

Military Surface Deployment and Distribution Command

Customer and Carrier Advisory

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Subject: Closure of Current Shipments, Prior to the New Spot Bid Application Release

Purpose: Inform Transportation Officers (TOs)/Transportation Service Providers (TSP) about legacy shipments during the release of the new Spot Bid application.

Be Advised: Global Freight Management (GFM) Program Management Office has completed the testing of the new Spot Bid application. As stated in previous advisories, existing shipments within the legacy Spot Bid will be affected. During the deployment of the new Spot Bid, some shipments will migrate while others may not. Before deployment, shippers must ensure all shipments are indicated as "Completed" in the legacy Spot Bid application. Once deployment is complete, shippers will only see their respective completed shipments from the legacy Spot Bid.

The new Spot Bid provides existing capabilities of the legacy application. The new Spot Bid will introduce a completely new modern design. A redesigned dashboard and mode neutral request are some of the enhancements of the new Spot Bid application.

Request: As stated above, only 'completed' shipments in the legacy Spot Bid will transfer over to the new Spot Bid dashboard. TOs and TSPs must ensure all shipments are completed prior to the deployment of the new Spot Bid scheduled for the week of **6 February 2023**. Note, successfully completed shipments are located under the "Completed" tab in legacy Spot Bid.

Update: The release date for Spot Bid will be the **7th of February 2023**.

Thank you for your support.

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