

2.7 Indicators : Tax

Service Tax & 7 Educational Cess (17th May 2006)

A Levy of taxes at the rate of 12.24% (12% Service Tax + 2% Educational Cess Component) on Speed Post and Express Parcel Post was Levied with effect from 17th May 2006.

It could be paid in the form of Postage Stamps and accounted for separately (Fractions of rupees were rounded to the next value).



Rate (11.6.2007)
1. 201 to 1000kms
2. 51- to 200gms
3. Speed Post = Rs.30/-

Reduced scan



A cover Posted from Proddatur from Proddatur (AP) on (Friday) 14/7/2006 to Hyderabad delivered on (18/7/2006) (Tuesday). 3rd working day.

A payment cost Rs.30/- was made Prepaid by stamps.

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 GST w.ef. 1.July 2017



The GST is applicable on Speed Post, Express Parcel Post, Life Insurance and Agency Services provided by the Department of Posts.
 The GST rate was 18% on Speed Post.
 The All India Speed Post rate for 50gms is Rs.35/- plus 18% GST, which comes to Rs.41.30/- (Rs.35+Rs.6.30).



A Local Speed Post cover sent from Chennai (1/7/2017) to Chennai.
 Delivered on 3rd July 2017.
 (Postage Paid Rs.15/- for local delivery)