

King Alfonso XIII, 1898

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Paid reply postal card, message half as well as reply half, issued 1898. Both cards originally were attached to each other and were separated before sending. The cards were sent on January 17 as well on January 18, 1898 and were cancelled by a faint "CORREOS / [...]" cancel. On the back, the cards were tied by a "CORREOS / MANILA" cancel on January 24, 1898. **Only known used paid reply postal card, reply half.** Provenance message half: Arturo Aguinaga

Since, according to the decree of December 8, 1897, the postage of a domestic postcard was reduced from 2 Centavos to 1 Centavos de Peso as of January 1, 1898, the cards are overpaid.