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Bulletin: Title I, 12-18, New Personnel Input and Edit System (Pine) Edit

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To: Subscribers of Title I Publications (Payroll/Personnel)

This bulletin is being issued to inform users the National Finance Center (NFC) has implemented a new Personnel Input and Edit System (PINE) edit message code. This new PINE edit message is being done in accordance with the Office of Personnel Management's (OPM), Guide to Processing Personnel Actions (GPPA), Chapter 14, Promotions; Changes to Lower Grade, Level or Band; Reassignments; Position Changes; and Details, guidelines. The GPPA states, if an employee is serving on a temporary appointment you must document a change to another position or grade with a conversion to another appointment.

Effective Pay Period 15, 2012, PINE message number 863, *Employee on Temp Appt NOAC Invalid*, will be implemented for the NOACs listed below, for a new action and when a history correction package is processed, if the Appointment NTE date and Tenure Group is "0" on NFC's database as a current/active Temporary Appointment.

- 702 Promotion
- 703 Promotion NTE
- 713 Chg to Lower Grade, Level or Band
- 721 Reassignment
- 730 Detail NTE
- 731 Ext of Detail NTE
- 732 Term of Detail NTE
- 740 Psn Chg
- 741 Psn Chg NTE
- 769 Ext of Promotion NTE
- 770 Ext of Psn Chg NTE
- 792 Chg in Duty Station

## **Agency Responsibility**

Agencies are to delete the inappropriate NOAC and process the correct action based on OPM's GPPA.

## **Procedures**

The PINE procedure manual, which is available online at the NFC Web site, will be updated to include the information in this bulletin. To view and/or print this procedure, go to the *NFC Home Page (http://www.nfc.usda.gov)* and click the *Publications* link at the top of the page. At the Publications page right-hand menu, click *Procedures by Acronym* or *Procedures by Title/Chapter* then search on the list provided for Personnel Input and Edit System (PINE).

## Inquiries

For questions about NFC processing, contact the Payroll/Personnel Call Center (Option 3, then Option 1) at **1-800-981-3026** or the *EmpowHR* Help Desk at **1-888-367-6955**.

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