Re: Release: 1888
Service Requests: 82585, 82612
Error Reports: None
Programs: PPAPDXLF, PPDXMGR, PPWIDOC, PPWIPPA
Copy Members: CPWSDOCW, CPWSDXAC, CPWSDXIN, CPWSDXTX
Include Members: None
DDL Members: None
Bind Members: None
CICS Maps: None
CICS Help: DOCHIPPA
Forms: None
Table Updates: CICS Function, CICS Key Function, CICS Help, Code Translation Table, Routine Definition Table, System Messages Table
Urgency: Urgent (see Timing of Installation below)

This release addresses the following Service Request(s):

**Service Request 82585 and 82612**

SR 82585 asks that the ability to produce COBRA documents and instructions be removed from PPS. While SR 82612 asks that the components related to former vendor SHPS be removed from PPS.

Service Request 82585 provides the following background information:

Administration of COBRA is being outsourced to an external vendor. Going forward, the COBRA business process will not include printing of any COBRA IDOC. Furthermore, the instructions to the employee appearing on the COBRA IDOC would no longer be correct. It is necessary to ensure that the COBRA IDOC is no longer printed and given to employees.

Service Request 82612 provides the following background information:

Clean up obsolete control table entries, help text, forms, etc. related to former vendor SHPS.

**Programs**

**PPAPDXLF**
PPAPDXLF is the logical function (LOGICAL-FUNC) application processor for the Employee Documents (DX) CICS subsystem. It can be executed in either in batch or online processing modes. It was modified to remove all codes pertaining to COBRA IDOC.

**PPDXMGR**
Program PPDXMGR is the employee documentation preparation driver. It can be executed in either in batch or online processing modes. It was modified to remove all codes pertaining to COBRA IDOC.
PPWIDOC
PPWIDOC is the screen processor for the IDOC function (Document Selection Menu). It was modified to remove all codes pertaining to COBRA IDOC.

PPWIPPA
PPWIPPA is the screen processor for the IPPA function (Status Change Pers. Actions). It was modified to remove all codes pertaining to COBRA IDOC.

Copy Members

CPWSDOCW
CPWSDOCW defines an EXTERNAL work area for employee documents. It was modified to remove all references COBRA IDOC.

CPWSDXAC
CPWSDXAC defines a work area and values for employee documents. It was be modified to remove all references to COBRA IDOC.

CPWSDXIN
CPWSDXIN defines an EXTERNAL linkage area for employee documents. It was be modified to remove all references to COBRA IDOC.

CPWSDXTX
CPWSDXTX defines an EXTERNAL work area for employee documents. It was modified to remove all references to COBRA IDOC.

CICS Helps

CICS Help
The IPPA screen level help was changed to remove COBRA documents.

CICS Help Texts
The field level help texts for former SHPS vendor were deleted from the CICS Help file.

Table Updates

System Messages Table
PPPMSG contains all the messages displayed in batch and online for PPS. All messages used in processes associated with the former vendor SHPS were deleted.

Code Translation Table
PPPCCTT contains translations of values of selected data elements; a single value may have multiple entries of different lengths. All code translations used in processes associated with the COBRA IDOC and former vendor SHPS were deleted.

Routine Definition Table
PPPRTD contains the data used to map the routine type and number (used in PPPPGT) to the specific program to be called by the EDB edit/update routine manager. All program definitions used by COBRA IDOC were deleted.

CICS Function Table (CFN)
Entries on this table identify the various functions found in CICS. The COBR function for COBRA IDOC was removed from the CICS menu in a two step process.

CICS Key Function Assignment
UC0PFK contains the mapping of logical key functions to actual key functions for the PPS CICS applications. Child table of UC0CFN.
CICS RDO, Resource Definition Online

A set of RDO commands deleted programs from CICS that support the COBRA IDOC and former vendor SHPS.

Obsolete Objects

Multiple objects including programs, copy members, JCL etc, are now obsolete. See the Installation Instructions or the Detail Design for a complete list of these objects.

Installation Instructions

A separate Installation Instructions document is provided for this release.

Test Plan

A separate Test Plan document is provided for this release.

Timing of Installation

The timing of this release is urgent.

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

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