United States Postal Service®

INDUSTRYALERT

December 10, 2021

[UPDATE: ROLLBACK OF TIME-LIMITED PRICE CHANGE 2021]

Scheduled Commercial System Releases - Sunday, December 12, 2021

As previously advised, the United States Postal Service will implement software updates in preparation for **rollback of Time-Limited Price Change 2021** [effective Sunday, *October 3*, 2021 through Saturday, *December 25*, 2021.] This Sunday, *December 12*, 2021, from 5:00 AM CT – 12:00 PM CT, the following Commercial Systems are scheduled:

- PostalOne! System Release 53.2.0.0 *
- Package Platform Release 2.8.0.0
- Program Registration Release 22.4.0.0

During the cited seven-hour implementation and validation window (5:00 AM CT – 12:00 PM CT), impacted systems will remain available. While unanticipated, if connectivity issues are experienced, users should log-in again.

The **December 12**, 2021 Pre-Release Notes (*Change* **2**.0) document is attached and also available via PostalPro @ <a href="https://postalpro.usps.com/december-12-2021-[RollbackofTime-LimitedPriceChange2021]-release-notes. As reflected in the *Document History*, the edit reflected in **Change 2.0** includes removal of the DRAFT watermark in accordance with established protocol.

* REMINDER: PostalOne! System Release 53.2.0.0 DOES NOT require a new Mail.dat client. Users should continue to use Mail.dat client 53.0.0.0_PROD, which was required with the August 15, 2021 PostalOne! System release. The Mail.dat client 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).

All Business Service Administrators (BSAs) should forward this Industry Alert (as well as the attached Pre-Release Notes document) to their impacted stakeholders.

During normal business hours (7:00 AM CT – 7:00 PM CT), please direct any inquiries or concerns to the Mailing and Shipping Solutions Center (MSSC) via eMail [
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