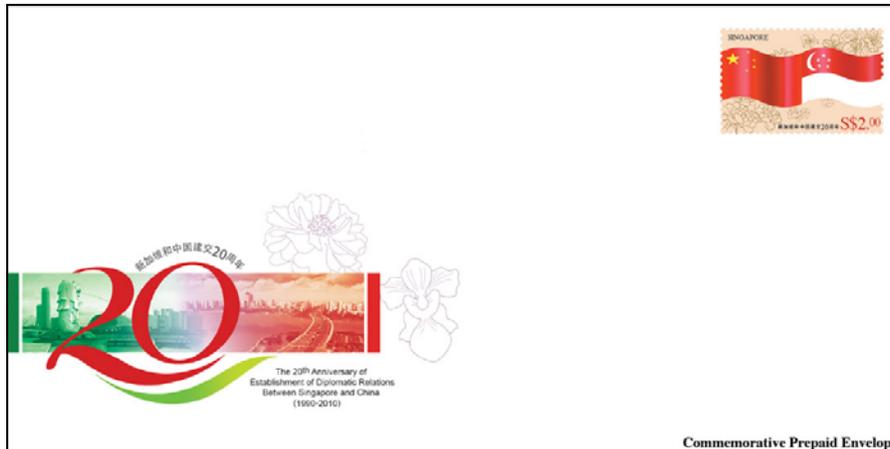


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## **SINGAPORE'S FIRST JOINT COMMEMORATIVE PRE-PAID ENVELOPE**

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**Singapore, 15 October 2010** - Singapore Post and China Post have jointly created a commemorative prepaid envelope to celebrate 20 years of Singapore-China diplomatic relations.

The joint commemorative prepaid envelope, besides exemplifying one of the areas of cooperation between Singapore and People's Republic of China, is part of the several major celebration events to mark the 20 years of diplomatic ties between People's Republic of China and Singapore.

Featured on the joint commemorative prepaid envelope are stamp impressions of the national flags of China and Singapore, the imprints of their respective national flowers - the peony and orchid, and the iconic landmarks - the Bridge of Suzhou and Merlion.

Mr Woo Keng Leong, Executive Vice President (Mail), SingPost said, "This is the first time that Singapore Post, with the support of the Infocomms Development Authority of Singapore, issued a prepaid envelope to commemorate such an occasion. It is a refreshing change from the usual joint stamp issue and it also underscores our many years of strong partnership with China Post. For example, in 1996, Singapore Post and China Post jointly released a commemorative stamp issue, 'City Views', and in 2004, a commemorative stamp issue, celebrating the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the founding of Suzhou Industrial Park."

Limited in quantity, this unique joint commemorative prepaid envelope costs S\$3.00, making it a treasured collectible for philatelic enthusiasts. Also available on sale is a special folder containing both the envelopes from China and Singapore which costs S\$6.



A special first day cancellation will be made available for collectors to commemorate this occasion.

These two products will be on sale from 18 October in China and at SingPost's post offices. Orders can also be made at SingPost's online shopping portal *vPOST*, <http://shop.vpost.com.sg>.

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### **About Singapore Post Limited**

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Singapore Post Limited (SingPost) is a leading provider of mail, logistics and retail solutions in Singapore and the Asia Pacific region.

It is the designated Public Postal Licensee (PPL) for Singapore providing domestic and international postal services as well as end-to-end mail solutions such as data printing, letter-shopping, delivery and mailroom management.

As a logistics provider, SingPost offers domestic and international door-to-door delivery services, including express delivery (*Speedpost*) along with warehousing, fulfilment and distribution services.

SingPost owns one of the largest retail distribution networks in Singapore with its extensive tri-channel network of over 60 post offices, 300-odd Self-service Automated Machines (*SAM*) and the online shopping and shipping portal *vPOST*.

SingPost was listed on the Main Board of the SGX-ST on 13 May 2003. The company has won many awards and accolades. It is the only postal company in the world to have won the Express Mail Service (EMS) Cooperative Certification Gold Level Award by the Universal Postal Union for its *Speedpost* Worldwide Courier Service for nine consecutive years since 2001. It was also named runner-up in the "Most Transparent Company Award 2009" for the third time at the SIAS Investors' Choice Awards. For further information, please visit [www.singpost.com](http://www.singpost.com).

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