June 8, 2005

Re: Release: 1648
Service Requests: 81254
Programs: None
CICS Programs: None
Copymembers: CPWSTART
Include Members: None
DDL Members: None
Bind Members: None
CICS Maps: None
Forms: None
Web Include members: None
Table Updates: System Messages Table, Data
Urgency: Date Mandated (see Timing of Installation)

This release addresses the following service request:

**Service Requests 81254**

Service Request 81254 asks that a modification to the Payroll Personnel System (PPS) be made to allow for the extension of the Staff and Academic Reduction in Time (START) program through June 30, 2006 for employees currently participating in the program. This is in response to the approval of this plan by the Board of Regents in May of 2005. The Regents have also authorized the President to grant program participation to locations which had not previously implemented START.

In response to this request, the following modifications have been made to PPS

**Copy Members**

**CPWSTART**

This copymember contains the initial date value of the Staff and Academic Reduction in Time (START) Program Begin Date, START Program End Date, and the valid START DOS Code(s). The Program Begin Date and Program End Date are referenced in module PPEC156. The Program End Date has been modified to 6/30/06 to reflect the change requested in this Service Request.

**System Message Table**

Change messages transactions to display the changed START End Date issued by the File Maintenance Process (PPEC156) and the START Reporting Process (PPP695) have been included with this release.
The change transactions in release file CARDLIB (MSGPROD) are supplied for both Test and Production.

Test Plan

Online Testing

1. Set up an employee on START with an End Date of 6/30/05.
2. Change the End Date to 6/30/07 and try to update. You should get the following message

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3. Change the End Date to 6/30/06 and try to update. The update should be accepted.

No Batch Testing is included. This release is a change to a date value in a copymember. Compile listings should be examined to verify that the modified Copymember has been picked up.

Installation Instructions

Installation Instructions are provided as a separate document.

Timing of Installation

The installation of this release is Date Mandated.

This release must be installed before any extensions are granted to existing START participants. Therefore, campuses are encouraged to install the release prior to July 1, 2005.

As usual, campuses are encouraged to install this release in as timely a fashion as possible, and in the normal numeric sequence of releases.

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