

SDDC-PP Advisory 15-0080

Date: 16 April, 2015

From: AMSSD-PP Scott AFB, IL

To: Military Service Headquarters Representatives, Worldwide Personal Property Shipping Offices (PPSO), and Transportation Service Providers (TSP)

Subject: DPS Annual Security Outage 17 April, 2015

1. Be advised on 17 April at 2100 hours CDT, DPS will be taken off line for the deployment of release 2.1.0. The release will require a 4-hour system outage. The release will address costing errors associated with pack/unpack rates for the future rate cycle, the PMO determined that the 2015 tariff rates for this item code were missing required decimals, resulting in high pack/unpack rates. The release contents include:

- a. SCR 6995: Unable to calculate an estimated cost for Personally Procured Moves (PPM)
- b. SCR 7048: Update Professional Books Papers and Equipment (PBP&E) weight limit and definition
- c. TSCR 7243: Replace instances of html type comments into java script comments
- d. SPR 6784: Fix May 15th date for both 2011 and 2012 rate cycle
- e. SPR 7140: Fix peak vs. non-peak rates that make the rate cycle expiration date equal to the performance period effective date
- f. SPR 7395: Fix estimated weight of PBP&E so it does not default to 10 lbs
- g. SPR 7396: Fix core error that displays as a civilian PPM shipment
- h. SPR 7398: Fix core error filter for PPM Accessorial page
- i. SPR 7400: Initiate warning message for exceeding weight limit on PBP&E for Civilians

2. An open defect remains, which is documented in Technical SCR 7401, Spouse Profession on a PPM Shipment. For spouse pro gear, the data entry field entitled "Spouse's Profession" is a mandatory field. Unfortunately, the field is being flagged with an error even when no weight is entered for spouse pro gear. As a work around, the service member will need to enter 'N/A' in the "Spouse's Profession" data field. The

PMO will post this defect and the work around to move.mil. The fix is planned for release 3.3.0, which is tentatively scheduled for March 2016.

3. For functional questions regarding this message, send an email to:
army.sddc.safb.ppcf@mail.mil.

4. Please report technical issues relating to this message to the SDDC Systems Response Center (SRC):

a. Email: usarmy.scott.sddc.mbx.g6-src-dps-hd@mail.mil

b. Telephone: Toll free (800) 462-2176; Commercial (618) 220-7332 Option 5

c. Internet: <https://www.sddc-srchelpme.com>

5. This message was approved for release by Ms. Jill Smith, Chief Business Processes and Systems Integration Division, HQ SDDC.

DPS Annual Security Outage 17 April, 2015

Before making changes

The screenshot shows the Defense Personal Property System (DPS) web application in Internet Explorer. The browser address bar shows the URL: https://dpstest.sddc.army.mil/finsechannel_enu/start.swe?SWECmd=Login&SWEPL=1&_sn=1. The page title is "Defense Personal Property System (DPS)".

The navigation menu includes: Home, 2DMSL, DPS Analytics, Customer Surveys, Forms, Rates, Counseling, Tracking, Shipment Mgmt, DPS User Satisfaction, and Consignment Guide. The current page is "Counseling".

The left sidebar contains the following menus:

- Counselor Menu**
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- Entitlements**
- PCS: 18000 lbs.
- Remaining PCS: 6020 lbs.

The main content area displays the "PPM Basic" form. The form includes the following information:

- PPM Basic**
- PPSO Outbound Supervisor: [neec, neec -- AGFM]
- Customer: [doolittle, kix -- United States Air Force -- 717171717]

The "Additional PPM Information" section contains the following fields:

*Is packing required ?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	
*Are you requesting an Advanced Operating Allowance?	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	
*% of Advanced Operating Allowance requested	<input type="text"/>	
*Estimated weight	<input type="text"/>	Weight Estimator Form
*Estimated weight of PBP&E [Pro Gear] [i.e. enter the portion of Total estimated weight that is Pro Gear]	<input type="text" value="10"/>	How will PBP&E affect my household goods weight? <input type="text"/>
*Estimated weight of Spouse's PBP&E [Pro Gear] [i.e. enter the portion of Total estimated weight that is Pro Gear]	<input type="text" value="0"/>	How will Spouse PBP&E affect my household goods weight? <input type="text"/>
*Spouse's Profession [Note: Your spouse is only entitled to ship a maximum of 500 lbs Pro Gear in support of their occupation or community support activities.]	<input type="text"/>	
*State of Legal Residence (Needed for Tax purposes)	Select from Below	
Is this a TDY/TAD and returning to origin duty station?	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	
*Is the member using a commercial company to move this shipment?	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	

Navigation buttons: << Previous, Next >>

The status bar at the bottom shows "Done" and "Internet | Protected Mode: On".

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PPM Basic

PPSO Outbound Supervisor: [neec, neec -- AGFM]

Customer: [doolittle, kik -- United States Air Force -- 717171717]

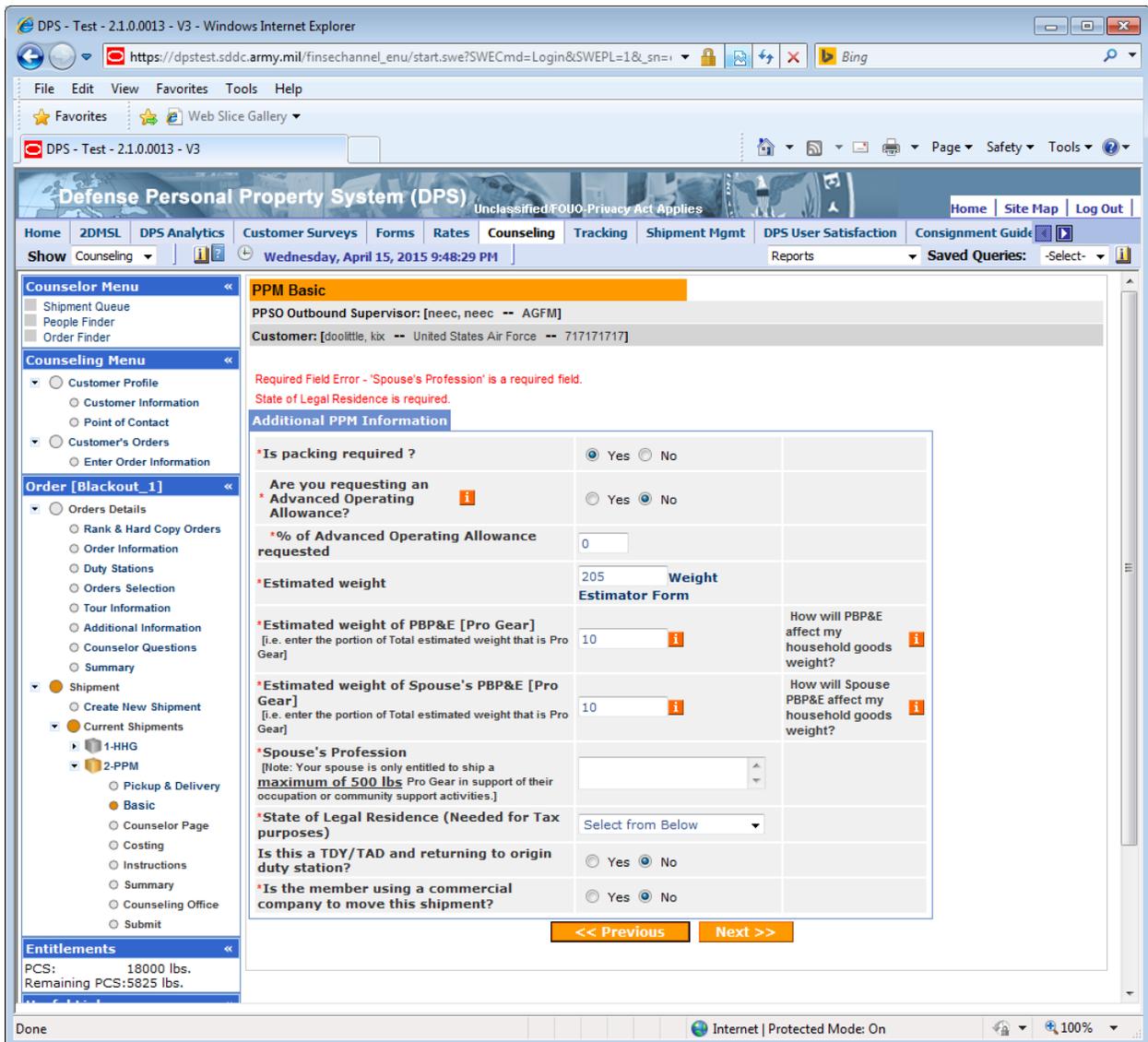
Additional PPM Information

*Is packing required ?	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	
Are you requesting an Advanced Operating Allowance?	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	
*% of Advanced Operating Allowance requested	<input type="text" value="0"/>	
*Estimated weight	<input type="text" value="205"/> Weight Estimator Form	
*Estimated weight of PBP&E [Pro Gear] <small>[i.e. enter the portion of Total estimated weight that is Pro Gear]</small>	<input type="text" value="10"/> i	How will PBP&E affect my household goods weight? i
*Estimated weight of Spouse's PBP&E [Pro Gear] <small>[i.e. enter the portion of Total estimated weight that is Pro Gear]</small>	<input type="text" value="10"/> i	How will Spouse PBP&E affect my household goods weight? i
*Spouse's Profession <small>[Note: Your spouse is only entitled to ship a maximum of 500 lbs Pro Gear in support of their occupation or community support activities.]</small>	<input type="text"/>	
*State of Legal Residence (Needed for Tax purposes)	Select from Below	
Is this a TDY/TAD and returning to origin duty station?	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	
*Is the member using a commercial company to move this shipment?	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	

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select Next without entering Spouse's profession



entered data without entering spouse's profession

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Remaining PCS:4030 lbs.

PPM Basic

PPSO Outbound Supervisor: [neec, neec -- AGFM]

Customer: [doolittle, kix -- United States Air Force -- 717171717]

Required Field Error - 'Spouse's Profession' is a required field.

Additional PPM Information

*Is packing required ?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	
Are you requesting an Advanced Operating Allowance?	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	
*% of Advanced Operating Allowance requested	0	
*Estimated weight	2,000 Weight Estimator Form	
*Estimated weight of PBP&E [Pro Gear] [i.e. enter the portion of Total estimated weight that is Pro Gear]	2,000	How will PBP&E affect my household goods weight?
*Estimated weight of Spouse's PBP&E [Pro Gear] [i.e. enter the portion of Total estimated weight that is Pro Gear]	501	How will Spouse PBP&E affect my household goods weight?
*Spouse's Profession [Note: Your spouse is only entitled to ship a maximum of 500 lbs Pro Gear in support of their occupation or community support activities.]		
*State of Legal Residence (Needed for Tax purposes)	ILLINOIS	
Is this a TDY/TAD and returning to origin duty station?	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	
*Is the member using a commercial company to move this shipment?	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	

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entered a value for spouse's profession to continue, Select Next

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Entitlements

PCS: 18000 lbs.
Remainino PCS:6510 lbs.

Counselor Shipment Page

PPSO Outbound Supervisor: [neec, neec -- AGFM]

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Counselor Questions for Shipment

Paying Officer Review	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
Is Government Transportation Available?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Is Advanced Operating Allowance authorized?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
* Is storage authorized ?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
* Number of Days SIT Authorized:	<input type="text"/>
<small>(Remarks Mandatory for any value other than 90 days)</small>	
* SIT Remarks	<input type="text"/>
2000 characters left	

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PCS: 18000 lbs.
Remaining PCS: 6510 lbs.

Useful Links

- Limitations
- Online Brochures
- FAQs
- Find a counseling office near you
- Weight Estimator

PPM Costing

PPSO Outbound Supervisor: [neec, neec -- AGFM]

Customer: [doolittle, kx -- United States Air Force -- 717171717]

To confirm the Government Constructive Cost, press Next.

Cost Computation

Highest BVS-TSP Information

Linehaul Discount:	0.6431
SIT Discount:	0.5017

Shipment Information

Move Date:	17-Apr-2015
Estimated Weight:	2,000
Miles:	1

GCC Factors:

Base Linehaul (discounted):	\$723.79
Origin Linehaul Factor:	1.02
Destination Linehaul Factor:	0.6
Linehaul Adjustment:	\$11.56
Shorthaul Charge:	\$109.48
Transportation Cost:	\$844.84
Origin Service Area Fee:	\$4.79
Origin Factor:	\$34.19
Destination Service Area Fee:	\$6.03
Destination Factor:	\$43.04
Full Pack/Unpack Charge (discounted):	\$451.72
Government Constructive Cost (GCC):	\$1,373.79

Estimated Gross Incentive(EGI): \$1,305.10

Advance Operating Allowance(AOA): \$0.00

Note: This is an estimate only based on the estimated weight and remaining JTR/JFTR weight allowance. All figures will change based on the actual weight of this shipment and any other shipments made under these travel orders.

Warning: Please note that any incentive payment received, as a result of your move, may be subject to Federal, State, and Local Income Tax. Accessorial not authorized for Incentive Based moves.

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