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Re:	Release:	1748
	Service Requests:	81728
	Error Reports:	2059
	Programs:	PPEC110
	Copy Members:	None
	Include Members:	PPPZPER
	DDL Members:	None
	Bind Members:	None
	CICS Maps:	None
	CICS Help:	None
	Forms:	None
	Table Updates:	Systems Messages Table
	Urgency:	Not Urgent

This release addresses the following Service Request and Error Report:

Service Request 81728

Service Request 81728 requested that the nonresident alien edits be modified to enforce the rule that nonresident alien employees with a Citizenship Status Code (EDB 0109) value of "E" or "F" have a Federal Tax Withholding Allowances (EDB0128) value of 999. If another value is entered, the Federal Tax Withholding Allowances (EDB0128) value is changed to 999.

Nonresident alien employees with the Citizenship Status Code (EDB0109) of "X" must have a Federal Tax Withholding Allowances (EDB0128) value of 999. If another value is entered, the Federal Tax Withholding Allowances (EDB0128) value is set to 999.

In this release, program PPEC110 is being modified to meet the requirements. In addition, two system messages have been modified and two other system messages are now obsolete.

Error Report 2059

Error Report 2059 identified a problem with the length of include member PPPVZPER. This member, originally modified as part of release 1710, is 1 byte greater than the include members for the PPPPER table.

Programs

PPPEC110

PPEC110 performs Marital Status, Federal Tax Exemption, 8233 Form Indicator and Citizenship Status Code consistency edits. With this release, consistency edits and implied maintenance for nonresident aliens with a Citizenship Status Code (EDB 0109) of "E", "F", or "X" have been modified so that 999 is the only valid value for Federal Tax Withholding Allowances (EDB 0128). Two system messages have been modified to reflect this change.

Originally, the processing for employees with Citizenship Status Code (EDB0109) of "E" or "F" with a Federal Tax Withholding Allowances (EDB0128) value other than 998 or 999 generated system message 08-916. For employees with a Citizenship Status Code (EDB0109) of X, a Federal Tax Withholding Allowances (EDB0128) value of 999 was required. Any other value would generate system message 08-463.

With this release, "999" is the only valid Federal Tax Withholding Allowances (EDB0128) for employees with Citizenship Status Code (EDB 0109) of "E", "F", or "X". System message 08-916 is now obsolete and has been removed. System message 08-463 has been modified to reflect the change. In addition, the program sets the current Federal Tax Withholding Status (EDB0128) value to 999 for these employees. When the Federal Tax Withholding Allowances (EDB0128) is updated, system message 12-242 is generated as part of the audit trail process. System message 12-902 is now obsolete and has been removed.

Include Member

PPPVZPER

Include member PPPVZPER is the COBOL declaration for the view PPPVZPER_PER. The filler at the end has been reduced by 1 byte to compensate for the new field which was added in release 1710, so that the defined length of the external member will remain consistent throughout the system.

Table Updates

System Messages Table

The following messages related to program PPEC110 have been modified:

- 08-463 has been changed to "Fed tax exempt will be set to 999 for citizen code E, F, and X".
- 12-242 has been changed to "Federal tax exempt set to 999 for citizen code E, F, and X".

The following messages are now obsolete and have been deleted:

- 08-916 – "Fed tax exempt must be 998/999 for citizen code E or F".
- 12-902 – "Fed tax must be 998/999 for citizen code E or F, overridden".

The update transactions in release file CARDLIB (MSGPROD) have been provided as part of this release.

Test Plan

A separate Test Plan document has been provided.

Installation Instructions

A separate Installation Instructions document has been provided.

Timing of Installation

The installation of this release is not urgent. 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 Robert.Glaser@ucop.edu, or call (510) 987-0454.

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