United States Postal Service® INDUSTRYALERT

March 29, 2021

Scheduled Commercial Systems' Maintenance Activities – Delayed Receipt of Data*

On Wednesday, *March 31*, 2021, from 8:30 AM CT – 3:30 PM CT, the United States Postal Service will perform critical maintenance activities which impact Package Platform and the Enterprise Payment System (EPS) resulting in delayed receipt* of the following datasets:

- > USPS Returns service data feeds
 - Pricing Notification
 - Final Notification
- Postage Payment for USPS Returns service via EPS
- > EPS data feeds

[*NOTE: Delayed Receipt of Data - Data feeds will be received later than the normal window of time.]

At the present time, based on recent forecasted volume assessments, it is anticipated data will be current no later than the end of the day on the same day -- Wednesday, *March 31*, 2021.

However, post-maintenance activities include

- (1) monitoring data processing progress and
- (2) providing periodic status assessment updates.

All Business Service Administrators (BSAs) should alert their impacted stakeholders.

We apologize for any inconvenience.

REMINDER: There is **no impact to delivery of packages**.

Please direct any inquiries or concerns to the **IV Solutions Center** via eMail (<u>InformedVisibility@usps.gov</u>) or telephone (1-800-238-3150, Option 2).

Thank you for your support of the United States Postal Service. Industry Engagement & Outreach/USPS Marketing

To subscribe or unsubscribe to Industry Alerts, please hit reply and send us your request. Or mail your request to:

Attn: Industry Engagement & Outreach

475 L'Enfant Plaza, RM 4411

Washington DC 20260

Privacy Notice: For information regarding our privacy policies, visit www.usps.com/privacypolicy