Greek Currency Control Cachet

Commencing in late 1936, Greek Customs scanned mail unloaded at Athens for further distribution to other European countries. A circular cachet with 23 mm diameter was stamped on the front of such letters.

An Athnai (Athens) machine cancel was applied to such mail usually on the reverse, but on the front of the lower cover.

Route
Ship to Singapore.
KLM to Athens.

Rate
2P 94c, 9-times rate, 41-45g.
2P70c air from Singapore
(9 by 30c).

24c foreign letter = 12c first 20 g, plus 6c each other 20g or part thereof.

> Pencil marking 9R / 2.94 of Manila postal clerk.



Manila 21 Dec 1937, to Kitzbuhel, Austria



Route
Ship to Hong Kong.
Imperial feeder line from HK (15 Oct) to Penang (16 Oct).
Imperial flight

Imperial flight
IW592 from Penang
to Athens.

Rate
84c, double rate,
6-to-10g.
72c air from HK
(2 by 36c).
12c foreign letter.