine:

- It is an international prepaid card; you can use it to pay in shops or withdraw cash from ATMs in Slovakia or any other country.
- Secure internet payments and payments without transaction charges in shops
- Cash deposits and withdrawals at all branches of Slovenská pošta, a. s.
- SEPA transfers and card-to-card transfers are free.
- A mobile application is available so you can check transactions, balances and for card management through your phone.

Payment Products Available at Post Offices

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Novinky

Posielanie peňazí na Ukrajinu na účet prostredníctvom služby WESTERN UNION je od 1.4.2022 do 30.4.2022 na Slovenskej pošte bez poplatku.

06.04.2022

Posielanie peňazí na Ukrajinu na účet prostredníctvom služby WESTERN UNION je od 1.4.2022 do 30.4.2022 na Slovenskej pošte bez poplatku.

Posielanie peňazí na Ukrajinu prostredníctvom služby WESTERN UNION je od 5.3.2022 do 31.3.2022 na Slovenskej pošte bez poplatku.

08.03.2022

Posielanie peňazí na Ukrajinu prostredníctvom služby WESTERN UNION je od 5.3.2022 do 31.3.2022 na Slovenskej pošte bez poplatku.

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Refugees from the Ukraine – mothers and children – have found refuge in Slovenská pošta accommodation

Press Release

Bratislava, 11th April 2022

Slovenská pošta, a. s. is helping Ukrainian refugees by offering them accommodation in their facilities all over Slovakia. More than 30 mothers and children are staying at the Slovenská pošta, a. s. training centre. In addition to accommodation, they also receive full board and can engage in various free-time indoor and outdoor activities.

Slovenská pošta, a. s. is employing Ukrainian refugees

Press Release

Bratislava, 12th April 2022

Slovenská pošta, a. s. is offering employment opportunities to Ukrainian refugees in various positions all over Slovakia. The terms and conditions of employment are exactly the same as for our Slovak employees. Our advantage is that in the majority of positions a lack of knowledge of Slovak or only a partial understanding of our language is not a hindrance to the performance of the jobs. At the moment, as many as 20 Ukrainian refugees are working at post offices with different types of employment contract in line with the Labour Code. These refugees have been granted temporary refuge in Slovakia. Other potential employees have been going through the mandatory employment administration system.

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Slovenská pošta, a. s. – the only distribution channel for state social benefits for Ukrainian refugees

Press Release

Bratislava, 19th April 2022

Those citizens of the Ukraine who are granted refugee status may ask for financial aid in the form of state social benefits. The first payment of these benefits will be from 19th to 27th April 2022. Slovenská pošta, a. s. will be the only distribution channel. This means that more than 15,000 state social benefits will be paid directly to the eligible recipients – the Ukrainian refugees from 19th to 27th April 2022 at the offices of Slovenská pošta, a. s. These will not be one off payments, they will be paid every month.

19th April 2022

Slovenská pošta, a. s. has contributed CHF 5,000 to the UPU Emergency and Solidarity Fund (ESF) to provide emergency aid to Ukrposhta in response to the extremely difficult situation in Ukraine.

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Slovenia

31 March 2022

In March, Pošta Slovenije joined organizations and individuals providing help to the Ukrainian people.

To begin with, we donated EUR 3,000 to the **Red Cross** of the Republic of Slovenia. Secondly, at the initiative of the Ukrainian Post, we organized **free shipping of the humanitarian aid packages** addressed to individuals in Ukraine. The exchange of mail with Ukraine continues, of course in line with the restrictions in the areas where the military conflicts take place.

In addition, in the premises of **Pošta Slovenije in Maribor a storage place** was offered to the volunteers who collect humanitarian aid for refugees. The space will also serve as an information point, where people will be provided with food and clothes and where they will be able to get basic information on how to obtain temporary protection status, accommodation and so on.

We also **accommodated** a Ukrainian family in Maribor the property owned by Pošta Slovenije.

As a sign of moral support to the Ukrainian population and the efforts to preserve the world peace, Ukrainian flags were displayed on the most important facilities of Pošta Slovenije."

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Nuestro primer vuelo de Correos Cargo para transportar ayuda humanitaria ya ha aterrizado en el aeropuerto Rzeszów-Jasionka de Polonia. Este material quedará en manos de @WCKitchen, la ONG del @chefjoseandres, que preparará comidas para los refugiados que huyen del conflicto.

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Send emergency aid to Ukraine with PostNord

2022-03-30 08:00

PostNord has received a request from the Ukrainian Post, Ukrposhta, for help in collecting and transporting emergency aid to the Ukrainian people. As of today, private individuals can send emergency aid packages to Ukraine free of charge.

The items will be shipped from Sweden to Poland, after which the Ukrainian Post will be responsible for transport and distribution in Ukraine. Ukrposhta distributes emergency aid where the need is greatest.

- Our colleagues in Ukrposhta do a fantastic job of maintaining the mail delivery and carrying out their important social mission during the ongoing war. When those who risk their lives every day to keep Ukraine going ask for help, it goes without saying that we will do what we can. Therefore, it feels important to provide the opportunity to send relief packages from both Sweden and Denmark free of charge, says Annemarie Gardshol, President and CEO of PostNord.

The current war has made it difficult for distribution and logistics in Ukraine. In such a situation, the Ukrainian post can take an active role in getting humanitarian aid on the ground. Ukrposhta has therefore appealed to European postal distributors for help in obtaining important supplies that they can distribute to citizens who remain in the country.

- We are pleased to be able to support the Ukrainian Post's collection of humanitarian aid. Ukrposhta wants to be able to continue its activities as far as possible and despite the ongoing war, and help to make everyday life easier for the people inside Ukraine. Many Swedes want to support the Ukrainian people in a completely terrible situation and now we make it free and easy to get help all the way to the Ukrainian people, says Mathias Krümmel, CEO of PostNord Sweden.

How does it happen?
PostNord offers all private individuals who want to donate humanitarian aid to send packages of supplies to Ukraine free of charge. Packages are handed in at one of PostNord's Business Centers and then transported to a central office in Poland. From there, the Ukrainian post office drives in the aid to citizens who remain inside Ukraine and have a great need for help. The

- Private individuals can send packages with supplies of up to 20 kg and with a maximum size such as a "regular moving box". Maximum 2 packages per submission.
- The packages are handed in at PostNord's business center and sent to Ukraine free of charge. It is not possible to submit to a representative or rural letter carrier. You can find your nearest Business Center here .
- At PostNord's business center, a special label will be affixed to the package. You do not need to write an address or the like on the package.
- The contents of the package must appear on the outside to facilitate sorting. More information in English is available on the Ukrainian Post's website .

What can you send?
- **Food**
    - Cans, such as ravioli, tuna, minced meat sauce, tomato sauce, soups, fruit and canned berries
    - Instant noodles and other dry pasta
    - cakes, energy bars, chocolate

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    - tea, coffee
- **Clothes**, whole and clean, mainly underwear, gloves and rainwear
- **Household products** , whole and clean e.g. sleeping bags, pillows, duvets, thermal mugs, garbage bags
- **Hygiene products,** new in unopened packaging, e.g. toothpaste, toothbrushes, soap, wet wipes, feminine hygiene products
- **Medical products** e.g. bandages, sterile compressors, patches

You may **not** send:

- Fresh produce
- Liquids that are not in a can
- Dangerous goods

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Last week we reached out to the public, on behalf of Ukrposhta (the postal service of Ukraine), asking for humanitarian aid to all those suffering from the ongoing Russian military invasion of Ukraine. More than 2000 parcels are now on its way to all those in need. Thank you!

Will they arrive? They will, but not without a lot of determination, bravery, and loyalty of all the employees of Ukrposhta.

On April 1, I participated in a call where the CEO of Ukrpishta, Igor Smelyansky, gave an update on the situation. He presented the extent of the damages the Russian military invasion has caused, destroying more than 900 postal offices, over 200 delivery vehicles and mourned postal lives lost including those missing. "The war is taking a toll on everyone with daily disruptions. 11 million Ukrainians are displaced and 4 million have left the country. Everyone in Ukrposhta is doing their best to keep our operations running to ensure that humanitarian goods and pensions are delivered to the Ukrainian people as they depend on it" emphasised Igor Smelyansky.

Together with Ukrposhta we continue to provide for free deliveries of humanitarian aid to the people of Ukraine.

More info about how you can support can be found here
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https://lnkd.in/e3RS_xeF
Denmark
https://lnkd.in/eWtwK5AT

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There are three main ways Royal Mail is supporting Ukraine:

- We launched a fundraising partnership with the British Red Cross (BRC) and their Ukraine Crisis Appeal. We know many of our people want to donate or fundraise in their communities so we are promoting this with a dedicated donation page and supporting with matched funding. As of 11 April, donations stood at c.£120k, including matched funding.
- We are also working closely with the Ukrainian Embassy in London and have offered our logistics expertise and resources to help transport aid. From w/b April 11, we will be sending two trucks a day for 30 days, containing humanitarian aid.
- We are also supporting the Disasters Emergency Committee appeal (DEC) with a PO Box number for people to send donations.
- Many Royal Mail teams across the country are finding other ways to support, working with local charities to collect aid donations and raising money.
- Finally, we supported the Commercial Workers' Union Humanitarian Aid Charity with a truck to transport aid they collected to Poland, working with the charity CARITAS.

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We're proud to support the Disasters Emergency Committee (DEC) in their coordination of the UK's fundraising efforts and aid distribution to help the people of Ukraine.

We're supporting the appeal by providing a PO box to allow people to make postal donations to the appeal. If you'd like to make a donation to the DEC, the PO box address is:

PO Box 999
LONDON
EC3A 3AA

Jenny Hall and 142 others

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Ukraine

We want to do all we can to support the people of Ukraine.

We're match funding donations made by our people to the British Red Cross Ukraine Crisis appeal and we've offered to help transport aid.

We're also supporting the Disasters Emergency Committee appeal by providing a PO Box for postal donations.

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