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Memorandum

INFORMATION: Quarterly Federal Personnel and Payroll

Subject: System (FPPS) Migration Update

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Reply to
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To: Heads of Operating Administrations

Since my last memo to you, the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) and the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) have approved the revised migration schedule for the FPPS Project to April 2005 for the non-FAA operating administrations (OA) and October 2005 for the FAA. In addition, the FPPS migration and operating budgets for FY 2005 are being finalized, and will be presented to the Steering Committee on September 29. Once approved, you will receive information regarding the FY 2005 FPPS migration and operating costs.

In addition to the above, updates on other FPPS Migration Project milestones are as follows:

- The Consolidated Automated System for Time and Labor Entry (CASTLE) was rolled out in the non-FAA OAs in July 2004.
- SLSDC migrated to FPPS on schedule in July 2004.
- FPPS security training for the non-FAA OAs started in August and will be completed by mid-September 2004. Servicing Personnel Office (SPO) training will be conducted in September and October 2004.
- Planning for parallel testing support with DOI will take place October through December 2004.
- All DOT employees will have access to the Electronic Learning Management System (eLMS) for web-based training only by December 31, 2004.
- All OAs' except OIG, FHWA, FMCSA, and FAA training data has been migrated to eLMS. The OIG, FHWA, and FMCSA training data will be migrated to eLMS in April 2005 and the FAA by July 31, 2005. This schedule change will not impact the Department's ability to stay green on the E-Training initiative.

- The Transportation Security Administration and Coast Guard migrations to the National Finance Center have been established and approved by OPM and OMB for August 2005.

We will keep you advised of progress on these matters through your Administration's Communication Liaison. If you have questions, please contact Ms. Yadira Bermea, FPPS Migration Program Manager, at x65020.