

Berne, 10 June 2024
International Bureau Circular
United Nations – Joint stamp issue for the
UN's 80th anniversary

Dear Sir/Madam.

I have pleasure in conveying a message from the **UNITED NATIONS**, which asks us to inform the designated operators of UPU member countries of the following:

"The Under-Secretary-General of Operational Support presents his compliments to the Permanent Representatives and Observers of Specialized Agencies of the United Nations and has the honour to inform them that the year 2025 marks the 80th Anniversary of the United Nations. On behalf of the Secretary General, he would like to invite all Member States to join the United Nations Postal Administration in issuing postage stamps to commemorate this special occasion.

"The anniversary will be an important opportunity to reflect on the history of the United Nations and take stock of its enduring achievements. It will also be an opportunity to spotlight where the United Nations, and the international community as a whole, can focus its efforts to meet current and future challenges across the three pillars of our work: peace and security, development, and human rights.

"The United Nations Postal Administration will be issuing guidelines on the format and design theme for the United Nations 80th Anniversary joint stamp issue to facilitate your collaboration later this year. Please submit your expression of interest in participating in this project to:

Chief, United Nations Postal Administration United Nations Headquarters 405 East 42nd Street, GA-1B-45 NEW YORK, NY 10017 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Email: unpanyinquiries@un.org

"The Under-Secretary-General of the United Nations avails himself of this opportunity to renew to the Permanent Representatives and Observers of Specialized Agencies of the United Nations the assurances of his highest consideration."

Yours faithfully,

Vladyslav Dubenko Director of Logistics