



TSN MONTHLY REPORT
May, 2010

1. TSN Committee Update

Account Management Committee

The Account Management committee met twice to discuss the number of Account Management reports in ACE. There are a number of reports which are either underutilized or closely redundant to another report. CBP had indicated that maintenance of each report has an impact on resources. Discussions were held on the benefits of eliminating such reports. The Account Management committee plans to issue a draft recommendation/white paper to the other committees for review and comment.

Entry Committee

The Entry Committee continues to meet via conference call on the first Wednesday of each month. The report from the trade workshop held on January 26th regarding Post Summary Corrections (PSCs) was released to the participants for review. Several items have been clarified since the report was released. For PSC's filed by someone other than the original broker, CBP has determined that the entry should be visible to both the original entry filer and the PSC filer. CBP has also agreed to provide a PSC indicator on a query reflecting that a PSC has been filed with the following additional information in the query response: (1) entry number; (2) date the PSC was filed; (3) version number. CBP will NOT provide information pertaining to the PSC filer; content of the correction(s); the entry type; name of the importer of record. CBP also agreed to provide a liquidation status indicator on a modified ABI query (JX). Several items are still being considered within CBP, and there remain several open action items from the meeting.

Export Committee

The Export team received a response from the CBP Co-Chair of the TSN Legal/Policy Committee on a pending regulatory issue that the Export Committee had presented for resolution. The response was communicated to the entire team so that future GIFs can be written taking into account this change.

ITDS Committee

The Committee has no new business to report for May. It continues to monitor developments on the following issues: 1) CBP/ITDS CONOPS; 2) M1 PGA issues; 3) Product Information Code; and 3) DUNS number.

Legal Policy Committee

No activity to report for this month.

Multi-Modal Manifest Committee

The MMM Task Groups are each pursuing development of a business plan for comments and discussion at our next meeting. They are each working to prepare presentations for the Committee meeting on July 14 in Beltsville, MD.

Manifest Diversion Task Group: This group has prepared a business plan and is fine tuning their numbers. CBP Co-chairs are reviewing the plan.

House BL Release Task Group: This group held teleconferences to update their white paper which was initially presented in November.

Export Manifest Task Group: The trade co chairs of the MMM Committee and Export Committee held a teleconference to discuss cross committee efforts on developing a position paper for implementing an automated export manifest capability for all modes of transportation. The Export Manifest Task Group is developing a business case that will be shared and reviewed by the Export committee.

Revenue Committee

No activity to report for this month.

Supply Chain Security Committee

No activity to report for this month.

Transition Committee

No activity to report for this month.

2. ACE News

The following important messages impacting ACE were issued during May, 2010:

- **ACE Portal Application and Program Participation** (issued 5/3/2010)
- **Open ACE Programming Issues** (issued 5/3/2010)
- **CSMS# 10-000112- Missing Entry Numbers and Entry Line Numbers in AM-058 and AM-059 Reports** (issued 5/4/2010)
- **Open ACE Programming Issues** (issued 5/7/2010)
- **CSMS# 10-000119 - Cargo Certification Required on ALL ACE RLF/EIP Entry Summaries** (issued 5/10/2010)
- **Open ACE Programming Issues** (issued 5/20/2010)
- **CSMS# 10-000131 - New ACE Indicator on Printed Daily Statement** (issued 5/27/2010)
- **CSMS# 10-000133 - ACE Indicator Message - Please disregard** (issued 5/28/2010)

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