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Release Schedule and Manifest

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

We are planning a minor release for the Federal Parent Locator Service (FPLS) and other federal systems. This document describes the schedule and contents of Release 17-03.

Note: The official implementation date of Release 17-03 is September 15, 2017. However, we will implement release changes at other times. You can view the other dates on each page that describes the change.

The Release focuses on:

- Notification of the Release contents – July 2017
- Notification of the detailed Specifications – August 2017
- Implementation of the software changes – September 2017

Release 17-03 changes will enhance the Child Support Portal.

We will discuss Manifest topics in the Division of Federal Systems (DFS) July conference call, and the Specifications in the August conference call.

LIST OF ENHANCEMENTS	
Title	Proposed Implementation
Other States Denying Passport Notification (OCSE Ref. # 6437)	July 2017
Add Case ID to EDE Notification Email (OCSE Ref. # 6342)	August 2017
Supporting Only Federally Approved Version of Transport Layer Security (TLS) (OCSE Ref. # 6337)	September 2017

System	FEDERAL COLLECTION AND ENFORCEMENT
Title	Other States Denying Passport Notification (OCSE Ref. # 6437)
Proposed Changes	We are enhancing the Portal Passport Emergency Release to provide additional information to notify you upon submittal when another state(s) denies the noncustodial parent's passport.
Impact	States will not need to change their systems to take advantage of this enhancement.
Business Requirements or Benefit	This enhancement will provide additional information which notifies the state submitter that the noncustodial parent's passport is denied by another state(s).
Reason	A passport cannot be released unless all certifying states withdraw the noncustodial parent from the Passport Denial program.
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Targeted Release Date	July 2017

System	ELECTRONIC DOCUMENT EXCHANGE (EDE)
Title	Add Case ID to EDE Notification Email (OCSE Ref. # 6342)
Proposed Changes	We are enhancing the Portal EDE application to include the Case ID on email notifications.
Impact	States will not need to change their systems to take advantage of this enhancement.
Business Requirements or Benefit	This enhancement will allow state users to see the Case ID on email notifications.
Reason	This is in response to states asking that the Case ID appear in notification emails so that users can quickly determine which case information is available.
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Targeted Release Date	August 2017

System	PORTAL INFRASTRUCTURE
Title	Supporting Only Federally Approved Version of Transport Layer Security (TLS) (OCSE Ref. # 6337)
Proposed Changes	We are enhancing Portal security to be acceptable under federal requirements.
Impact	States will need to change their systems to TLS v1.2. If they do not make this change by September 30, 2017, they will not have access to the Portal.
Business Requirements or Benefit	This enhancement will keep the Portal secure and adheres to federal security requirements. We will work with states to upgrade to TLS v1.2.
Reason	TLS v1.0 and v1.1 are no longer acceptable standards under federal requirements.
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