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To: BANNERDBA-L@LISTSERV.UGA.EDU
Subject: [BANNERDBA-L] Georgia Enhancements 8.27.1 - Additional Details

Background:

The PeopleSoft Financials foundations upgrade will take place December 12 - 16. This upgrade will require institutions to allow the new financial servers access through institution's firewall. This will also require the recreation of the Banner to PeopleSoft database link. The scripts to perform the database link recreation were released with Georgia Enhancement 8.27.1 and campuses should schedule for testing and implementation in the timeframes indicated below. One key difference from previous Banner-PSFIN database link scripts is that the scripts now prompt for a password that must be obtained from the ITS Helpdesk.

Action to be taken:

The institution's designated Banner representative must contact the ITS Helpdesk (helpdesk@usg.edu) or 706-583-2001/1-888-875-3697 to request their respective password for the database link creation. A password for the production script and test script will be provided along with IP addresses for the new financial servers.

prod_psficon_link.sql - This script must be applied to your production database on 12/16/2013 between 7:00 am - 9:00 am. This will establish the required DBlink from your Banner production database to the PeopleSoft Financials production database.

test_psficon_link.sql - This script should be applied to your test database beginning on 12/5/2013. This will establish the required DBlink from your Banner test database to the PeopleSoft Financials test database (FPLAY).

uat_psficon_link.sql - This script will only be run as requested by ITS. Additional details can be found at <http://www.edu1world.org/USG/74925> "PSFIN Foundations Upgrade - Impact to Banner Integration . PDF"

Special Notes:

- 1) ITS will NOT be contacting the institutions Sunday 12/15/2013 as previously stated. The production script application window is Monday 12/16/2013 between 7:00 am - 9:00 am
- 2) The helpdesk will also be able to provide the host information which will include the IP address for the new financial servers that will be needed to allow access through your institution's firewall.

MORE INFORMATION and SUPPORT: For a production down, business interrupting (emergency) situation, call the ITS Helpdesk immediately at 706-583-2001 or 1-888-875-3697 (toll free within Georgia). For anything else, contact the ITS Helpdesk at http://www.usg.edu/customer_services (self-service support request requires a user ID and password, contact the ITS Helpdesk to obtain self-service login credentials) or e-mail helpdesk@usg.edu.