## Arab Postal Day Joint Issue 2012

### storical Background:

uing a Joint stamp for Arab Postal Day is every three years on the occasion of «Arab Post Day This is a decision of the « Permanent Arab Committee » For the 22 States members in the ab League . The first issue was released in 2008 . The supposed version stamp was planed to ue in 2011, and because of the events experienced by the region it is postponed to year later .

sign selection is opened for all member states . Final design is selected between Syrian , Saudi abia , Sudan , Oman , Qatar and Egypt Post . The Communications Ministers decided to clude the design of Syrian due to freeze Syria's membership in the Arab League, and it has en the formation of a working group, chaired by Qatar, and the membership of Tunisia, Saudi abia, Iraq, Egypt, and the Technical Secretariat to evaluate the proposals for the design of the ified Arab to choose the design most appropriate . The design chosen was the Omani with the vamendments in the design . Such as Framework blue and red inside the character .

exhibit will present the story of this Commemorative stamp and the countries issue it. The of of the designs, First Day cover and posted covers and stamps rating.

#### hibit Plan:

exhibit is by the date of issue and alphabetical order of the countries name .

Introduction to the design

Bahrain 03 Aug 2012

Egypt 03 Aug 2012

Morocco 03 Aug 2012

Oman 03 Aug 2012

Palestinian Authority 03 Aug 2012

Qatar 03 Aug 2012

Sudan 03 Aug 2012

Tunisia 03 Aug 2012

. United Arab Emirates 15 Aug 2012

Saudi Arabia 17 Oct 2012

Iraq 27 Nov 2012

Yemen 02 Jan 2013



The final wining design proof signed by Mohamed Nidham the Oman post designer.

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# COMMEMORATIVE ISSUES OF GCC EXHIBITION

## **Historical Background:**

The history of the Arabian Gulf Cooperation Council postage stamps joint exhibition organized annually and according to the Arabic alphabet of the member countries . Organizing such exhibitions in accordance with a decision of transports and PTT of the GCC in their  $7^{th}$  meeting held in the ( Abu Dhabi ) United Arab Emirates during 19-20 October 1993.

The administration of GCC arrange stamps exhibitions in conjunction with the annual meeting of the GCC postal administration. It is to spotlight the civilization of the area and encourage philatelists to take part in these exhibition by offering their best possessions.

### Introduction:

The plan of this exhibit is to cover all the exhibitions from first to the last one with their different issues of stamps , FDCs , philatelic passports and different commemorative postmark of every attended country . Also the dates of the exhibitions , country names , leaders , their ministries and post sector which organized the exhibitions . Short paragraph about the associations and clubs in the member countries , whom share in organizing the exhibitions .

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