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## 1.0 Introduction

On Sunday, November 8, 2020, the United States Postal Service implemented the following software change:

- Enterprise Payment System (EPS) Release 4.1.0.0

These Release Notes provide the contents of the release and affected subsystems.

The section titled **Corrections to Known Issues** is derived from External Trouble Reports (ETRs) and Engineering Change Requests (ECRs) for inclusion in this release.

This document is prepared based on the knowledge available at the time of its publication and any element may be subject to change prior to the release.

## 2.0 Mail.dat Client Support

Please note the following regarding the Mail.dat client download.

There is **no** new Mail.dat client with this release. Users should continue using Mail.dat client **51.3.0.0\_PROD**, which can be downloaded from the Business Customer Gateway (BCG) using the following path: Mailing Services → Electronic Data Exchange [Go to Service] → Mail.dat download (Windows 32-bit, Windows 64-bit or Solaris).

## 3.0 Enterprise Payment System (EPS) – Enhancements, Updates, and New Functionality

### 3.1 Transactions

The Enterprise Payment System (EPS) now processes Product Tracking and Reporting (PTR) Premium Data transactions for VeriPoint and ExD services and includes those transactions on the Transaction History Report, the Dashboard, and the Account Spending History Report in the appropriate categories. [1727-EI](#)

## 4.0 Enterprise Payment System (EPS) – Corrections to Known Issues

### 4.1 Account Management

- A page caching issue was corrected to enable administrative users to consistently assign users and roles for Enterprise Payment System (EPS) accounts. Previously, for some new EPS accounts to which access had been granted for a particular user, the administrative user was unable to assign a role to the new user so that they could manage the account. The issue occurred because new users granted access to EPS in the Business Customer Gateway (BCG) did not show up on the page for the administrative user right away if the admin user was already positioned in the User/Roles tab. [1679-EI](#)
- The User/Roles tab of the Account Management page was updated so that an error message is no longer displayed for Payment Manager or Subscriber users when they access the page. [1726-EI](#)

### 4.2 Reports

- For reports that are exported to a selected file format for download, the default sort order for the export file was standardized so that the most recent transactions are at the top (i.e., descending transaction date and time order). Prior to this release, some report extract files were sorted with the oldest transactions at the top instead (ascending order). [1708-EI](#)
- For Periodicals, the Processing Category field is now populated so that it is properly included in the EPS Postage Statement drilldown reports. In addition, the Processing Category for Periodicals is sent to Package Platform Data Services, which enables missing data elements to be provided in the Informed Visibility Mail Tracking and Reporting (IV-MTR) data feed. [1673-EI](#)

## 5.0 Document History

Date	Version	Section	Description
11/08/2020	7.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Updated for post-deployment status</li> </ul>
11/06/2020	6.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All</li> <li>All</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Removed "Draft" watermark</li> <li>Revised for content changes to include only EPS</li> </ul>
10/23/2020 – 10/29/2020	5.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4.1</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Added ETR# 14233</li> </ul>
10/19/2020 – 10/20/2020	4.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5.1</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Added EPS CR# 1727</li> </ul>
10/09/2020 – 10/16/2020	3.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3.2</li> <li>4.1</li> <li>4.2</li> <li>5.2</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Updated Item# 13906 to provide additional details.</li> <li>Added ETR# 14203</li> <li>Added ETR# 13986</li> <li>Added ETR# 1673</li> </ul>
10/07/2020 – 10/09/2020	2.0	3.2	Revised <b>Mailing Services</b> text [Item #13906] to change all (4) file format references from " <b>comma-separated value (CSV)</b> " file format to " <b>Excel</b> " file format.