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Sent: Monday, June 08, 2009 2:32 PM
To: PAY-L@LISTSERV.UCOP.EDU
Subject: CTL Updates: System Parameter Table/Gross-to-Net Table (2009)

Payroll Coordination and Tax Services has announced changes to various System Parameter Entries and to a single GTN effective with July 2009 earnings. The changes are as follows:

Service Request 82602

The Covered Compensation Limit for employees who became active University of California Retirement Plan (UCRP) members prior to July 1, 1994 has increased to \$360,000.00.

The Covered Compensation Limit for employees who became active UCRP members on or after July 1, 1994 has increased to \$245,000.00.

Service Request 82604

The California Public Employee's Retirement System (CalPERS) 1959 Survivor Benefit Rate has been changed to 4.75.

Service Request 82605

The Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB) rate has been changed to 3.12 and the Benefit Administration Rate remains unchanged at 0.16.

Service Request 82606

The California Public Employee's Retirement System (CalPERS) State Miscellaneous Member First Tier Rate and the Employer FICA Contribution Rate have been changed to 16.9170.

Transactions to update the Gross-to-net Table are now available via FTP. The campuses should obtain the transactions at:

PAYDIST.CTL2009.CARDLIB (GTN2604)

Transactions to update the System Parameter Table are now available via FTP. The campuses should obtain the transactions at:

PAYDIST.CTL2009.CARDLIB (PRM2602)

The file contains 7 transactions for the System Parameters Table:

PARM	VALUE	DESCRIPTION
023	036000000	FYTD RETIREMENT MAX (NOTE 1)
024	??????????	FYTD RET TOLERANCE (NOTE 2)
067	024500000	FYTD RETIREMENT MAX (NOTE 1)
068	??????????	FYTD RET TOLERANCE (NOTE 2)
126	000031200	OPEB RATE
130	000169170	PERS EMPLR CONTR
131	000169170	PERS FICA EMPLR CONT

Note 1: System Parameters 023 and 067 will automatically be scaled up by a factor of 100 when they are used. Thus, the value of 3600.00 will become 360,000.00 when used, and the

value of 2450.00 will become 245,000.00 when used.

Note 2: The tolerance values (threshold at which warning messages are issued) for each of these limits are set by individual campuses. If the current limits are to remain unchanged,

either delete the two transactions from the file or replace the question marks with the old limit values. If the limits are to be changed, replace the question marks with the new values.

Both of the limit values are expressed in dollars, e.g., a value of 050000.0000 sets a tolerance limit of \$50,000.00.

As always, these updates should be applied to production only as approved by your campus Payroll manager. We suggest making a backup of the updated control tables either through an unload or an image copy after updating your production tables.

These transactions to update the System Parameter and the Gross-to-Net Tables must be applied after the final compute for June 2009 earnings and before the first compute for July 2009

earnings is run.

Functional questions regarding the 2009 rate changes should be addressed to Carolyn Murray at Carolyn.Murray@ucop.edu of Payroll Coordination and Tax Services. Carolyn may be reached by telephone at (510) 987-0944.

Technical questions may be addressed to me at Alex.Tayag@ucop.edu or call me at (510) 987-9175.