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Subject: EH/759/MH – Gemini MTI and MEI Class 1 Modification

Dear Colleague,

A Shipper has highlighted that inconsistent error messages are sent by Gemini when a MTI or MEI file with an incorrect generation number is sent by a User.   In instances when a shipper sends a wrong generation number in an MTI file, the MTO file will be sent back to the user with error "FIL00127 Invalid Generation Number". However, when a shipper sends a wrong generation number in an MEI file, the MEI file will be sent back to the user with error "FIL00127 Invalid Generation Number; Expected Generation Number is XXX". We have investigated other files and can confirm that this inconsistency is only apparent in MEI and MTI files.

It is proposed that the MTI validation will be updated to be consistent with that of the MEI file.

We further analysed the validation processes and have identified further discrepancies with error messages which are not consistent with the standard error message standard. We have discovered that in some instances, the error code was not shown along with the error message. This is therefore be included in this proposal.

The MEI and MTI files will therefore have the following messages after implementation.

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The change is proposed as a Class 1 UKLink modification, and users comments are invited upon this matter. If there are no objections raised, it is likely that we will schedule this change following the implementation of the Oracle Software Upgrade scheduled for later in the month.

Regards

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