

IDIS RELEASE NOTES FOR VERSION 6.7.1

The following IDIS items, fixes to anomalies caused by the release of Version 6.7, are expected to be released to production as IDIS Version 6.7.1 the evening of Monday, May 20, 2002 and available for use on Tuesday morning, May 21, 2002.

1. COMMON PATH FOR CDBG AND HOPWA:

Problem: When a user presses F14 on the Setup Activity screen (CO4MA04) to enter or update a Large Narrative, IDIS fills the report year on the Large Narrative screen (CO4MA64) with a bogus value. When the user then presses F9 to save the Large Narrative and F7 to return to the C04MA04 screen, the year on that screen is filled with a bogus value.

Solution: Effective with Version 6.7.1, when a user presses F14 on the Setup Activity screen (CO4MA04) to enter or update a Large Narrative, IDIS fills the report year on the C04MA64 screen with the identical year displayed on the C04MA04 screen. When the user returns to the C04MA04 screen, it will display the same report year value that it did prior to the user viewing the Large Narrative screen.

Problem: The Setup Activity screen (CO4MA04) requires that the user enter a value greater than zero for Proposed Accomplishment Units. Zero should be an acceptable value.

Solution: Effective with Version 6.7.1, users may enter zero ("0") Proposed Accomplishment Units for a given report year if, in fact, no accomplishments are proposed for the activity for that year. The user must still enter the corresponding Proposed Accomplishment Type.

2. ACTIVITY FUNDING:

Problem: In order to fund an activity from CDBG or HOPWA, IDIS required that the grantee have an IDIS accomplishments screen (C04MA04) correctly filled in and saved to IDIS where the report year value of the screen matched the plan year of the activity.

Solution: Effective with Version 6.7.1, IDIS is merely checking that the activity's most recent C04MA04 screen be correctly completed in order to fund the activity from CDBG or HOPWA. The most recent screen is the one that the user initially sees when he/she goes to the C04MA04 screen. For most activities, that screen must have either a valid Proposed Accomplishment Type/ valid Proposed Accomplishment Units; or answer the flag question with a "Y" that the activity's accomplishments are reported under another activity.