Roadmap for PS Enhancement Areas in SAP ERP 6.0

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ENHANCEMENT PACKS (3 AND 4)

Innovations planned for SAP ERP 6.0 will be delivered via SAP enhancement package for SAP ERP that will enable customers to better optimize their resources by allowing them to be more responsive to requirements enabled through Information Technology. Support for accessibility will be delivered via SAP enhancement package for SAP ERP.

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The following Public Services areas should benefit from the Public Services enhancements:

- Defense & Security
- Healthcare
- Higher Education & Research, K-12
- Public Sector (Federal, State and Local Government)

The following Roadmap of Public Services functionality is currently planned for SAP ERP 6.0.

PLANNED CONTENT OF ENHANCEMENT PACKAGE 3 - RTC Q4 2007

1) US Federal Financials (including EA-PS extension & FSIO¹)

- Debt Collection Act support
- Upward and Downward Adjustments
- Reporting
- FM Master Data
- Accounts Receivable
- Federal Payments
- PPA Enhancements
- Cancelled Funds Enhancements
- Sales & Distribution (SD)
- Form and Content

2) Grants Management

- Grantee enhancements
- Expenditure Certification
- Grantor enhancements

3) SAP Tax and Revenue Management (TRM) for Public Sector

- Taxpayer Identification and Returns Processing
- Collections Management
- 4) Concurrent Employment (Part 1)

¹ FSIO is the name of the US Federal certification program for Financial Management systems. FSIO was formerly known as "JFMIP"

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5) Defense

- Improvements in the area of Organizational Flexibility
- Enhancements to Deployed Operations
- Further enhanced Defense support in the area of EH&S
- Integration of Real Estate and Organizational Flexibility (the Force Element)
- Operational Readiness
- Amendments to Unit (Line) Maintenance
- Qualification Integration
- More comprehensive Defense support in the area of EH&S
- Further functionalities for interchangeability of materials
- Architectural changes and other specific capabilities

6) SAP Procurement for Public Sector

- Line Item Enhancements
 - Hierarchical Line Item Structures (a.k.a., SubCLINs, nested line items)
 - Complex Contract Pricing Structures (e.g., Cost type contracts, fee items, etc.)
 - Option/Provision Line Items
- Mixed-Type Contracts (one document with SAP PO and Contract line items combined)
- Enhanced Payment Processes
- Enhanced Digital Signature Functionality
- Enhanced Tendering/Solicitation Functionality
 - Tender Fee Acceptance and Tracking
 - Generic synopsis generation capability for pre-solicitation/tendering
 - Support for Pre-Qualification of Bidders
 - Optional Simultaneous Login and Authorization during tender opening and evaluation
 - Support for Two-Envelope bidding procedure (i.e., split price and technical bid)

7) Higher Education & Research – SAP Student Lifecycle Management

- SAP Business Intelligence new extractors and business content
- Enhanced student advising capabilities
- Campus Management "Implementation Simplification" enhancements.

8) Localization

- Non Profit Organization HCM Payroll by Globalization Services
- Accounting Spain by Globalization Services

9) Healthcare

Localization - Italy

PLANNED CONTENT OF ENHANCEMENT PACKAGE 4 – RTC Q4 2008

1) SAP Funds Management/Financial Accounting & Budget Control System (BCS)

- Funds Management/Fund Accounting Business Rules Enhancements
- Visibility Of Liquidity Status In Cash Management
- Hierarchical Budgeting Capability (SAP Budget Control System (BCS))
- Budget Maintenance Activities For Budget Hierarchies (SAP Budget Control System (BCS))
- Payment Release List (new)

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- Payment By Budgetary Entity Partial Payments Of Liabilities In Accounts Payable
- Budget Address Derivation Distributed Maintenance Of Direct Value-Based Account Assignment Derivations
- Public Sector General Ledger
- FM Master Data
- Financials Reconciliation Tool
- Materials Management (MM)
- Controlling

2) Healthcare – SAP Patient Management

- Workflow-based clinical solution and SAP Patient Management integrated into one solution (a.k.a., Global Health Alliance With Siemens)
- Ability to link patient/physician information with CRM market campaigns
- Ability to use organization management single point of entry
- Ability to link SAP Patient Management to non-SAP systems using healthcare industry standards
- Outpatient management capabilities (a.k.a., SAP ACM) for Physicians

3) Higher Education & Research – SAP Student Lifecycle Management

- New role based web-user interfaces in SAP Netweaver Enterprise Portal
- Post-Processing Framework for automation of processes
- Additional Campus Management "Implementation Simplification" enhancements.

4) Concurrent Employment (Part 2)

5) SAP Procurement for Public Sector

- Incremental Funding
- Commitment of Funds on Shopping Carts in SRM
- Enhanced Business Partner Schema
- Purchasing Thresholds Controls
- Enhanced Encryption Functionality