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CAPTURING SINGAPORE'S FIRST TREETOP WALK AND ITS SURROUNDING FLORA AND FAUNA THROUGH STAMPS

Date of Issue: 19 October 2005



Se-tenant set of 4 stamps (\$2.83)

SINGAPORE, 18 OCTOBER 2005 – The first of its kind TreeTop Walk in Singapore and some of the surrounding flora and fauna will be captured on a beautifully illustrated se-tenant set of stamps.

The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation (HSBC) TreeTop Walk connects the two highest points in the Central Catchment Reserve in MacRitchie. Here, visitors are able to get a bird's eye view of the forest canopy and they are able to experience for themselves what high-rise living is like in the rainforest.

Issued on 19 October 2005, the se-tenant set of stamps feature not only the suspension bridge but also some of the flora and fauna – namely the Colugo (1st Local), the Singapore Adenia (60¢), the Red Crowned Barbet (\$1) and Common Tree Nymph (\$1) – that one can catch a glimpse of at the HSBC TreeTop Walk.

This stamp issue is the 15th in the series of the Care-for-Nature (CFN) stamp issue sponsored by HSBC. This is part of its environment conservation and education programme that was launched in 1989. The CFN environment conservation and education programme aims to promote greater awareness, appreciation and protection of our natural heritage for the benefit of all.

Information and enquiries

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Items on Sale

The following items will be on sale at all post offices and the Singapore Philatelic Bureau (Singapore Post Centre post office), unless otherwise stated:

Items	Price	Date Available
Complete set of stamps	\$2.83	19 October 2005 onwards
First Day Cover (Without stamps)	\$0.25	5 October 2005 – 19 October 2005
Pre-cancelled First Day Cover (Affixed with stamps)	\$3.40	19 October 2005 only
Presentation Pack (With Complete set of stamps)	\$4.30	19 October 2005 onwards
1 st Local Self-Adhesive Stamp Booklet	\$2.30	19 October 2005 onwards

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 You are also purchase in advance at our online shopping mall, <http://shop.vpost.com.sg>
 Orders will be processed and sent on/after the issue date.

Technical details of this stamp issue are as follow:

Date of issue	:	19 October 2005
Denominations	:	1 st Local, 60¢, \$1 and \$1
Stamp Size	:	30mm x 40mm
Stamp Booklet	:	70mm x 90mm
Perforation	:	14.0 x 14.0
Paper	:	Unwatermarked
Printing Process	:	Offset Lithography
Printer	:	Southern Colour Print
Sheet Content	:	40 stamps per sheet
Designed by	:	Leo Teck Chong

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