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**A Youthful Celebration for Singapore's Winning Bid
for Youth Olympic Games on New Stamp Issue**

Date of Issue: 25 June 2008



Complete set of stamps

Singapore, 23 June 2008 – In celebration of Singapore's winning bid for the host city of the inaugural Youth Olympic Games (YOG) in 2010, SingPost will be releasing a set of stamps on 25 Jun 08 portraying the victorious moment that is forever marked as a milestone in Singapore's history.

The roaring cheer, fervour and triumph that erupted across the Padang the second the news was announced to the eager crowd 'live' from the International Olympic Council in Switzerland on 21 Feb 08, were strongly-captured on the vibrant colours and jubilant faces on these stamps.

The stamps come in two denominations – 1st Local (26¢) and \$2. On these stamps which form one complete picture, one can see the strong and harmonious bond of Singapore youths, as they link arms to celebrate Singapore's win. Across the Padang are the Singapore flag flying high and the distinguished City Hall and former Supreme Court, lending a stately air to the youthful spirit and vivacity of the stamp design.

This set of stamps commemorates the historic moment that every Singaporean will be proud to remember.

The complete set of stamps, pre-cancelled first day cover, and presentation pack will go on sale at all post offices as well as the Singapore Philatelic Museum. All the stamp products of this issue can also be ordered at SingPost's online shopping portal vPost, <http://shop.vpost.com.sg>.

Information and enquiries

For more information on this new stamp issue, please call the Singapore Philatelic Bureau at telephone numbers 1800 741 4111 (toll-free within Singapore) or 6845 6756 during office hours or visit <http://www.singpost.com> or email us at sinstamp@singpost.com

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**ANNEX**

**FACT SHEET**

**Items on Sale**

| <u>Items</u>                                                        | <u>Price</u> |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| First Day Cover (without stamps)                                    | S\$0.25      |
| Pre-cancelled First-Day Cover (affixed with complete set of stamps) | S\$3.10      |
| Presentation Pack                                                   | S\$4.05      |

**Technical Details**

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|------------------|---|---------------------------------|
| Date of Issue    | : | 25 June 2008                    |
| Denominations    | : | 1 <sup>st</sup> Local & S\$2.00 |
| Stamp Size       | : | 40.7mm x 29.85mm                |
| Perforation      | : | 13                              |
| Paper            | : | Unwatermarked                   |
| Printing Process | : | Offset Lithography              |
| Printer          | : | Secura Singapore Pte Ltd        |
| Sheet Content    | : | 10                              |
| Graphic Designer | : | Tze Ngan                        |