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| To: | ALL MEMBERS AND LIMITED MEMBERS |
| From: | WEALTH MANAGEMENT SERVICES – MUTUAL FUNDS |
| Attention: | MANAGER MUTUAL FUNDS OPERATIONS, MANAGER DATA PROCESSING, MANAGER CASHIERS, MANAGER P&S DEPARTMENT |
| Subject: | Mutual Funds – Decommissioning of the MFPS II: Participant Database |

Effective **Monday, May 1**st, **2023**, National Securities Clearing Corporation (NSCC) will **decommission** the Mutual Fund Profile Service II **(MFPS II) Participant Database** as indicated below. NSCC continually reviews services to identify opportunities to retire services not actively utilized by clients as these services incur ongoing maintenance costs and utilization of system resources. There are also risks and costs associated with implementation of enhancements that impact these services.

1) The following Autoroutes will be disabled:

Production - effective May 1, 2023

| Autoroute # | Name |
|-------------|--------------------|
| 02110821 | MFP II Global Firm |
| 02110822 | MFP II Global Fund |

PSE - effective April 24, 2023

| Autoroute # | Name |
|-------------|--------------------|
| 02980821 | MFP II Global Firm |
| 02980822 | MFP II Global Fund |

2) The following Autoroutes will be renamed:

Production - effective May 1, 2023

| Autoroute # | From Name | To Name |
|-------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| 02110823 | MFP II Specific Participant | MFP II Specific Rejects |

PSE – effective April 24, 2023

| Autoroute # | From Name | To Name |
|-------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| 02980823 | MFP II Specific Participant | MFP II Specific Rejects |

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Currently these Autoroutes contain MFPS II Participant Database (080) User File Request output, in addition to all MFPS II rejects for records submitted where the 'Profile Type' field contains an invalid or blank value. With the decommissioning of the Participant Database, this Autoroute will only contain the aforementioned rejects and will be renamed to more accurately reflect the output contained therein.

3) The following Participant Database (Profile Type: 04 = Participant) Records will be decommissioned:

| Record Number | Name |
|---------------|--|
| 010 | Participant Profile Contact |
| 011 | Participant Processing Capabilities |
| 012 | Participant Share Class Definition |
| 013 | Fund/SERV Participant Master File |
| 014 | MFPS-Fund/SERV Participant Retirement (documentation only – obsolete record) |
| 015 | Participant Share Class Exchange |
| 016 | Participant Profile Branch |
| 017 | Participant Profile Representative |
| 018 | Participant Profile Fund List |
| 028 | MFPS-Fund/SERV Security Retirement (documentation only – obsolete record) |
| 090 | Security Issue Global Removal (documentation only – obsolete record) |

4) The following MFPS II Records will be updated:

a) Record 080 (User File Request) - 'Requested Profile Type' Field

| Record Number | Name |
|---------------|-------------------|
| 080 | User File Request |

Currently a 080 User File Request can be submitted for either the MFPS II Security (Profile Type: 06), Distribution (Profile Type: 03), or Participant (Profile Type: 04) databases by populating the applicable value in the 'Requested Profile Type' field. With the Participant Database being decommissioned, the 'Requested Profile Type' field will be updated as follows:

- > Profile Type value '04 = Participant' will be removed as a valid option
- Profile Type value 'FP = Fund/SERV Participant' will be removed as it generates the 013 record which is being decommissioned

In addition to the above modifications, the following documentation updates will be made to reflect the options more accurately in the 'Requested Profile Type' field:

- Profile Type value '06 = New Security Issue (redesign)' will be renamed to '06 = Security Issue'
- Profile Type value '05 = Security Issue' will be removed as it was a previously decommissioned option

The updated values for the 'Requested Profile Type' field will be as follows:

| Requested Profile Type | 00 = All types 03 = Distribution Declaration 06 = Security Issue FS = FUND/SERV Security Issue |
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Notes:

- When a value of '00 = All types' is populated in the 'Requested Profile Type' field, all MFPS II database records are included in the output. Participant Database Profile Type: 04 will no longer be included in the output.
- The 080 User File Request Record currently exists in both the global MFPS II Part 6 (Administrative) records and the MFPS II Security Database records. To eliminate duplication and maintenance of these records in both locations, the 080 User File Request Record will be removed from the Security Database records and will only reside in the global MFPS II Part 6 (Administrative) record.
- b) Record 120 (Multiple Reject Codes) 'Profile Type' Field

| Record Number | Name |
|---------------|-----------------------|
| 120 | Multiple Reject Codes |

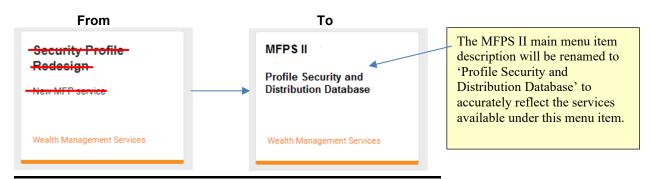
The 'Profile Type' field in the 120 Record will be updated as follows:

- > Profile Type value '04 = Participant' will be removed
- Profile Type value '05 = Security Issue' will be removed as it was a previously decommissioned option
- > Profile Type value '06 = Security Issue' will be added to align with current code

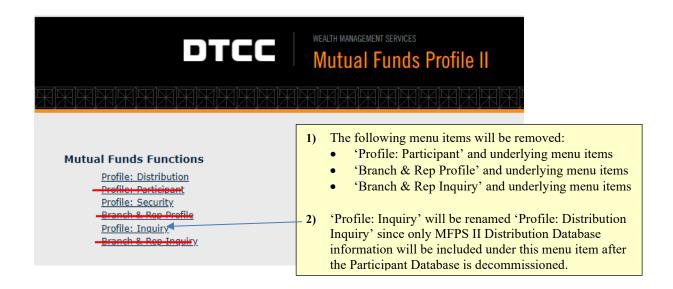
The updated values for the 'Profile Type' field will be as follows:

| Profile Type | 03 = Distribution Declaration |
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| | 06 = Security Issue |

- 5) The following MyDTCC web menu components under the MFPS II menu item will be modified as indicated below:
 - a) MFPS II Main menu



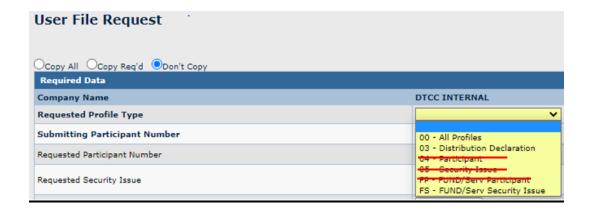
b) Sub-menu items under the 'MFPS II Profile Security and Distribution Database' main menu item



c) 'Profile: Distribution' menu item - 'User File Request' sub-menu

The 'Requested Profile Type' field under the 'User File Request' menu item will be updated as follows:

- Profile Type '05 = Security Issue' will be removed as it was a previously decommissioned option
- > Profile Type '04 = Participant' will be removed as a valid option
- Profile Type 'FP = Fund/SERV Participant' will be removed as it generates the 013 record which is being decommissioned



Important Notes:

- DTCC will reject any files containing the MFPS II Participant Database records (Profile Type: 04) submitted as of the decommission dates mentioned above.
- The decommissioning of the Participant Database has no impact on the MFPS II Security or Distribution databases.

Documentation:

Applicable documentation and transmission schedules will be updated to remove reference to the aforementioned services.

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