Re: Release: 1929
Service Requests: 82955
Cobol Programs: PPP605 (new)
Copy Members: None
Include Members: None
DDL Members: None
Bind Members: PPP605 (new)
CICS Maps: None
CICS Help: None
Forms: Upay933 (new)
Table Updates: Code Translation, System Messages
Urgency: Date Mandated (see Timing of Installation below)

This release addresses the following Service Request:

Service Request 82955

Service Request 82955 asks that a quarterly report be produced that will enable the campuses to claim the credit from the IRS for the 6.2% employer portion of the OASDI for wages paid to qualified employees under the federal HIRE Act. In addition, this quarterly report may include unqualified wages. Unqualified wages are wages paid to qualified employees BEFORE March 19, 2010 and may be listed in the first quarter report if applicable. Qualified OASDI wages are those wages paid to qualified employees ON or AFTER March 19, 2010, (check date of March 19 or later).

Service Request 82955 provides the following background information:

The HIRE Act, P.L. 111-147, ("Hiring Incentives to Restore Employment") was enacted into federal law on March 18, 2010. This law creates a payroll tax exemption of the employer share of OASDI taxes (6.2%) for wages paid to qualified employees beginning March 19, 2010 through December 31, 2010. Qualified employees include those who begin employment between and including February 4, 2010 through December 31, 2010, sign an affidavit that he/she has not been employed more than 40 hours during the continuous 60-day period ending on the date employment begins, and who is subject to OASDI tax.

Cobol Programs

PPP605 (New)

PPP605 is a new PPS program that was developed to identify those employees qualified with respect to the HIRE Act that would provide the information needed by the campuses to claim ER OASDI.
Bind Members

PPP605 (New)
PPP605 bind member was created for program PPP605.

Forms

UPAY933 (New)
UPAY 933 was created to be used as a Program Run Specification for PPP605.

Table Updates

Code Translation Table
PPPCTT contains translations of values of selected data elements; a single value may have multiple entries of different lengths. The new code translation for “Hire Act – OASDI Holiday” was added.

Systems Messages Table
PPPMSG contains all the messages displayed in batch and online for PPS. All messages used in processes associated with the new program PPP605 were added.

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 date mandated. It should be installed after running the computes that have pay checks dated through 6/30/10.

As usual, campuses are encouraged to install this release in as timely a fashion as possible and in the normal numeric sequence. If there are any questions, please send electronic mail to Pamela.Torres@ucop.edu, or call 510-987-0741.

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