

# ACH Direct User Guide



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Your Payments Advisor has requested that one or more of the following ACH Direct modules be activated for you. Please review this introduction to ACH Direct and refer to the individual module guides for information on the service(s) you will be using. If you are interested in additional modules, please reach out to your Payment Advisor directly.





# **1. Introduction to ACH Direct**

#### **1.1 Overview of ACH Direct**

ACH Direct is comprised of five main functional modules allowing real-time interaction with KeyBank's ACH system. The modules include:

- <u>Corporate Administrator</u> The Corporate Administrator has the ability to view and manage users' notifications/alerts on ACH Direct for their organization. This role offers report access to an audit log outlining what users performed what action in ACH Direct. The Corporate Administrator cannot add new users or remove users from this portal, only view. Requests for users to be added or removed from ACH Direct must be requested through your Payment Advisor.
- Online Control Totals ACH Originators may manage file control totals online, allowing you the capability to add, view, modify or delete totals for originated files. Control Totals on ACH Direct also display the status of the file indicated by 'matched' or 'unmatched' to the ACH File transmitted. In addition, email notifications provide ACH Originators updates during file arrival and collection.
- 3. <u>ACH Debit/Credit block through Electronic Payment Authorization (EPA)</u> Protect your account against electronic debit fraud by using our EPA service. EPA allows you to exercise more control over which entries are allowed to post to your accounts by limiting the transactions to only those that have been authorized. Choose to block all debit and/or credit activity or establish and maintain authorization records to allow certain trading partners to debit and/or credit your account. Dualverification is available to ensure both parties are in full agreement with the disposition of an item before it can be approved and released from the dual verification queue.
- <u>File/Transaction Inquiry</u> Through the Warehouse feature, you may view the detail of your ACH Origination files or query details of your received ACH transactions. File/Transaction Inquiry provides up to 60 days of historical ACH items received on a specified account or originated from a specified account.
- 5. <u>File/Transaction Inquiry with Deletes and Reversal</u> Through the warehouse feature, any item originated by your organization can be requested to be reversed or deleted. Delete requests can only be submitted if the original item has <u>not</u> been released into the network. Reversals are permitted within 5 banking days of the original effective date.



## ACH Direct Email Notifications

One of the best features of ACH Direct is the ability to enable notifications related to Control Totals, EPA/ACH Debit/Credit Block, file management and deletes/reversal requests. You may elect to receive event based email notifications; each notification type is assigned a number making it easy for you to identify the type of notification and any action required.

All available email notifications will be enabled at time of set-up as a default.

# Timing of Notifications and System Availability

#### **ACH Direct Availability Schedule**

ACH Direct is available 24 hours a day / 7 days a week and only temporarily unavailable during system maintenance.

|  | ACH Direct Notification  | Timing   |
|--|--|--|
|  | Notification Timing  | Deadlines  |
| Control Totals                         | Notifications are sent daily upon arrival and collection of file.  | Control Totals must be entered<br>immediately before file<br>transmission to avoid processing<br>delays.   |
| File Collection                        | Notifications are sent upon<br>originated file arrival and/or<br>collection.   | Not applicable, informational emails only.   |
| Electronic<br>Payment<br>Authorization | Notifications are sent daily when<br>an event occurs. Key collects and<br>distributes ACH transactions<br>throughout the day.                              | Decisioning of debit and/or credit<br>items must be completed before<br><b>7:00 p.m. ET</b> on the indicated<br>return date.   |
| Deletes/Reversal                       | Notifications are sent upon<br>successful completion of request.<br>If unsuccessful, notification will<br>indicate failure within 5 minutes of<br>request. | Reversals are only available within<br>5 banking days from the effective<br>date of the original transaction.<br>Delete requests must be complete<br>prior to file distributing to be<br>successful. |



## 1.2 Getting Started on ACH Direct

Your KeyNavigator<sup>®</sup> sign-on provides your access to ACH Direct from the Payables tab as outlined below. Select Payables, then click on ACH Direct.

| KeyNavi   | gator"   KeyBank <             | <del>.</del> . | Message Ce            | nter 🔞 Supp   | ort 🔅 Adminis   | tration 🚺 Logout     |
|---|--------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| Dashboard   | Reporting & Research           | Payables       | Receivables           | File Services | Card Services   | Specialized Services |
| Payables  |                                |                | Account Reconcilement | >             | Loan Managem    | ent >                |
| Efficient and se<br>initiating domes<br>maximize work | tic or international payments, | 5 1            | ACH Direct            | >             | Wire Transfer F | Request >            |
| payments to re  | duce fraud.                    |                | Foreign Drafts        | >             | Wires           | >                    |
|   |                                |                | Fraud Services        | >             |                 |                      |

#### Implementation Expectations

| Existing KeyN  | lavigator Clients   | New C   | lients  |
|--|---|---|---|
| What you should<br>expect  | What you should do  | What you should<br>expect   | What you should do  |
| Your KeyNavigator<br>access will provide your<br>ACH Direct access<br>through Single Sign-On<br>for the module(s) your<br>organization has<br>requested for you as an<br>individual user once<br>services are enabled. | In the event you have<br>signed up for EPA/ACH<br>debit/credit block via<br>ACH Direct, you may<br>receive emails related to<br>items requiring action.<br>This is normal and to be<br>expected.<br>Please refer to online<br>help or this user guide to<br>decision items timely if<br>action is required. If no<br>action is taken with EPA<br>reject notifications, the<br>item will automatically be<br>returned. | You will receive your<br>KeyNavigator log-in<br>information.<br>ACH Operations will<br>contact your company<br>to set up training and<br>provide a personal<br>walk-through of the<br>ACH Direct system if<br>enrolled in <i>EPA/ACH</i><br><i>Debit and/or Credit</i><br><i>Block.</i><br>If enrolled in other<br>modules, services will<br>be enabled and ready<br>for use. | Respond to email<br>promptly and<br>schedule date for<br>training on EPA or<br>select date for EPA to<br>be enabled.<br>**No reply to email<br>will delay debit block<br>protection from bein<br>enabled.<br>Refer to online help or<br>this user guide to<br>assist with ACH Direct<br>Navigation.<br>Request personalized<br>training through your<br>Payment Advisor if<br>needed. |





#### Signing on to ACH Direct via KeyNavigator for the First Time

Once you have received your KeyNavigator log-in information and services have been enabled, it is recommended you complete the following steps the first time you log into ACH Direct via KeyNavigator.



**Note**: For new users to EPA/ACH Debit/Credit Protection, services will not be turned on until you respond to ACH Operations with a start date. Once ACH Direct is enabled, you will automatically be able to enter ACH Direct from the payables tab.

#### **Entering ACH Direct**

- 1. From the Corporate tab of <u>www.key.com</u>, log into KeyNavigator.
- Choose the Payables section of KeyNavigator and select ACH Direct. On the next screen select Enter ACH Direct.

| KeyNavi                           | gator"   KeyBank <  | <del>7</del> . | Message Ce            | nter 💩 Supp   | ort 🔅 Administratio  | n 🚺 Logout         |
|-----------------------------------|---|----------------|-----------------------|---------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| Dashboard                         | Reporting & Research                                      | Payables       | Receivables           | File Services | Card Services Sp     | ecialized Services |
| Pavables                          |   |                | Account Reconcilement | >             | Loan Management      | >                  |
| Efficient and se                  | eura toole to etreamline                                  |                | ACH                   | >             | Transaction Services | >                  |
| initiating domes<br>maximize work | tic or international payments,<br>ing capital, and manage |                | ACH Direct            | >             | Wire Transfer Reque  | st >               |
| payments to re                    | duce fraud.   |                | Foreign Drafts        | >             | Wires                | >                  |
|                                   |   |                | Fraud Services        | >             |                      |                    |
|                                   |   | 2              |                       |               |                      |                    |

**3.** The ACH Direct main menu will display. From the **ACH Direct** main menu please be aware of the Alerts and Information box which will provide you with important information on upcoming events, scheduled outages, holidays, and ACH processing details. Choose your desired action from the available menu.

| Corporate Administration | U Alerts   | Last login at January 12, 2015 9:27:22 AM E   |
|--------------------------|--|---|
| Control Totals           | <b>U</b> INFORMATION   |   |
| EPA                      | Welcome to the new look of Key's ACH Direct Module!<br>You will find important messages in this space to alert you to<br>and etc.                    | such upcoming events as scheduled outages, holidays, ACH rules changes  |
| File/Transaction Inquiry |  |   |
| Reports                  | <ul> <li>INFORMATION<br/>KeyBank ACH Operations will be closed from 10:00 pm EDT<br/>a Safe and Happy Holiday.</li> </ul>                            | on Dec. 24th thru 08:00 am EDT Dec 28th in observance of Christmas. Ha  |
|                          | CRITICAL<br>Beware of new Phishing Scheme where sender is 'Key Bank<br>reported to your email security staff without clicking on any li<br>concerns. | Information Security Department". This is not from KeyBank and should be<br>riks. Conact KeyBank socococc at 1-800-538-1234 with any questions or |
|                          |  |   |
|                          |  |   |





#### **Tips for ACH Direct**



ACH Direct is optimized for Internet Explorer (IE) 11. IE10 and previous versions will be blocked from use. Additionally, Firefox 35 and Chrome 40 are allowed. Depending on browser type and version, scrolling on Warehouse Detail Inquiry screens is normal.



Do not use the BACK button on your browser; instead navigate using the links contained within the ACH Direct pages.



To reduce the potential for missing a required action, users should log into ACH Direct on a daily basis to ensure all needed actions are performed.

# 2.0 Overview of ACH Direct Corporate Administration

An ACH Direct Corporate Administrator role can be designated to facilitate limited self service capabilities which previously required you to contact Key.

This capability allows you, as the Corporate Administrator, to make immediate profile changes to your users to ensure up-to-date access is maintained in ACH Direct for the security of your organization.

The Corporate Administrator role also provides access to a user audit log. The audit log will provide the administrator details by user and all activity they performed.

You can have more than one administrator role assigned. Key recommends that you have at least two Corporate Administrators assigned to ensure uninterrupted coverage when changes are needed. Additionally, the Corporate Administrator role can be established with dual control, whereby the changes to user profiles require a second administrator approval.

Key will continue to provide this service as needed and changes to users can be requested through your Payments Advisor.



## 2.1 Viewing and Modifying All Corporate Users

1. From the ACH Direct Main Menu, click **Corporate Administration** followed by **Corporate User**.



- 2. This will provide you a listing of all users within your organization. Users not listed, or users who are listed and need to be removed, will require your company contact to make the official request through your Payments Advisor.
- 3. Once users are displayed, locate the user to be modified. This can easily be done by using the **magnifying search function** located on the bottom of the user listings.

|                          |     | orate Setup - Cor | porate User ACHD | Test      |                   |         |            |            |    |
|--------------------------|-----|-------------------|------------------|-----------|-------------------|---------|------------|------------|----|
| o Corporate User         | @ N | Aodify            |                  |           |                   |         |            |            |    |
| o Profile Approvals      |     | User ID           | Alternate ID     | Last Name | Organization Name | Status  | Updated By | Updated On | E  |
| Control Totals           | 0   | SMITHDU1          |                  | Smith     | ACHD Test         | Active" | SMITHJT1   | 08/05/2015 | 30 |
| EPA                      | 0   | SMITHEL1          |                  | Smith     | ACHD Test         | Active" | mokenc3    | 07/03/2015 | 30 |
| File/Transaction Inquiry | 0   | SMITHJT1          |                  | Smith     | ACHD Test         | Active  | mokenc3    | 07/03/2015 | 30 |
|                          | 0   | SMITHMT1          |                  | Smith     | ACHD Test         | Active" | mokenc3    | 07/03/2015 | 30 |
| Reports                  | 0   | SMITHOS1          |                  | Smith     | ACHD Test         | Active" | mokenc3    | 07/03/2015 | 30 |
|                          | 0   | SMITHSO1          |                  | Smith     | ACHD Test         | Active" | SMITHMT1   | 07/07/2015 | 30 |
|                          | 0   | SMITHTE1          |                  | Smith     | ACHD Test         | Active" | mokenc3    | 07/10/2015 | ac |
|                          | 0   | SMITHZO1          |                  | Smith     | ACHD Test         | Active" | mokenc3    | 07/03/2015 | a  |

4. To view a user, select the radio button to the left and hit **Modify** on the top toolbar.

| Corp | oorate Setup - Co | orporate User ACH | ID Test   |
|------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| ۱ 🖉  | Nodify            |                   |           |
|      | User ID           | Alternate ID      | Last Name |
| ۲    | SMITHDU1          |                   | Smith     |
| 0    | SMITHEL1          |                   | Smith     |
| 0    | SMITHJT1          |                   | Smith     |



5. This will open the **User Information** box, displaying data related to that particular user. Some data cannot be edited and will appear ghosted in that field. Any changes to these fields will need to be arranged through your Payments Advisor. Other fields can be edited. Changes will be made immediately.

| Jser Information         |   |
|--------------------------|---|
| Web Access               |   |
| Organization Name *      |   |
| ACHD Test                |   |
| First Name               |   |
| Duke                     |   |
| Middle Initial           |   |
| Last Name *              |   |
| Smith                    |   |
| User ID *                |   |
| SMITHDU1                 |   |
| Alternate ID             |   |
|                          |   |
| Title                    |   |
|                          |   |
| User Deserved            |   |
| User Password            |   |
| Confirm Password         |   |
| achedi@keybank.com       |   |
|                          |   |
| Address                  |   |
|                          |   |
| City                     | 1 |
|                          |   |
| State                    |   |
|                          |   |
| Zip Code                 |   |
|                          |   |
| Contact Phone Number     |   |
|                          |   |
| 5184362550               |   |
| 5184362550<br>Fax Number |   |
| 5184362550<br>Fax Number |   |

6. Once you have modified the fields, select **Save** to ensure user's information is updated.

| Save | () Reset | <b>≫</b> Cancel |
|------|----------|-----------------|
|      |          |                 |





## 2.2 Assigning Groups

As a Corporate Administrator, you can **View** what groups a user is assigned to and request roles to be added or removed as needed through your Payments Advisor.

On the User Profile, click on **Assign Groups**. This will display the access currently in place for the selected user.

| Group assigned to user |                   |                   |  |  |  |
|------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--|--|--|
|                        | Group Name        | Group Type        |  |  |  |
|                        | EPA               | Non-Administrator |  |  |  |
|                        | Warehouse Payroll | Non-Administrator |  |  |  |
|                        | Control Totals    | Non-Administrator |  |  |  |

## 2.3 Notifications

ACH Direct offers a variety of email notifications to users. As a Corporate Administrator, you can add or remove email notifications per user.

1. On the User Profile, click the Notifications and select Add or Remove.



2. This will display a selection of notifications that can be added or removed as appropriate for that user. Once your selection has been made, select **Save** to update notifications for the selected user.







#### 2.4 Reports

As a Corporate Administrator, ACH Direct brings you the ability to view audit activity for all users assigned to your organization.

1. In the top, left section of the home page in ACH Direct, select the **Reports** dropdown and click on **Audit Activity**.



- 2. The screen will appear for you to select a specific user or all users. Enter the date or range of dates you are interested in viewing.
- 3. Select the report type, sort fields and sort order. Once all selections have been made, select **View Report**.

| Organization: | ACHDTEST                 | ~      | Users:        | All |           | ~     |
|---------------|--------------------------|--------|---------------|-----|-----------|-------|
| From Date:    | 12/16/2017               |        | To Date:      | 01/ | 19/2018   | Comm. |
| Report Type:  | HTML                     | ~      | Activity Type | 8:* | ALL       | Y     |
| Sort Fields:  | Corpid<br>Date<br>Userid | *<br>* | Sort Order:   |     | Ascending | >     |



4. This will display an audit report of the user's activity for the date range selected.

| Corporate | Audit Kepon |            |                             |                      | July 27, 201: |  |
|-----------|-------------|------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|---------------|--|
| Corporate | ACHD Test   |            | User ID: SMITHJT1           |                      |               |  |
| Command   | Date        | Time       | Segment                     | Record Data          |               |  |
| Login     | 06/30/2015  | 11:21:52   | User Login                  | Valid Request        |               |  |
| Browse    | 06/30/2015  | 11:24:21   | Warehouse Originator Search |                      |               |  |
| Browse    | 06/30/2015  | 11:24:30   | EPA                         |                      |               |  |
| Login     | 06/30/2015  | 11:24:36   | User Logout                 | User successfully to | logged out    |  |
| Totals    | Browse: 2   | Inquiry: 0 | Added: 0                    | Changed: 0           | Deleted: 0    |  |
| Corporate | ACHD Test   |            | User ID: SMITHMT1           |                      |               |  |
| Command   | Date        | Time       | Segment                     | Record Data          |               |  |
| Login     | 06/30/2015  | 11:24:56   | User Login                  | Valid Request        |               |  |
| Browse    | 06/30/2015  | 11:25:03   | EPA                         |                      |               |  |
| Login     | 06/30/2015  | 11:25:42   | User Logout                 | User successfully lo | ogged out     |  |
|           |             |            |                             |                      |               |  |



# 3. ACH Direct Control Totals

#### **3.1 File Collection Alerts**

For ACH Originators, you can elect to receive real time email alerts regarding your ACH Origination files. Events such as Key's receipt and processing of an ACH Origination file will trigger emails to those designated.

NOTE: You can also inquire on the status of your file through the File/Transaction Inquiry module within ACH Direct. Please see the document "ACH Direct – Transaction and File Inquiry" for instructions on how to view this information. If you are unsure of whether you have access to the File/Transaction Inquiry module, please contact your Payments Advisor.

#### 3.2 Control Totals

If you are an ACH Originator and send files via Direct Transmission or KeyNavigator File Transfer, you may use ACH Direct to enter your control totals online.

\*\*Important Note for Originators\*\*

To ensure smooth processing, log into ACH Direct and input file totals for each ACH Origination file being sent, and then send the corresponding file(s) to Key via Direct Transmission or KeyNavigator File Transfer.

#### 3.3 Entering Control Totals

1. From the ACH Direct **Main Menu**, click **Control Totals** under the Control Totals section.





2. From the Control Totals menu, click **Add**.

| - Control Totals           | Control Totals                            |  |  |  |  |  |
|----------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| Control Totals             | 🔘 Add 🤤 Delete 🕜 Modify 🚊 Generate Report |  |  |  |  |  |
| → EPA                      | Reference Number Organization Name        |  |  |  |  |  |
| ▶ File/Transaction Inquiry |   |  |  |  |  |  |

3. Choose the appropriate Application Name from the drop down list.

| ✓ Control Totals         | Add Control Total         |   |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|---|
| Control Totals           | Application Name*         |   |
| → EPA                    | Please Select Application | ~ |
| File/Transaction Inquiry |                           |   |
|                          | Save () Reset X Cancel    |   |
|                          |                           |   |

4. You are required to complete the following fields. Once all fields are completed click the **Save** button.

| Add Contro          | l Total          |
|---------------------|------------------|
| Application N       | lame*            |
| ACHDTest            | ▼                |
| Credit Amour        | nt*              |
| 0.00                |                  |
| Debit Amoun<br>0.00 | t*               |
| Entry/Addend        | da Count*        |
|                     |                  |
|                     |                  |
| Save                | 😗 Reset 💥 Cancel |
|                     |                  |



- a. <u>Credit Amount</u> Credit amount of file being submitted (include decimal point).
  - i. Enter amounts using a decimal point. For example, if \$2,500.00 is the desired amount, enter "2500.00" in the field.
- b. *Debit Amount* Debit amount of file being submitted (including decimal point).
  - i. Enter amounts using a decimal point. For example, if \$2,500.00 is the desired amount, enter "2500.00" in the field.
- c. <u>Entry/Addenda Count</u> Number of detail records or number of detail and addenda records on the file being submitted.

**<u>NOTE</u>**: The Entry/Addenda Count can be located within your NACHA formatted file that you send to Key. It is located in positions 14-21 of the File Control (9) Record in your ACH file.

MOTE: It is recommended that you add Control Totals <u>prior</u> to sending your ACH Origination file.

5. After the **Control Total Add** request is processed, the **Control Total Add Confirmation** will confirm the successful add and provide a Control Total Reference Number.

| Control Totals     Control Totals | ✔ 300     | ✓ 3002 - Control Total for Ref. No X0199E00 added successfully. |          |                   |                  |           |                     |  |  |  |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|---|----------|-------------------|------------------|-----------|---------------------|--|--|--|
| > EPA                             | Control T | Control Totals  |          |                   |                  |           |                     |  |  |  |
| File/Transaction Inquiry          | 🔾 Add     | Oelete  | Ø Modify | 🚔 Generate Report |                  |           |                     |  |  |  |
|                                   |           | Reference Number  |          | Organization Name | Application Name | Status    | Date Added          |  |  |  |
|                                   | 0         | X0199E00  |          | ACHD Test         | TSTPOINT         | Unmatched | 01/19/2018 15:14:36 |  |  |  |

## 3.4 Control Total Modification

1. From the ACH Direct Main Menu, click Control Totals.



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2. In order to modify an ACH Direct control total, select the **radio button** next to the total which requires changing and then click **Modify**.

|                          | Control | lotals      |          | _                 |                  |           |                     |
|--------------------------|---------|-------------|----------|-------------------|------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| Control Totals           | 🔘 Add   | Delete      | 🖉 Modify | Generate Report   |                  |           |                     |
| → EPA                    |         | Reference N | umber    | Organization Name | Application Name | Status    | Date Added          |
| File/Transaction Inquiry | ۲       | X0199E00    |          | DYNAMIC3          | DYNAMIC-         | Unmatched | 01/19/2018 15:14:36 |

NOTE: The Status column displays the status of your ACH file submitted to Key. When the status of the file reads Normal, your ACH origination file has been processed successfully. If the status In Process is displayed, your file has been processed, but with an exception status.

3. Make required changes to the Control Total and then click **Save**.

| ✓ Control Totals         | Modify Control Total   |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------|------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Control Totals           | Application Name       |  |  |  |  |  |
| ► EPA                    | DYNAMIC-               |  |  |  |  |  |
| File/Transaction Inquiry | Credit Amount*         |  |  |  |  |  |
|                          | 0.03                   |  |  |  |  |  |
|                          | Debit Amount*          |  |  |  |  |  |
|                          | 0.00                   |  |  |  |  |  |
|                          | Entry/Addenda Count*   |  |  |  |  |  |
|                          | 0000001                |  |  |  |  |  |
|                          | Save (J Reset X Cancel |  |  |  |  |  |

4. Once completed, confirmation of the modification will be provided.

| Control Totals     Control Totals | ✓ 300          | 3003 - Control Total for Ref. No X0199E00 modified successfully. |        |                   |                  |           |                     |  |  |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|--|--------|-------------------|------------------|-----------|---------------------|--|--|
| → EPA                             | Control Totals |  |        |                   |                  |           |                     |  |  |
| File/Transaction Inquiry          | 🔘 Add          | Delete   | Modify | 🚔 Generate Report |                  |           |                     |  |  |
|                                   |                | Reference  | lumber | Organization Name | Application Name | Status    | Date Added          |  |  |
|                                   | 0              | X0199E00   |        | DYNAMIC3          | DYNAMIC-         | Unmatched | 01/19/2018 15:14:36 |  |  |



# 3.5 Control Total Deletion

1. From the ACH Direct **Main Menu**, click **Control Totals** under the Control Totals section.

| • | Corporate Administration |
|---|--------------------------|
| • | Control Totals           |
|   | Control Totals           |
| • | EPA                      |
| Þ | File/Transaction Inquiry |
|   | Reports                  |

In order to delete an ACH Direct Control Total, click the **radio button** next to the total which requires deleting. Click **Delete**.

| Corporate Administration | Control | Control Totals        |                       |                  |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------|---------|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
|                          | 🔘 Add   | \ominus Delete 🔗 Modi | ify 🔒 Generate Report |                  |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Control Totals           | _       | Reference Number      | Organization Name     | Application Name | Status    |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| → EPA                    | ۲       | X0199E00              | DYNAMIC3              | DYNAMIC-         | Unmatched |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| File/Transaction Inquiry | 0       | X0199E01              | DYNAMIC3              | DYNAMIC-         | Unmatched |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ▶ Reports                |         |                       |                       |                  |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                          |         |                       |                       |                  |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |

#### 3. Click **OK** to confirm the deletion.

| Corporate Administration   | Control | Control Totals |          |                       |                      |       |       |  |
|----------------------------|---------|----------------|----------|-----------------------|----------------------|-------|-------|--|
| ✓ Control Totals           | 🕥 Add   | Delete         | Modify   | Generate Report       |                      |       |       |  |
| Control Totals             |         | Reference      | lumber   | Organization Name     | Application Name     | Statu | JS    |  |
| ▶ EPA                      | ۲       | X0199E00       |          | DYNAMIC3              | DYNAMIC-             | Unm   | atche |  |
| ► File/Transaction Inquiry | 0       | X0199E01       | Alert    |                       |                      |       |       |  |
| ► Reports                  |         |                | 2        | Do you want to delete | the selected record? | ,     |       |  |
|                            |         | l              | <u> </u> | ОКС                   | ancel                |       |       |  |



4. Once completed, confirmation of the deletion will be provided.

| Corporate Administration | ✓ 300   | ✓ 3004 - Control Total for Ref. No X0199E00 has been deleted. |          |                   |                  |           |                     |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------|---------|---|----------|-------------------|------------------|-----------|---------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| - Control Totals         |         |   |          |                   |                  |           |                     |  |  |  |  |  |
| Control Totals           | Control | Control Totals  |          |                   |                  |           |                     |  |  |  |  |  |
| ▶ EPA                    | 🔾 Add   | Oelete  | Ø Modify | Generate Report   |                  |           |                     |  |  |  |  |  |
| File/Transaction Inquiry |         | Reference N   | lumber   | Organization Name | Application Name | Status    | Date Added          |  |  |  |  |  |
| ▶ Reports                | 0       | X0199E01  |          | DYNAMIC3          | DYNAMIC-         | Unmatched | 01/19/2018 15:32:10 |  |  |  |  |  |
|                          | ·       |   |          |                   |                  |           |                     |  |  |  |  |  |

A listing of all control totals can be generated using the Generate Report tab. Control totals remain visible for up to three days after file has processed.

| User ID<br>Report          | R001-01     |                           |            |         | Control Total Report Daw<br>Tem<br>Pag |        |                     |            |                       |                  | Date : 01/040<br>Time : 11:240<br>Page : 1 of | 01/04/2018<br>1 11/24/32<br>1 of 1 |          |  |
|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------------|------------|---------|--|--------|---------------------|------------|-----------------------|------------------|---|------------------------------------|----------|--|
| Confirmatio<br>n<br>Number | Post        | Collection<br>Application | СА<br>Туре | User 10 | Corporate<br>Name                      | VRS ID | File ID<br>Modifier | Status     | Entry:<br>Addend<br>a | Debit<br>Atsourt | Credit<br>Amount                              | Date                               | Time     |  |
| 300852                     | CIVINALISC. |                           |            |         | DYNAMIC                                |        |                     | Unsubhed   | 1                     | \$0.00           | \$0.01  | 61640018                           | 112604   |  |
| 300893                     | DYNAMIC     |                           |            |         | DYNAMIC                                |        |                     | Unmakched  | 2                     | \$0.00           | \$0.02  | 01/04/2018                         | 12.24:14 |  |
| 300854                     | DYNAMIC     |                           |            |         | DYNAMIC                                |        |                     | Unrutified | 2                     | \$0.01           | \$0.01  | 01042018                           | 112428   |  |

# 4. Electronic Payment Authorization (EPA)

## 4.1 Overview of EPA

Electronic Payment Authorization (EPA), provided via ACH Direct, is comprised of two primary components:

- 1. Event-based email notifications are sent to each designated individual for the account(s) which they are set up for. Some examples of email events are receipt of an authorized transaction, receipt of a transaction without authorization, and actions taken on rejected transactions.
- 2. ACH Direct (accessible through KeyNavigator) enables authorized individuals to decision pending transactions, search and manage existing authorization records, and create new authorization records.

By default, you will be set up so that ACH debits attempting to post to your account are blocked. If there are trading partners who are authorized to debit your account, you may create an authorization online through ACH Direct. This will allow their debits to successfully post to your account without intervention.



Dual Verification for EPA Authorizations and Reject Decisioning is available as an added control to EPA decisioning. It is recommended you have at least six (6) users with access to leverage the use of dual to ensure items can be approved in a timely fashion.

## 4.2 ACH Direct Email Notifications

Once the EPA service is activated, users will receive event triggered email notifications. Each notification type is assigned a number, making it easy for you to identify the type of notification and any action that may be required. Email notifications can be suppressed per users desired.

## 4.3 EPA – Authorizations

Authorizations are pre-approved debits from vendors or trade partners your organization has authorized to debit. Establishing authorizations in advance will prevent items from needing decisioning. Authorizations also prevent items authorized from being erroneously returned in the event users failed to take action in a timely fashion.

1. From the ACH Direct Main Menu, click EPA, and then click Authorizations.



2. Click Add.

| Corporate Administration | EPA                              | Authorizations |               |              |                 |                |                       |        |  |  |
|--------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------|--|--|
| Control Totals           | 🔕 Add 😄 Delate 🕜 Modify 🛃 Export |                |               |              |                 |                |                       |        |  |  |
| - 575                    | in the second                    | Account Number | Tranait Route | Company Name | Specific Amount | Maximum Amount | Transaction Type Code | Status |  |  |
| a Authorizations         | 0                                | 0000000000     | 041001039     | TEST         | 10.00           | 0.00           | Checking Debit        | Active |  |  |
| a Reject Decisioning     | 0                                | 0000000000     | 041001039     | ABC Company  | 0.00            | 0.03           | Checking Debit        | Active |  |  |
| File/Transaction Inquiry | 0                                | 00000000000    | 041001039     | XYZ Congany  | 0.00            | 5.00           | Checking Debit        | Active |  |  |
| Reports                  | 0                                | 00000000000    | 041001039     | 123 Company  | 0.00            | 10.00          | Checking Debit        | Active |  |  |



3. Select the account number for which you will create an authorization.

| eyBank                   |                                | John Smith (ACHD Test) Home Profile Logout |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| Corporate Administration | EPA Authorizations             |  |
| Control Totals           |                                | **' required field.                        |
|                          | Account Number *               |  |
| ✓ EPA                    | Please Select Account Number 🗸 |  |
| Authorizations           |                                |  |
| Reject Decisioning       |                                |  |
| File/Transaction Inquiry | Save () Reset 💥 Cancel         |  |
| ) Descate                |                                |  |

- 4. Enter the required data as described below, then click Save.
  - a. Authorization Date Range
    - *i.* <u>Begin Date</u> The date the authorization will become active.
    - *ii.* <u>Expiration Date</u> The date the authorization record will expire or will be considered inactive.
    - *iii.* <u>No End Date</u> If the authorization does not have an end date, check the box that states 'No Authorization End Date Specified.'
  - b. <u>Maximum Amount</u> The maximum amount of the transaction(s) that can be authorized using this authorization record.
  - c. <u>Specific Amount</u> The specific amount of the transaction(s) that can be authorized using this authorization record.
  - d. <u>Transaction Type</u> Checking Debit.
  - e. How many transactions should be accepted with this Authorization?
    - *i.* <u>Single Use</u> To authorize only a single transaction, this value should be set to 001.
    - *ii.* <u>Specific Number of Transactions</u> Enter the specific number of transactions that should be authorized. For example, if the user wants to authorize 10 transactions, this value should be set to 010.
    - *iii.* <u>Unlimited</u> To indicate that an unlimited number of transactions should be authorized, this value should be left blank.
  - f. <u>Company ID</u> The Company ID of the transaction Originator



g. <u>Company Name</u> – The name of the company originating the transaction.

**NOTE**: ACH Direct does not support the use of special characters such as &, @, #, etc. in the company name field.

| Auth Start Date   | *             | Auth End Date * |
|---|---------------|-----------------|
| 01/18/2018  |               |                 |
| Amount *  |               |                 |
| Maximum A   | mount O Spe   | cific Amount    |
|   |               |                 |
| Transaction Ty  | pe Code       |                 |
| Consultant.   |               |                 |
| Checking  |               | O Debit         |
| Checking     Savings     Number of Aut                                  | horized Trans | actions         |
| Checking<br>Savings<br>Number of Aut                                    | horized Trans | actions         |
| © Checking<br>O Savings<br>Number of Aut<br>Company ID *<br>Company Nam | horized Trans | actions         |
| © Checking<br>O Savings<br>Number of Aut<br>Company ID *<br>Company Nam | e             | actions         |

5. Confirmation of the EPA Authorization added successfully will be displayed.





## 4.4 Changing an Authorization

1. From the ACH Direct Main Menu, click EPA. Click on Authorizations.



2. To change an authorization, select the **radio button** next to the desired authorization and click **Modify** from the Search Results screen.

| Corporate Administration | EPA | Authorizations | -            |              |                 |                |                       |        |
|--------------------------|-----|----------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------|
| Control Totals           | O A | dd 🤤 Delete 🕻  | Modify [     | Export 6     |                 |                |                       |        |
| EDA                      |     | Account Number | Trensk Route | Company Name | Specific Amount | Maximum Amount | Transaction Type Code | Status |
| a Authorizations         | 0   | 00000000000    | 041001039    | TEST         | 10.00           | 0.00           | Checking Debit        | Active |
| a Reject Decisioning     | 0   | 00000000000    | 041001039    | ABC Company  | 0.00            | 0.03           | Checking Debit        | Active |
| File/Transaction Inquiry | 0   | 0000000000     | 041001039    | XYZ Company  | 0.00            | 5.00           | Checking Debit        | Active |
| Reports                  | 0   | 00000000000    | 041001039    | 123 Company  | 0.00            | 10.00          | Checking Debit        | Active |

3. Change the fields which must be modified and click **Save**. When modifying an authorization, you must select the authorization start date to be current date.

| Auth Start Date *   | Auth End Date *      |
|---|----------------------|
| 01/18/2018  |                      |
| Amount *  |                      |
| Maximum Amour   | nt O Specific Amount |
|   |                      |
| Transaction Type C  | ode                  |
| Consultant.   | Dahit                |
| Cnecking  | C Debit              |
| Checking     Savings     Number of Authoriz                                   | ed Transactions      |
| Checking     Savings Number of Authoriz Company ID *                          | ed Transactions      |
| Checking<br>Savings<br>Number of Authoriz<br>Company ID *                     | ed Transactions      |
| © Checking<br>Savings<br>Number of Authoriz<br>Company ID *<br>Company Name   | ed Transactions      |
| Checking     Savings     Number of Authoriz     Company ID *     Company Name | ed Transactions      |



4. Once completed, confirmation of the modification will be provided.



## 4.5 Deleting an Authorization

- 1. From the ACH Direct Main Menu, click EPA. Select Authorizations.
- 2. To remove, select the desired authorization using radio button and click Delete.

| Corporate Administration                    | EPA | Authorizations |             |                |                 |                |                        |        |   |
|---|-----|----------------|-------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|------------------------|--------|---|
| · Control Totals                            | 0.  | at Dans (      | Multy 2     | Expert         |                 |                |                        |        |   |
| - 104                                       |     | Account Number | Transz Rové | x Company Name | Specific Amount | Maximum Anount | Trensection Type Code: | 5954   |   |
| n Authorizations                            | ٠   | 00000000000    | 041001039   | ABC Company    | 0.00            | 10.00          | Checking Debit         | Active |   |
| o Reject Decisioning                        | 0   | 30000000000    | 041001039   |                | 0.00            | 10.00          | Checking Debit         | A2514  |   |
| © EPA Verification<br>© Reject Verification | 0   | 0000000000     | 041001039   | XVZ RS         | 8.50            | 90,000 00      | Checking Debit         | Athe   |   |
| File/Transaction Inquiry                    |     |                |             |                |                 |                |                        |        |   |
| · Reports                                   |     |                |             |                |                 |                |                        |        |   |
|   |     |                |             |                |                 | 1000           |                        |        | _ |

3. Click **OK** to delete the authorization.



| Corporate Administration  | EPA | Authorizations |              |              |                 |                |                       |          |  |
|---|-----|----------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------------|----------|--|
| Control Totals  | 04  | da 🥥 Delete 🥝  | Mosty 🔄      | Export       |                 |                |                       |          |  |
| - FEIA  |     | Account Number | Transk Route | Company Name | Specific Amount | Malahum Amount | Trensection Type Code | \$583.45 |  |
| g Authorizations  | 0   | 0000000000     | 041001038    |              | 0.00            | 10.00          | Checking Debit        | Active   |  |
| <ul> <li>Reject Decisioning</li> <li>EPA Ventication</li> <li>Reject Ventication</li> </ul> | 0   | 0000000000     | 041001039    | XY2 (\$5     | 0.00            | 90,000 00      | Checking Debit        | Active   |  |
| File/Transaction Inquiry  |     |                |              |              |                 |                |                       |          |  |
| Reports   |     |                |              |              |                 |                |                       |          |  |



4. Once completed, confirmation of the delete will be provided.



## 4.6 Exporting Authorizations

All authorizations added to ACH Direct can be exported for review. Click on the Export function located to the right of the view icon. File will be downloaded and can be formatted and saved on your organization's desktops or servers.

| Corporate Administration               | EPA A                            | Authorizations | _             | _             |                 |                |                       |        |  |  |  |
|--|----------------------------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------|--|--|--|
| Control Totals                         | 🔾 Add 😂 Delete 🕜 Modify 🔀 Export |                |               |               |                 |                |                       |        |  |  |  |
| FPA                                    |                                  | Account Number | Transit Routi | Company Name  | Specific Amount | Maximum Amount | Transaction Type Code | Status |  |  |  |
| Authorizations                         | 0                                | 00000000000    | 041001039     | TEST          | 10.00           | 0.00           | Checking Debit        | Active |  |  |  |
| <ul> <li>Reject Decisioning</li> </ul> | 0                                | 00000000000    | 041001039     | ABC Company   | 0.00            | 0.03           | Checking Debit        | Active |  |  |  |
| File/Transaction Inquiry               | 0                                | 00000000000    | 041001039     | XYZ Company   | 0.00            | 5.00           | Checking Debit        | Active |  |  |  |
| Reports                                | 0                                | 00000000000    | 041001039     | 123 Company   | 0.00            | 10.00          | Checking Debit        | Active |  |  |  |
|  | 0                                | 00000000000    | 041001039     | IRS Taxes     | 0.00            | 80,000.00      | Checking Debit        | Active |  |  |  |
|  | 0                                | 00000000000    | 041001039     | Smith Company | 0.00            | 99.99          | Checking Debit        | Active |  |  |  |

## 4.7 Reject Decisioning

Anytime an email is received advising of a pending entry, you will log into ACH Direct and make a decision to allow the particular transaction to be posted or returned.

#### There are three options available:

- 1. <u>Accept</u> Allows entry to post to the intended account on the evening of the indicated return date.
- 2. <u>*Refuse*</u> Transaction will be returned to the Originator on the evening of the indicated return date.
- <u>Pending</u> A final decision is not known at this time. Clients have until 7:00 p.m. ET on the indicated return date to make a decision regarding the transaction. If no decision is made by that time, the transaction will be returned.



# Some important tips regarding the decisioning of transactions:

- Decisioning may only be performed until 7:00 p.m. ET on the indicated return date.
- When selecting **Accept** a user is indicating that the transaction should be posted to the intended account and there will be no further review of authorization records.
- During the acceptance process, users will be given the option to update an existing authorization to ensure future transactions are authorized when received.
- If the detail item is rejected because no authorization record was located, users will be given the option to create an authorization for future transactions from the same Originator. Doing so will prevent future transactions from rejecting.
- If you determine the entry should be returned, select the **Refuse** option and the item will be returned on the evening of the indicated return date.



# **Reject Decisioning (continued)**

1. From the ACH Direct Main Menu, click **EPA** and then click **Reject Decisioning** under the EPA menu.

| » C  | orporate Administration |
|------|-------------------------|
| , c  | ontrol Totals           |
| E    | PA                      |
| 0    | Authorizations          |
| a    | Reject Decisioning      |
| ) Fi | le/Transaction Inquiry  |
| R    | eports                  |

2. The result will be a listing of the rejected transactions which require action. To refuse or accept a particular reject, click on the radio button next to the desired selection and choose **Refuse Selected**, or **Accept Selected**.

| Corporate Administration | Reject             | Decision      |                |            |              |           |                       |            |  |  |
|--------------------------|--------------------|---------------|----------------|------------|--------------|-----------|-----------------------|------------|--|--|
| Control Totals           | ② Pending selected |               |                |            |              |           |                       |            |  |  |
| - EDA                    |                    | Reject Status | Account Number | T/R Number | Company Name | Amount \$ | Transaction Type Code | Entry Desc |  |  |
| o Authorizations         | 0                  | Accepted      | 00000000000    | 041001039  | ACH DIRECT   | 11.00     | Checking Debit        | VALIDATION |  |  |
| Reject Decisioning       | 0                  | Accepted      | 00000000000    | 041001039  | ACH DIRECT   | 11.00     | Checking Debit        | VALIDATION |  |  |
| File/Transaction Inquiry | 0                  | Pending       | 00000000000    | 041001039  | ACH DIRECT   | 11.00     | Checking Debit        | VALIDATION |  |  |
| > Reports                | 0                  | Pending       | 00000000000    | 041001039  | ACH DIRECT   | 11.00     | Checking Debit        | VALIDATION |  |  |
|                          | 0                  | Pending       | 0000000000     | 041001039  | ACH DIRECT   | 11.00     | Checking Debit        | VALIDATION |  |  |

3. Once completed, confirmation of the chosen action will be provided.



NOTE: When accepting a transaction, the message "Would you like to add an authorization for future transactions?" will appear. For instructions on adding an EPA authorization, please see Section 4.3: EPA - Authorization.



# 5. File and Transaction Inquiry

#### 5.1 Overview of Service

You are able to query ACH transactions via the File/Transaction Inquiry functionality in ACH Direct.

The following information may be viewed:

- <u>Originator Browse</u> Available for Key ACH Originators to view the status of ACH Origination files by set up.
- <u>Account Number</u> Available for Key ACH Originators and Receivers to view ACH detail by transactional account numbers.

#### 5.2 Locating transaction details

#### Locating transaction details via Originator Browse

1. From the ACH Direct Main Menu, click **File/Transaction Inquiry**. Click Originator Browse.



2. Select the **Application Name** desired, date range and/or file status, then click **Search**.

| Control Totals  | ACH Direct File/Tra | ansaction Inquiry Search |          |                  |   |
|---|---------------------|--------------------------|----------|------------------|---|
| > EPA   | File Browse         |                          |          |                  |   |
| File/Transaction Inquiry                                      | Organization:       | ACHD Test                | ~        |                  |   |
| <ul> <li>Originator Browse</li> <li>Account Search</li> </ul> | Application Name:   | TSTPOINT                 | ~        | File Status: All | ~ |
|   | Date File Process   | sed :                    |          |                  |   |
|   | From Date:          |                          | To Date: |                  |   |
|   |                     | Search                   | () Reset |                  |   |





3. Search results with file detail will be displayed. In order to browse the batches of a particular file, select the desired file by clicking the radio button, then click the **Batch Browse** button.

|   | Status | Immediate Origin Name | Immediate Destination Name | Total Debit Amount | Total Credit Amount |
|---|--------|-----------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| ۲ | NORMAL | ACHD TEST             | PEP+                       | 0.00               | 0.01                |
| 0 | NORMAL | ACHD TEST             | PEP+                       | 0.00               | 0.01                |
| 2 | NORMAL | ACHD TEST             | PEP+                       | 11.00              | 0.01                |

4. Search results with batch detail will be displayed. To view the specific batch details, select the radio button next to a batch. Click **Detail Browse**.

| Batch Se | earch Criteria |                            |                |                      |               |                      |
|----------|----------------|----------------------------|----------------|----------------------|---------------|----------------------|
| PEP+ Fil | e Number       | 18003000419                | Date Processed | 01/03/2018           |               |                      |
| Transact | ion Type       | All 🗸                      |                |                      |               |                      |
| Deta     | ail Browse 🛃   | Export                     |                |                      |               |                      |
|          | Batch Number   | Company Name/IAT Indicator | Status         | Debit Amount         | Credit Amount | Company ID/Originato |
| ۲        | 0000001        | ACH DIRECT                 | NORMAL         | 0.00                 | 0.00          | ACHDTEST             |
| 0        | 0000002        | PASSKEY VRU                | NORMAL         | 0.00                 | 0.00          | ACHDTEST             |
|          |                |                            |                |                      |               |                      |
| <        |                |                            |                |                      |               | >                    |
| <b>Q</b> | 20 🗸 📢         | Page 1 of 1                | Displayi       | ng 1 to 2 of 2 items |               |                      |

5. The result will be a list of all transactions contained within the batch. To view individual transaction detail, select the radio button next to the desired transaction, and then click **Show Item Details**.

| atch Nu | mber             |                 | 00000  | 01             | 1             |               |                |
|---------|------------------|-----------------|--------|----------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|
| ) Shov  | v Item Details 🧿 | Delete/Reverse  | 🛃 Exp  | ort            | -             |               |                |
|         | Transaction Type | Transit Routing | Number | Account Number | Dollar Amount | Individual ID | Individual Nam |
| ۲       | Debit            | 04100103        | 9      | 0000000000     | 11.00         | ACHDIRECT     | ACH DIRECT     |
| 0       | Debit            | 04100103        | 9      | 0000000000     | 11.00         | ACHDIRECT     | ACH DIRECT     |
|         |                  |                 |        |                |               |               |                |



6. The result will be transaction specific details.

| arehouse De               | tail Inquiry |                       |             |                        |                   |
|---------------------------|--------------|-----------------------|-------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| tem data:                 |              |                       |             |                        |                   |
| Transaction<br>Code:      | Credit       | Amount \$:            | 100.00      | Account<br>Number:     | 00987654321234568 |
| Individual ID:            | 9876543210   | Individual<br>Name:   | John Worker | Discretionary<br>Data: | 00                |
| Transit                   |              | Time                  | 500         | Original               |                   |
| Routing                   | 041001039    | Collected:            | 500         | Account                | 00987654321234568 |
| Number:                   |              | Time                  |             | Number:                |                   |
| Date                      | 20150504     | Distributed:          |             | Original T/R           |                   |
| Collected:                | 20130304     | Cohodulad             |             | Number:                | 041001039         |
| Date<br>Distributed:      |              | Distribution<br>Time: | 0600        |                        |                   |
| Scheduled<br>Distribution | 20150505     |                       |             |                        |                   |

a. In order to view any addenda information that may have accompanied the transaction, scroll to the bottom of the Warehouse Detail Inquiry view and click **Show Addenda**.



b. The result will be any addenda information which was transmitted with the transaction.

| Varenouse Detail inquity - Addenda Details |                      |                     |                |
|--|----------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| Detail PAR: 15124001513242                 |                      |                     |                |
| Detail Addenda                             | Addenda<br>Type Code | Addenda<br>Sequence | PAR            |
| EXAMPLE OF ADDENDA INVOICE INFORMATION     | 05                   |                     | 15124001513243 |





#### Locating item details via Originator Search by Account Number

1. From the ACH Direct Main Menu, click **File/Transaction Inquiry**. Click **Account Search**.

| Control Totals                        | ACH Direct File/Transac        | tion Inquiry Account Search |          |   |                         |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------|---|-------------------------|
| EPA                                   |                                | DVNAMC2                     |          |   | *** required field      |
| File/Transaction Inquiry              | Organization.                  | UTIVALUS.                   |          |   |                         |
| <ul> <li>Originator Browse</li> </ul> | Account Search:                | Originator 🗸                |          | Account Number:*                        |                         |
| <ul> <li>Account Search</li> </ul>    | Application Name:              | ACHDTEST                    | ~        |   |                         |
|                                       | From Date:*                    |                             |          | To Date:*                               |                         |
|                                       | Company Name/IAT<br>Indicator: |                             |          | Company ID/Originator ID:               |                         |
|                                       | SEC Code:                      |                             |          | Entry Description:                      |                         |
|                                       | Effective Date:                | <b></b>                     |          | Transaction Type:                       | All                     |
|                                       | Transit Routing Number:        |                             |          | Discretionary Data:                     |                         |
|                                       | Amount \$:                     |                             |          | Amount Relation:                        | Exactly (Right Justifi  |
|                                       | Individual ID/Check<br>Number: |                             |          | Individual ID/Check<br>Number Relation: | Exactly (Right Justifie |
|                                       | Individual Name/Custome        | e                           |          |   |                         |
|                                       | Name:                          |                             |          |   |                         |
|                                       |                                | Control                     | () Denat |   |                         |
|                                       |                                | Search                      | O Reset  |   |                         |

- 2. The result will be the Account Search screen.
  - a. The following fields are required:
    - i. <u>Account Search</u> **Originator** must be displayed.
    - ii. <u>Account Number</u> Type in the relevant account number to be searched.
    - iii. From Date Select a desired beginning date for the search period.
    - iv. <u>To Date</u> Select a desired end date for the search period.
  - b. Enter any remaining desired search criteria, and then click Search.



3. The result will be the **Warehouse Search Result** screen, populated with each transaction meeting the search criteria. For additional detail on a particular transaction click the radio button next to the transaction, and then click **Show Item Details**.

| 0.1 | ow Item Details            |                            |                   |          |                |     |
|-----|----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|----------|----------------|-----|
|     | Company Name/IAT Indicator | ✓ Company ID/Originator ID | Entry Description | SEC Code | Effective Date | Tra |
|     | TESTPOINT                  | 2234567890                 | PAYROLLEXP        | CCD      | 150505         | De  |
| 5   | TESTPOINT                  | 2234567890                 | PAYROLLEXP        | CCD      | 150505         | De  |
| 0   | TESTPOINT                  | 2234567890                 | PAYROLL           | PPD      | 150505         | Cre |
|     |                            |                            |                   |          |                |     |
|     |                            |                            |                   |          |                |     |

4. The result will be transaction specific details.

| m data:                   |           |                                    |                     |                          |                   |
|---------------------------|-----------|------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Transaction<br>Code:      | Debit     | Amount \$:                         | 99.00               | Account<br>Number:       | 00987654321234568 |
| Individual<br>ID:         | 987654321 | Individual<br>Name:                | PAYROLL TEST COMPAI | Discretionary<br>Data:   | 00                |
| Transit<br>Routing        | 041001039 | Time<br>Collected:                 | 500                 | Original<br>Account No.: | 00987654321234568 |
| Date<br>Collected:        | 20150504  | Time<br>Distributed:               |                     | Original T/R<br>Number:  | 041001039         |
| Date<br>Distributed:      |           | Scheduled<br>Distribution<br>Time: | 9999                |                          |                   |
| Scheduled<br>Distribution | 20150505  |                                    |                     |                          |                   |

a. In order to view any addenda information that may have accompanied the transaction, scroll to the bottom of the Warehouse Detail Inquiry view and click **Show Addenda**.





b. The result will be any addenda information which was transmitted with the transaction.

| atail PAR: 15124001513242              |                      |                     |                |
|--|----------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| Detail Addenda                         | Addenda<br>Type Code | Addenda<br>Sequence | PAR            |
| EXAMPLE OF ADDENDA INVOICE INFORMATION | 05                   |                     | 15124001513243 |

#### Locating transaction details via Receiver Search by Account Number

1. From the ACH Direct Main Menu, click **File/Transaction Inquiry**. Click **Account Search**.



- 3. The result will be the Account Search screen.
  - a. The following fields are required:
    - i. <u>Account Search</u> **Receiver** must be displayed.
    - ii. <u>Account Number</u> Select the relevant account number from the drop down box to be searched
    - iii. <u>From Date</u> Select a desired beginning date for the search period
    - iv. <u>To Date</u> Select a desired end date for the search period
  - b. Enter any remaining desired search criteria then click Search.



| Corporate Administration | ACH Direct File/Transa  | ction Inquiry |        |    |                           |                          |
|--------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|--------|----|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| Control Totals           |                         |               |        |    |                           | ** required fiel         |
| EPA                      | Organization:           |               |        | ٣  |                           |                          |
| File/Transaction Inquiry | Account Search:         | Receiver      | •      | A  | ccount Number:*           |                          |
| Originator Browse        | From Date:*             |               |        | т  | o Date:*                  |                          |
| Account Search           | Company Name/IAT        |               |        |    | Company ID/Originator ID: |                          |
| Reports                  | Indicator:              |               |        |    | ompany io/onginator io.   |                          |
|                          | SEC Code:               |               |        | E  | ntry Description:         | 1                        |
|                          | Effective Date:         |               | 1900 B | т  | ransaction Type:          | All                      |
|                          | Transit Routing Number: |               |        | C  | Discretionary Data:       |                          |
|                          | Amount \$:              |               |        | A  | mount Relation:           | Exactly (Right Justifi   |
|                          | Individual ID/Check     |               |        | Ir | ndividual ID/Check        | Exactly (Right Justifi • |
|                          | Number:                 | L             |        | N  | lumber Relation:          |                          |
|                          | Individual              |               |        |    |                           |                          |

4. The result will be the Warehouse Search Result screen populated with each transaction meeting the search criteria. For additional detail on a particular transaction, click the radio button next to the transaction. Then click **Show Item Details**.

| eAAT Indicator | Company E/Originator E | Protocol Programmer and a strain of the second stra |                       |                           |                                  |
|----------------|------------------------|--|-----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|
|                |                        | Entry Description  | SEC Code              | Effective Date            | Tra                              |
|                | 2234567890             | PAYROLLEXP   | CCD                   | 150505                    | De                               |
|                | 2234567890             | PAYROLLEXP   | CCD                   | 150505                    | De                               |
|                |                        |  |                       |                           |                                  |
|                |                        | 2234567890   | 2234567890 PAYROLLEXP | 2234567890 PAYROLLEXP CCD | 2234567890 PAYROLLEXP CCD 150505 |



5. The result will be the transaction specific detail.

| arehouse De                        | tail Inquiry |                           |                 |                          |                   |
|------------------------------------|--------------|---------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| tem data:                          |              |                           |                 |                          |                   |
| Transaction<br>Code:               | Credit       | Amount \$:                | 100.00          | Account<br>Number:       | 00987654321234567 |
| Individual<br>ID:                  | 1234567890   | Individual<br>Name:       | AP TEST COMPANY | Discretionary<br>Data:   |                   |
| Transit<br>Routing                 | 041001039    | Time<br>Collected:        | 500             | Original<br>Account No.: | 00987654321234567 |
| Number:<br>Date                    | 20150504     | Time<br>Distributed:      |                 | Original T/R<br>Number:  | 041001039         |
| Collected:                         | 20100004     | Scheduled<br>Distribution | 0600            |                          |                   |
| Distributed:                       |              | Time:                     |                 |                          |                   |
| Scheduled<br>Distribution<br>Date: | 20150505     |                           |                 |                          |                   |

6. In the event a received transaction contains addenda information, scroll to the bottom of the Warehouse Detail Inquiry view and click **Show Addenda** to view.

| Show Addenda  | 💥 Cancel |
|---|----------|
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7. The result will be any addenda information which was received with the transaction.

| Addenda<br>Type Code | Addenda<br>Sequence        | PAR   |
|----------------------|----------------------------|---|
| 05                   |                            | 15124001513243                              |
|                      |                            |   |
|                      | Addenda<br>Type Code<br>05 | Addenda Addenda<br>Type Code Sequence<br>05 |

#### Locating Trace ID(s)

- 1. Transaction details contain two key fields for determining a Trace ID. A trace id is comprised of:
  - a. The first 8 digits of the Transit Routing Number
  - b. The last 7 digits of the PAR#



Warehouse Detail Inquiry

| Item data:                         |                 |                            |                |                          |                  |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| Transaction<br>Code:               | Credit          | Amount \$:                 | 0.01           | Account<br>Number:       | 0000000000458013 |
| Individual ID:                     | PASSKEY         | Individual<br>Name:        | PASSKEY VRU    | Discretionary<br>Data:   |                  |
| Transit<br>Routing<br>Number:      | 041001039       | Time<br>Collected:<br>Time | 1100           | Original<br>Account No.: | 458013           |
| Date<br>Collected:                 | 07/14/2022      | Distributed:               | 155053         | Original T/R<br>Number:  | 041001039        |
| Date<br>Distributed:               | 07/14/2022      | Distribution<br>Time:      | 1600           |                          |                  |
| Scheduled<br>Distribution<br>Date: | 07/14/2022      |                            |                |                          |                  |
| PEP+ Distributi                    | on Application: |                            |                |                          |                  |
| Point: POS                         | TG1             | Type:                      |                | T/R: 04100               | 1039             |
| APPL: OUT                          | PUT             | PAR#:                      | 22195007281075 |                          |                  |
| Batch data:                        |                 |                            |                |                          |                  |
| Batch<br>Number:                   | 0000001         | Effective Da               | te: 07/14/22   | Entry/Addenda<br>Count:  | 0                |
| Debit Amount:                      | 0.00            | Credit Amou                | int: 0.00      | Entry                    | VALIDATION       |
| Company<br>Name:                   | PASSKEY VRU     | Company ID                 | 9DYNAMIC02     | Description.             |                  |
| SEC Code:                          | PPD             | Status:                    | NORMAL         |                          |                  |

2. To locate multiple trace ids more efficiently, you can export your search results into a .csv file for more efficiency. Using originator browse outlined in section 5.2, click **export** on the search results window.

| Detail    | Browse               |                        |                  |                      |               |                 |       |
|-----------|----------------------|------------------------|------------------|----------------------|---------------|-----------------|-------|
| Detail Se | arch Criteria        |                        |                  |                      |               |                 |       |
| Batch Nu  | umber                | 00000                  | 01               |                      |               |                 |       |
| Show      | w Item Details 🛛 🕜 🛛 | Delete/Reverse 🛃 Exp   | ort              |                      |               |                 |       |
|           | Transaction Type     | Transit Routing Number | Account Number   | Dollar \$ Amount     | Individual ID | Individual Name | Disci |
| 0         | Credit               | 041001039              | 0000000000458013 | 0.01                 | PASSKEY       | PASSKEY VRU     |       |
|           |                      |                        |                  |                      |               |                 |       |
|           |                      |                        |                  |                      |               |                 |       |
|           |                      |                        |                  |                      |               |                 |       |
|           |                      |                        |                  |                      |               |                 | - F   |
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|           |                      |                        |                  |                      |               |                 |       |

3. Once downloaded, you can open the .csv file to locate the transit routing number and PAR# to construct the transaction trace id.

| Transaction Type | Transit Routing Number | Account Number | Dollar \$ Amount | Individual ID | Individual Name | Discretionary Data | Par No.        |
|------------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------------|----------------|
| Credit           | 41001039               | 458013         | 0.01             | PASSKEY       | PASSKEY VRU     |                    | 22199006386636 |
|                  |                        |                |                  |               |                 |                    |                |



Through the warehouse feature, any item originated by your organization can be requested to be reversed or deleted.

- Reversals are permitted within 5 banking days of the original effective date.
- Delete requests can only be submitted if the original item has <u>not</u> been released into the network.
- Reversal requests are performed once item has been located through the ACH Direct File/Transaction Inquiry Search
- Only Items are permitted to be requested for deletion or reversal. Batch and File requests should be submitted directly to ACH Operations.

#### 5.3 Performing a delete/reversal via Originator Browse

1. Select the applicable date range for your file search and click **search**. Within the search results, select the file containing the transaction(s) you wish to reverse and click **batch browse**.

| Corporate Administration   | ACH Direct File/ | Transactio | n Inquiry Search |                |                |                      |                        |              |
|----------------------------|------------------|------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------------|------------------------|--------------|
| Control Totals             | File Browse      |            |                  |                |                |                      |                        |              |
| ► EPA                      | Organization     | *dem       | o ora            |                | ~              |                      |                        |              |
| ▼ File/Transaction Inquiry | Organization.    |            |                  |                |                |                      |                        |              |
| Originator Browse          | Application Name | Del/R      | ev Demo          |                | *              | File Status          | All                    | ~            |
| Account Search             | Date File Proc   | essed :    |                  |                |                |                      |                        |              |
| ▶ Reports                  | From Date:       | 07/11      | 1/2022           | 2              | To Date        | 07/18/2022           |                        |              |
|                            |                  | •          |                  | Search         | () Reset       |                      |                        |              |
|                            | Batch Browse     | 🛃 Export   | t                |                |                |                      |                        |              |
|                            | PEP+ Fil         | e Number   | Date Processed   | Time Processed | Entry/Addenda  | Total Debit S Amount | Total Credit \$ Amount | Immediate De |
|                            | 2219200          | 0095       | 07/11/2022       | 06:00:14       | 1              | 0.00                 | 0.01                   | 04100103 ^   |
|                            | 2219500          | 0191       | 07/14/2022       | 11:30:31       | 1              | 0.00                 | 0.01                   | 04100103     |
|                            | 2219500          | 0192       | 07/14/2022       | 11:30:31       | 1              | 0.00                 | 0.01                   | 04100103     |
|                            | 4                |            |                  |                |                |                      |                        | *            |
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2. Within **batch browse**, select the batch containing the transaction(s) you wish to reverse and click **detail browse**.

| Batch   | Browse       |      |       |                     |           |             |        |                |                    |                   |    |
|---------|--------------|------|-------|---------------------|-----------|-------------|--------|----------------|--------------------|-------------------|----|
| Batch S | earch Criter | ia   |       |                     |           |             |        |                |                    |                   |    |
| PEP+ Fi | ile Number   |      | 22195 | 000191              | Date Proc | essed 07    | 7/14/2 | 022            |                    |                   |    |
| Transac | tion Type    | . [  | All   | ~                   |           |             |        |                |                    |                   |    |
| 🏐 Det   | ail Browse   | 🛃 E  | xport |                     |           |             |        |                |                    |                   |    |
| _       | Batch Nu     | mber | Comp  | oany Name/IAT Indic | Status    | Debit \$ Am | ount   | Credit \$ Amor | Company ID/Origina | Entry Description | SE |
|         | 0000001      |      | PASS  | KEY VRU             | NORMAL    |             | 0.00   | 0.00           | 9DYNAMIC02         | VALIDATION        | PF |
|         |              |      |       |                     |           |             |        |                |                    |                   |    |
| 4       |              |      |       |                     |           |             |        |                |                    |                   | •  |
| 9       | 20 🗸         | •    | l Pa  | age 1 of 1          | ► N 3     | Displaying  | 1 to 1 | of 1 items     |                    |                   |    |

3. Within the **detail browse**, select the transaction that you wish to reverse and click **Delete/Reverse**. At the following prompt, click **Yes**.

| Detail E  | Browse         |     |                 |        |                  |                      |               |                 |       |
|-----------|----------------|-----|-----------------|--------|------------------|----------------------|---------------|-----------------|-------|
| Detail Se | arch Criteria  |     |                 |        |                  |                      |               |                 |       |
| Batch Nu  | mber           |     |                 | 00000  | 01               |                      |               |                 |       |
| Show      | v Item Details | 0 D | elete/Reverse   | 🛃 Ехр  | ort              |                      |               |                 |       |
|           | Transaction T  | уре | Transit Routing | Number | Account Number   | Dollar \$ Amount     | Individual ID | Individual Name | Disci |
| ۲         | Credit         |     | 041001039       |        | 0000000000458013 | 0.01                 | PASSKEY       | PASSKEY VRU     |       |
| 4         |                |     |                 |        |                  |                      |               |                 | •     |
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4. Once you've committed the delete/reversal, you can view the status of the item by scrolling to the left of the **detail browse** window and looking under **Deletes/Reversals Status.** After committing the status will read **pending**, and once the action takes place in the ACH network, the status will change to either **deleted** or **reversed**.



Detail Browse

| Detail Sear | ch Criteria  |      |                |      |        |            |           |                 |                |                          |
|-------------|--------------|------|----------------|------|--------|------------|-----------|-----------------|----------------|--------------------------|
| Batch Num   | ber          |      |                | 000  | 0001   |            |           |                 |                |                          |
| Show If     | tem Details  | 0    | Delete/Reverse | 🛃 E  | xport  |            |           |                 |                |                          |
| ber         | Dollar \$ Am | ount | Individual ID  |      | Indivi | dual Name  | Discretio | onary Data      | Par No.        | Deletes/Reversals Status |
| 458013      |              | 0.01 | PASSKEY        |      | PASS   | KEY VRU    |           |                 | 22195007281075 | Pending                  |
| 4           |              |      |                |      |        |            |           |                 |                | ) –                      |
| ٩ 20        |              | 4    | Page 1         | of 1 |        | N 3        | Displa    | ying 1 to 1 of  | 1 items        |                          |
| Detail Br   | rowse        |      |                |      |        |            |           |                 |                |                          |
| Detail Sear | rch Criteria |      |                |      |        |            |           |                 |                |                          |
| Batch Num   | iber         |      |                | 000  | 0001   |            |           | ]               |                |                          |
| Show I      | Item Details | 0    | Delete/Reverse | 🛃 E  | Export |            |           |                 |                |                          |
| ber         | Dollar S Am  | ount | Individual ID  |      | Indiv  | idual Name | Discreti  | onary Data      | Par No.        | Deletes/Reversals Status |
| 458013      |              | 0.01 | PASSKEY        |      | PAS    | SKEY VRU   |           |                 | 22195007281075 | Reversed                 |
| 4           |              |      |                |      |        |            |           |                 |                | •                        |
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#### 5.4 Performing a delete/reversal via Account Search

1. Within **Account Search**, designate whether the transaction was originated or received, and input the account number and date range for the transaction that you intend to delete/reverse. You can also input the amount of the transaction to further refine the search. Once complete, click the **search** button.

| Corporate Administration                     | ACH D  | )irect File/Transacti   | on Inquiry Ac  | count Search             |                   |                           |           |  |           |
|--|--|-------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|-----------|--|-----------|
| Control Totals                               |  |                         |                |                          |                   |                           |           | '*'requir                              | red field |
| ▶ EPA  | Organiz  | ation:                  | *demo org      |                          | ~                 |                           |           |  |           |
| <ul> <li>File/Transaction Inquiry</li> </ul> | Account  | t Search:               | Originator     | ~                        |                   | Account Number:*          | 458013    | 3                                      |           |
| Originator Browse     Account Search         | Applica  | tion Name:              | Del/Rev Demo   | )                        | ~                 |                           |           |  |           |
| Reports                                      | From D   | ate:*                   | 07/11/2022     |                          |                   | To Date:*                 | 07/18/2   | 2022                                   |           |
|  | Compare Compar | ny Name/IAT             |                |                          |                   | Company ID/Originator ID: |           |  |           |
|  | SEC Co   | ode:                    |                |                          |                   | Entry Description:        |           |  |           |
|  | Effectiv   | e Date:                 |                |                          |                   | Transaction Type:         | All       |  | ~         |
|  | Transit  | Routing Number:         |                |                          |                   | Discretionary Data:       |           |  |           |
|  | Amount   | t \$:                   |                |                          |                   | Amount Relation:          | Exactly   | y (Right Ju                            | stifi( 🗸  |
|  | Number<br>Individu<br>Name:  | r:<br>ial Name/Customer |                | Search                   | () Reset          | Number Relation:          |           | , (, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , |           |
|  | Wareh  | ouse Search Resul       | t              | _                        |                   |                           |           |  |           |
|  | 🌍 Sho  | w Item Details 🛛 🕜 🛛    | Delete/Reverse | Export                   |                   |                           |           |  |           |
|  |  | Company Name/IAT        | F Indicator    | Company ID/Originator ID | Entry Description | n Deletes/Reversals Re    | quest Sta | SEC Code                               | Effect    |
|  | $\circ$  | PASSKEY VRU             |                | 9DYNAMIC02               | VALIDATION        | None                      |           | PPD                                    | 07 ^      |
|  | 0  | PASSKEY VRU             |                | 9DYNAMIC02               | VALIDATION        | Reversed                  |           | PPD                                    | 07        |
|  | 0  | PASSKEY VRU             |                | 9DYNAMIC02               | VALIDATION        | None                      |           | PPD                                    | 07        |
|  | ۲  | PASSKEY VRU             |                | 9DYNAMIC02               | VALIDATION        | None                      |           | PPD                                    | 07        |
|  | 0  | PASSKEY VRU             |                | 9DYNAMIC02               | VALIDATION        | None                      |           | PPD                                    | 07        |
|  | 0  | PASSKEY VRU             |                | 9DYNAMIC02               | VALIDATION        | None                      |           | PPD                                    | 07        |
|  | 0  | PASSKEY VRU             |                | 9DYNAMIC02               | VALIDATION        | None                      |           | PPD                                    | 07 🖵      |
|  | 4  | 1.<br>                  |                |                          |                   |                           |           |  | +         |
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 Select the transaction that you wish to delete/reverse and click the Delete/Reverse button. After committing, the status will show as pending. Once the actual delete/reversal takes effect in the ACH system, the status will change to deleted or reversed.



# 6.0 EPA Dual Authorization

In order to better understand EPA Dual Authorization, you must first understand ACH Direct EPA.

#### 6.1 Overview of EPA Dual Authorization

Segregation of duties and additional operational controls are becoming increasingly important due the changing security climate surrounding electronic transactions. This changing climate places pressure on organizations to ensure that effective controls are in place and are being utilized through sound business practices.

ACH Direct offers Multiple-Level Authorizations for you to enhance your controls around preauthorization and approval of incoming debits presented against the corporate account.

Automated solutions, such as dual verification, provide multi-level controls to enhance security and risk management for ACH Direct users. This solution offers the ability to mitigate fraud and tracking tools to document these controls.

Required authorization is customizable. The need for secondary approvals can vary by transaction amount and/or individual user in accordance with internal Corporate Security and Risk requirements.

## 6.2 ACH Direct Email Notifications

Once the EPA Dual Authorization service is activated, you will receive event triggered email notifications. Each notification type is assigned a number, making it easy for you to identify the type of notification and any action that may be required.

Email notifications can be added or removed for a user by the Corporate Administrator for your organization, or you may contact your Payments Advisor to request adding or removing of email notifications.

## 6.3 How ACH Direct Dual Authorization Works

When authorizations are added, modified or deleted in ACH Direct and reject decisions are performed by one user, they are sent to a work queue to be approved by another user.

ACH Direct Dual Authorizations offers two types of parameters that can be established for each associate:





#### **Associate Level**

- <u>Level 1</u> Can add, modify or delete authorizations and decision pending rejects; cannot approve those actions taken by others
- <u>Level 2</u> Can perform the actions of Level 1 and also can approve the actions taken by others (either Level 1 or Level 2 associates).

#### **EPA Maximum Dollar Limit**

The EPA Max Dollar Amount defined for an associate is the maximum transaction amount not requiring secondary approval for authorizations added, deleted or modified and for reject decisioning actions. Secondary approval action does not take into account the user's EPA Maximum Dollar Limit.

#### 6.4 How to Navigate through all sections under EPA

Under EPA, the following options are listed if you are an authorized user for EPA with Dual Authorization:





 <u>Authorization</u> – View, modify, delete and add authorizations (also known as filters) for pre-authorized debits. The status of the authorization is displayed, such as active or revoked. If a new authorization is created or an existing one is modified and it exceed the user's maximum authorized amount; it will automatically move to the EPA verification queue for secondary approval.

| eyBank                   |  | Ose                             | ear Smith (ACHD Test) Ho | me Pro |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------|--|---------------------------------|--------------------------|--------|--|--|--|--|--|
| ▶ Control Totals         | 4001 - EPA for Account No. 041001039-009 | 87654321234567 added successful | y. <b>x</b>              |        |  |  |  |  |  |
| * EPA                    | FPA Authorizations                       |                                 |                          |        |  |  |  |  |  |
| Reject Decisioning       | Add Delete @ Modify                      |                                 |                          |        |  |  |  |  |  |
| File/Transaction Inquiry | Account Number Company Name              | Specific Amount Maximum Amoun   | Transaction Type Code    | Status |  |  |  |  |  |
|                          | O41001039-009876543 AP Test Company      | 0.00 150.00                     | Checking Debit           | Active |  |  |  |  |  |
|                          | 041001039-009876543 Test Payroll Co.     | 0.00 100.00                     | Checking Debit           | Active |  |  |  |  |  |

 <u>Reject Decisioning</u> – List of all rejected transactions which require action (pending, refuse or accept). No action will result in the debit being returned unpaid. Once an item is accepted, when dual authorization is enabled, it will move to reject verification for secondary approval if the item exceeds established limits.

| Corporate Administration | Reject Decision    |               |                   |            |                             |           |                       |      |  |
|--------------------------|--------------------|---------------|-------------------|------------|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|------|--|
| ▼ EPA                    | ② Pending selected |               |                   |            |                             |           |                       |      |  |
| o Authorizations         |                    | Reject Status | Account Number    | T/R Number | Company Name                | Amount \$ | Transaction Type Code | Entr |  |
| Reject Decisioning       | 0                  | Pending       | 00000350123456789 | 041001039  | SERVICE CORP INC            | 90007.95  | Checking Debit        | A ^  |  |
| EPA Verification         | 0                  | Pending       | 00000350123456789 | 041001039  | AMERICAN EXPRESS            | 90007.95  | Checking Debit        | С    |  |
| Reject Verification      | 0                  | Pending       | 00000350123456789 | 041001039  | TAX SERVICES                | 90050.00  | Checking Debit        | т    |  |
| Reports                  | 0                  | Pending       | 00000350123456789 | 041001039  | NUMBER 1 LLC                | 90007.95  | Checking Debit        | D +  |  |
|                          | •                  |               | III               |            |                             |           |                       | •    |  |
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 <u>EPA Verification</u> – This tab will display all added, changed or deleted authorizations (filters) requiring secondary approval. A designated approver level 2 associate will take action here. User will select the item using the radio button and then either approve or deny the transaction.

| Corporate Administration | EPA V | erification      |              |                      |                            |                 | -              |
|--------------------------|-------|------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| ▼ EPA                    | 😜 Ap  | prove 💥 Deny     | Delete       |                      |                            |                 |                |
| Authorizations           |       | Dual Auth Status | Submitted By | Account Number       | Company Name               | Specific Amount | Maximum Amount |
| Reject Decisioning       | 0     | Add              | testuser1    | 041001039-0000035012 | ABC Company                | 0.00            | 150000.00      |
| EPA Verification         | ۲     | Add              | testuser1    | 041001039-000003501  | ABC CO                     | 0.00            | 90007.95       |
| Reject Verification      |       |                  |              |                      |                            |                 |                |
| + Reports                | •     |                  |              |                      |                            |                 |                |
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• <u>Reject Verification</u> – Decisioned pending rejects requiring dual approval will be displayed here for approval by a designated level 2 associate. User will select the item using the radio button and then either approve or deny the transaction.

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When enabling dual authorization, it is important to ensure the correct numbers of users are set-up to ensure coverage when other assigned users are out of the office. Consider critical holidays and times throughout the year where many users may not be available. Failure to appropriately plan in advance could result in an item being returned if dual approval did not occur timely.



**<u>NOTE</u>**: On the initial set-up, all users will be set up as a Level 2 approver with \$0.00 maximum authorization amount. These default settings will allow every user to perform secondary approvals, but will also require secondary approval for every action.

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