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## DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND COMMERCE STANDARDE DIVISION

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## APPROVAL LISTING

Parcel Post Computing Counter Scale, Manufactured by Pitney Bowes, Inc., Stamford, Connecticut, U. S. A.

Under the provisions of the Weights and Measures Act, Chapter 292, R.S.C. 1952, and Regulations thereunder (P.C.6894), the apparatus specified and illustrated herein has been listed as an approved device and may be used in Canada in accordance with the conditions applicable.

Apparatus Listed: Computing percel Post counter scale model 3702, capacity 25 lbs.

Application: Weighing and computing postage on parcels.

Conditions: As prescribed in P.C. 5894.

Description: This device is a spring computing cylinder type chart scale with the

load platform located above the mechanism.

The scale is equipped with a single rectangular welded steel lever, one arm of which is extended to act as a transfer lever. Pivots and bearings are replaced by ball bearing assemblies. Resistance to load is provided by two sets of two helical temperature compensated springs in tenden. The load bridge is stabilized by an aluminum bar which is connected to the check link post standard. The chart is graduated to 25 lbs. x 1 ounce graduations and shows weight values for each 4 oz. graduation. The computations on the chart for various rate classiff ations are covered by shutters. When the parcel is placed on the scale platform the shutter covering the applicable postage is withdrawn and the postage value appears when the appropriate key is pressed. The keys are plainly marked with the distance, provider or other unit price governing factor. The scale is equipped with an adjustable dash pot, balance adjustment and levelling legs.

Testing: The standards tests for a computing scale shall apply.

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## PARCEL POST COMPUTING SCALE

MODEL 3702



