

## MTAC Group Status Request

### Group Update: Workgroup # 177 - Improvements in Address Quality Methodologies and ACS Best Practices

Start 12/01/2015      Targeted end date 8/31/2016

Industry Leadership = Dan O'Brien and Lisa Bowes

USPS Leadership = Kai Fisher and Robert Nashwick

USPS Sponsors = Robert Cintron/Jim Wilson

MTAC Leadership Sponsors = Erv Drewek and Angelo A.

#### Goals:

- Review the recommendations of prior address quality MTAC Workgroups such as 88, 97, 104, and 116
- Review industry white papers on address and data quality methodologies
- Present an updated MTAC Report that captures the latest in Address Quality Methodologies
- Present an updated ACS Best Practices guide to supplement current ACS Technical Guides

#### Participation and Discussion Format

36 participants on roster representing mail owners, mail service providers, software service providers. Group meets weekly via telecom.

#### High Level Update

WG177 was approved to extend the end date to August 31, 2016, to provide additional time to review the final drafts. The review of the final draft of the Address Quality Methodologies document has been completed and the final document is being prepared for publication. We are currently reviewing the draft of the updated AMEE ACS White Paper.

The WG's request for an extension was approved.

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