

| Release Schedule: 2017  |                      |
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| Release Activities & Milestones   | January 2017         |
|   | Price Change Release |
| <b>USPS Announcement of Major Business Changes &amp; Requirements</b>   |                      |
| Industry Notification of Structural Changes (Release Overview)  | Aug 12 2016          |
| <b>IDEAlliance Technical Specifications</b>   |                      |
| Change Request Filing Deadline  | July 22 2016         |
| Change Request Filing Deadline for Updates Based on Design (IT)   | Aug 12 2016          |
| CR Filing Deadline for Federal Reg / Price Changes  | Aug 12 2016          |
| Publish Mail.dat Initial / Final Technical Specifications   | Sept 1 2016          |
| Publish Mail.XML Initial / Final Technical Specifications   | Sept 12 2016         |
| Publish Mail.dat Errata Technical Specifications  | Sept 28 2016         |
| <b>Industry Communications</b>  |                      |
| Publish Preliminary Postage Statements  | Aug 12 2016          |
| PRC Filings Market Dominant   | Oct 12 2016          |
| FRN on Public View for Domestic and International MD  | Oct 14 2016          |
| Publish Proposed FRN for Domestic and International MD  | Oct 17 2016          |
| Publish Draft of Price Files and Draft of Price Embedded Postage Statements MD  | Oct 21 2016          |
| Publish FRN for Competitive   | Oct 26 2016          |
| Publish Draft of Price Files and Draft of Price Embedded Postage Statements Competitive   | Oct 28 2016          |
| Publish Final FRN for Domestic and International MD*  | Nov 23 2016          |
| Publish Price Files (subject to Regulatory Review)*   | Nov 25 2016          |
| Publish Price Embedded Postage Statements (subject to Regulatory Review)*   | Dec 9 2016           |
| <b>USPS Release Documents (Release Notes, Guides and Technical Specifications)</b>  |                      |
| Publish initial draft Publication 205: eVS  | Aug 12 2016          |
| Publish initial draft Publication 199: Intelligent Mail Package Barcode   | Aug 12 2016          |
| Publish Initial Version of the Release Notes and Tech Specs   | Sept 23 2016         |
| Publish Error Codes and Descriptions to Businesses Rules  | Sept 23 2016         |
| Publish Second Version of the Release Notes, Guides and Tech Specs  | Oct 21 2016          |
| Publish Final Version of Release Notes, Guides and Tech Specs   | Feb 6 2017           |
| <b>Acceptance Testing</b>   |                      |
| Start Customer Acceptance Testing (CAT) / Pre-Prod Environment Deployment   | Oct 19 2016          |
| Finish CAT/Pre-Prod Acceptance Testing  | Dec 30 2016          |
| <b>USPS Release Deployment</b>  |                      |
| Deployment  | Jan 8 2017           |
| TEM Software Deployment   | Jan 9 2017           |
| Price Change Effective  | Jan 22 2017          |
| <b>Schedule for Structural System Changes</b>   |                      |
| * This document is prepared and based on the knowledge available at the time of its publication and any direction / date found herein is subject to change prior to the release |                      |
| The Release Numbers for the January 2017 release are:   |                      |
| *45.0.0.0 for PostalOne!®   |                      |
| *24.0.0.0 for SASP  |                      |
| *35.0.0.0 for FAST  |                      |
| *18.0.0.0 for Program Registration  |                      |