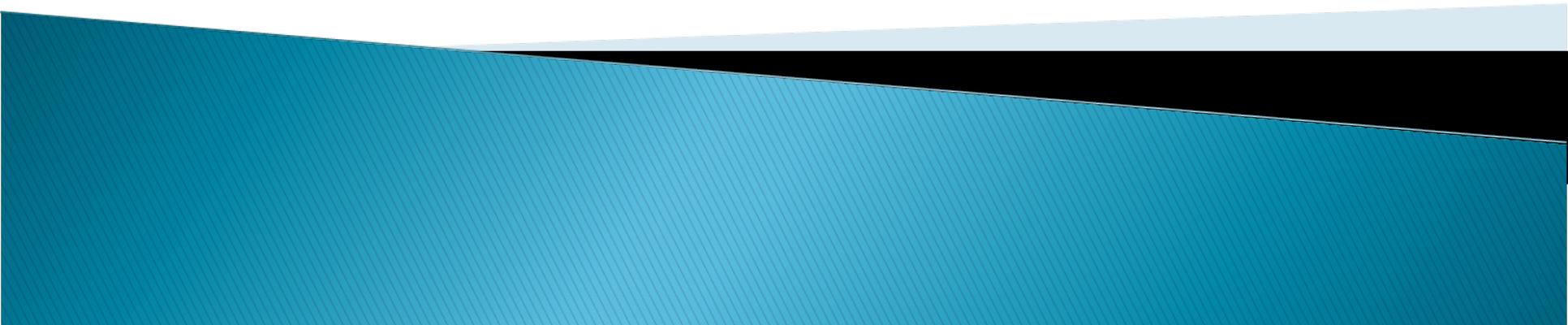
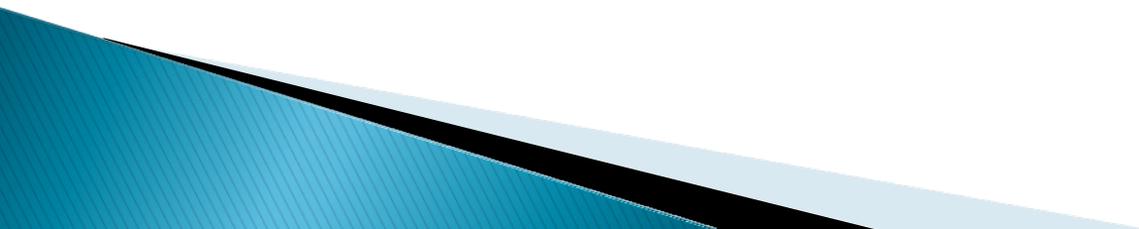


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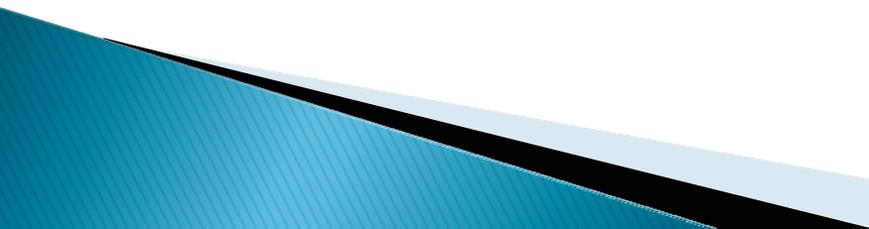
Smartcard eWIC Authorities



Current Smartcard Environment

- ▶ One daily claim file must be sent from each retailer outlet.
 - ▶ Acknowledgement of WIC Authority's receipt of valid claim file is only provided with the settlement (Auto-Reconciliation) or error file.
 - ▶ Retailers and WIC Authorities are limited to only one compression method for claim and response files.
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Smartcard File Enhancements

- ▶ Will allow retailers and/or third-parties to consolidate transactions from multiple retail outlets into a consolidated claim file.
 - ▶ An acknowledgement of a claim file receipt is provided soon after receipt by the WIC Authority.
 - ▶ At the WIC Authority's option, additional compression methods may be supported if a retailer has a desire for other options.
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Workgroup Initiatives

- ▶ Create a Developer Considerations document with standardization of file naming, error and reason codes (which are not dictated by the X9 standard).
 - ▶ Submit recommended changes to X9 committee.
 - ▶ Work with FNS to create a Technical Implementation Guide for Smart Card WIC.
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