

# ACH User Guide

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# About ACH

Commercial Online Banking enables ACH origination, approval and release, as determined by your company's entitlements. This module may be accessed either through the Commercial Online Banking website or the CentralMOBILE Business mobile application (app). The security code from a mobile or physical token is required to release ACH transactions.

Access Central Bank's website at www.centralbank.com, Business, Cash Management Services to review the most current version of the Terms and Conditions to the Master Treasury Agreement where all services are further outlined.

# ACH User Setup

For users to create, modify, or release ACH transactions, the proper access to ACH must be granted. Follow the directions below to grant ACH permissions.

- 1. Click Administration on the horizontal toolbar.
- 2. Click Users, located under Manage.

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• Users	Account Preferences
	• Login
	Password

- 3. Click the down arrow rext to the **User Name**.
- 4. Select Edit User.
- 5. Click Next to move to Step 3, Modify Privileges.

# **Approval Access**

To enable Approvals, click **Custom**. Click **Set Approvals, US ACH.** Once granted, the specific features for which approvals are enabled must be defined. Select the **approval privileges** for the user, and then click **Submit**.

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TEL - Telephone-Initiated Entry	<b>~</b>	<b>~</b>	
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# **Payment Limits**

Payment limits define a user's customized limits for transactions and approvals.

1. Under **Payment Limits**, select **Custom** to specify limits for a user, otherwise leave the selection as **Unlimited** to default to the company limits.

Payment Limits	Unlimited	Custom
		Set Limits

 If Custom is selected, click Limit Settings, click either Standard or Extended. Enter the approved limits for each applicable ACH type. Specify limitations related to transaction amount, approval amount, or daily cumulative (definitions provided below).

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	Transaction	Approval	Daily Cumulative
SET / REMOVE ALL			
CCD - Corporate Credit or Debit			
Child Support			
CTX - Corporate Trade Exchange			

# Transaction

The maximum amount for a transaction for the corresponding payment type.

# Approval

Maximum amount user can approve for processing. If the transaction is over the amount the user cannot approve the transaction.

# **Daily Cumulative**

Maximum amount user can submit for processing in a single day **Extended Transaction Non-Repetitive** 

The maximum amount for a transaction for the corresponding payment type.

# **Transaction Repetitive**

The maximum amount for a transaction for the corresponding payment type

# **Approval Non-Repetitive**

Maximum amount user can approve for processing for non-repetitive transactions.

# Approval Repetitive

Maximum amount user can approve for processing for repetitive transactions

# **Daily Cumulative**

Maximum amount user can submit for processing in a single day

# 3. Click Submit.

# Access Schedule

If access to the system by a user needs to be modified, this can be accomplished through the Access Schedule. Select either Unlimited or Custom. Custom enables the restricting the days and hours the user can access the system.

#### Custom:

- 1. Choose **Set Access** located under **Access Schedule.** Enter the times/dates the user should have access.
- 2. Click Save.

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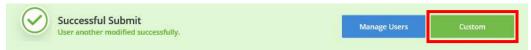
# **User Entitlements**

- **None** User does not have entitlements to any account or functions.
- Custom User have customized entitlements
- Full User has full access to all associated accounts and functions

To grant **User Entitlements**, click **Custom**. To grant full access to all accounts for a user, select **Full**.

#### Custom:

- 1. Select **Custom**, then click **Save**.
- 2. A green box will appear, select Custom.



- 3. Click on **Set Account Access** to customize any account access for a user.
- 4. Select **Set Functional Access** to grant permissions for the user. Once the access has been granted, click **Save**.

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5. Click **Set Data Service Access** if the Company level has ACH access. If the company does not have ACH access, this option will not be available.

# Methods of Creating an ACH Transaction

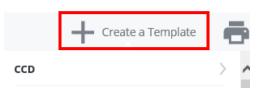
- I. Create ACH Templates
- II. ACH Quick Entry

**I. ACH Templates** enables you to store ACH information for payments that you created on a regular basis (payroll, taxes, vendor, etc.) within Commercial Online Banking. This option provides you an efficient and effective means of managing your electronic payments and/or concentrations.

**II. ACH Quick Entry** provides quick access to existing ACH templates for ACH transaction origination.

# Creating a Template

1. From the **Payments** menu, under **Manage**, select **Template Center**.



2. Select **Create a Template.** Select the format for the ACH payments within the template.

Based on your specific company requirements, available payment formats may include:

# CCD

Cash Concentration and Disbursement – Typically used to transfer funds between commercial business accounts. This format includes up to 80 characters of addenda information to accompany the payment.

# Child Support

Used in payment of Child Support payments

# СТХ

Corporate Trade Exchange – Typically used to transfer funds between commercial business accounts. This format includes unlimited addenda information to accompany the payment. An example would be expanded remittance information, containing details and invoice numbers.

# PPD

Prearranged Payment and Deposit Entry – Typically used for payment to consumer accounts or to collect from consumer accounts. Examples would be payment of direct deposit or the collection of dues from individuals.

# Тах

Used in the payment of Federal Taxes

**NOTE**: Additional formats may be available. Please contact your Cash Management Officer if you have questions.

3. Enter the Template Information:

TEMPLATE INFORMATION		
Template Activation *	01/11/2021	
Template Name *	Enter Template Name	
Originating Account *	Select an Originating Account	
Originating ACH Company ID *	Select an ACH Company ID	
Company Entry Description *	Enter a Description	
Company Discretionary Data	Enter Discretionary Data	
Template Limit	Enter Template Limit	
Workflow	Confidential	

- **Template Activation** is the date the template is to become active, defaulted to the current day. Future dates are accepted if you wish to start using the template on a set date, but you cannot set a date in the past.
- **Template Name** (i.e. Payroll). The Template Name may be up to 35 alphanumeric characters with spaces. Choose a meaningful name to make the template easy to identify.
- Originating Account identifies the account number used.
- **Originating ACH Company ID** should prefill based on the selection made for Originating Account.
- **Company Entry Description** is a brief description of the payment, in 10 or fewer characters. This field cannot be modified when making a payment from the template. This information will show in the Payment Center under Transaction Name/Reference Column.

The next several fields are optional, but may be utilized:

# **Company Discretionary Data**

Used to convey additional information about payments created from the template. Up to 20 characters. This field cannot be modified when making a payment from the template

#### **Template Limit**

The maximum amount of a payment to be created from the template.

#### Workflow

To designate a template as confidential. The template may only be viewed by the template creator.

4. Enter the **Recipients** information. A recipient is one or more individuals that you want to pay or collect from. You can select from existing recipients already saved in Commercial Center, add new, or import a NACHA file.

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5. When creating a new Recipient, click **Create New** and enter the following:

# **Recipient Name**

Name of the company or individual that you are paying or collecting funds from

#### **Recipient ID**

An ID that will identify the recipient

#### Account Type

Select an option: Savings or checking

#### Account Number

Recipient's account number

#### **Bank Information**

Recipient bank's routing number. You can either select a bank from the Preferred/Standard Bank lists or select the Enter Bank Information option and enter the Bank ID or name. To search for Central Bank,enter Central Bank \* (two spaces before the asterick). Verify Central Bank's routing number of 042100146 is displayed.

6. Options. You may also choose to:

# Save to Master List Recipient List

Add to the list of recipients. May be used in other payments. Select appropriate payment type where the recipient can be used.

#### Add Contact

Store other contact information **Information** for the recipient (for example, address details, email)

# Add as Secondary Account Information

PPD recipients can be defined with a secondary account so that a portion of every payment amount is allocated to that account while the rest is going to the primary account. The allocation amount may be a pre-set dollar amount or as a percentage of the recipient payment amount.

Recipient Name *	Enter Recipient Name
Recipient ID *	Enter Recipient ID
Account Type *	Select an Account Type 💎
Account Number *	Enter Account Number
Bank *	O Select from List Enter Bank Information with Bank ID
	Preferred Bank List Full Bank List
Options	Save to Master Recipient List
	Add Contact Information
	Add Secondary Account Information

- 6. Once the information has been entered, click **Continue**.
- A Preview Recipient box will appear. Once the information has been verified, select Submit to save the information entered, or Submit and Create to enter another Recipient.

# Creating a Payment from a Template

- 1. To access an existing template, select **Payments**.
- 2. Select Create ACH Payments, From Template or select Manage, Template Center.
- 3. Click the blue Template name to access the template.

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4. Scroll to the **Recipients** list. All recipients in the listing are displayed. You may modify the recipients in your listing by the following:

#### Select Recipients

Choose the specific recipients to be included. Place a check mark in the box by their name and click **Done**.

#### Create New

Create and add a new recipient.

#### Import from File

Import a listing of recipients from an existing file. The first time you import recipients, an Import Profile must be created and saved to use

during the import process. See Import on Page 17.

5. Under **Amount**, enter the amount of the transaction for each recipient.

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- 6. Under CR/DR, verify that the correct action is designated, either crediting or debiting the receiving account.
- 7. The dropdown next to **Status** enables you to designate the recipient's transaction as Active, Hold or Prenote.
- 8. Addenda enables the addition of related information to accompany the transaction. The number characters available for addenda information is determined by the ACH payment type selected when creating the template.

Depending on your company setup, addenda options may be:

# FRF – Freeform

Input up to 80 characters of freeform addenda

# **NTE – Note/Special Instruction**

Defined as Change, Invoice Instruction, Line Item, Other Instructions, Payment or Mutually Defined plus a Description

#### **REF – Reference Number**

Includes Reference Number Qualifer, Reference Number Id and Description

#### **RMR – Remittance Advice**

Fields related to invoice: Invoice Amount Paid, Original Invoice Amount, Discount Amount, Adjustment Amount, Adjustment Reason Code

#### TRN – Trace

Current Transaction Trace Number, Referenced Transaction Trace Number, Reassociation Trace Number

# 9. Click **Continue**.

10. A **Preview Template** page will display. Verify the information, and select **Submit Template**.

11. A message will appear at the bottom of the screen that will indicate if the template has been successfully submitted.

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- The Offset Creation Level should always be Batch. Transaction is never the correct choice.
- Change the Effective Date if the prefilled information is incorrect (defaults to next business day).
- **Frequency** If this is a recurring payment, select **Recurring**, and enter the information accordingly.

Recurring payment options:

- Processed on a schedule of daily, weekly, monthly, or yearly options
- A specified number of times

- Until further notice payment will continue until it is manually deleted
- Until a specified date
- 15. Verify the Recipient Information once more.
- 16. Select **Continue** to preview the payment.
- 17. Click Submit Payment.
- 18. After clicking Submit, a confirmation will be appear at the bottom of the screen.

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Payment Center

- 19. If Workflow Approve on Submit is not chosen, click on **Payment Center** to approve the transaction.
- 20. Put a checkmark next to the transaction. Click the blue **View Recipients** to review recipients and details of payments to be approved. Click **Cancel** to continue the approval process.
- 21. Click **Approve**. (If this selection is grayed out, you do not have permissions to approve a transaction).
- 22. The security code from a Mobile Token is required to release a wire. Enter the **six-digit security code** from your security token.
- 23. If an additional approver is required, the approver will need to access the payment, approve and submit.
- 24. A **confirmation** will appear at the bottom of the screen when approved and submitted.

# Editing a Template

Numerous edits may be made to a template. The most common are changes in amount of pay, or updates to bank information.

- 1. Click on Payments.
- 2. Click on Manage, Template Center.
- 3. Click on the blue **Template** name.
- 4. Enter the updated information for either **Template Information** or for **Recipients**. Examples of Recipient edits would be: A new dollar amount under **Amount**, or click the **Recipient Name** to edit bank information.
- 5. Once the edits are complete, click **Continue.**
- 6. Click Submit Template.

# ACH Quick Entry

Use ACH Quick Entry to re-create a payment for the same account, same end recipient, and same amount with a new payment date.

For ACH Quick Entry, you can only select a new payment date. You cannot edit the template, including the Company Account, Template Type, Recipient or Payment Amount.

- 1. Click on Payments.
- 2. Click ACH Quick Entry under Create ACH Payments.
- 3. Select one or more **templates** you would like to re-create, enter an effective date for each template. Review the Recipients for accuracy and select **Continue**.

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# 4. Click Submit Payment.

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- 5. If Workflow Approve on Submit is not chosen during the template creation, click on **Payment Center** to approve the transaction.
- Put a checkmark next to the transaction. Click the blue View Recipients to review recipients and details of payments to be approved. Click Cancel to continue the approval process.
- 7. Click **Approve**. (If this selection is grayed out, you do not have permissions to approve a transaction).
- 8. The security code from a Mobile Token is required to release a wire. Enter the **six-digit security code** from your security token.

- 9. If an additional approver is required, the approver will need to access the payment, approve and submit.
- 10. A **confirmation** will appear at the bottom of the screen when approved and submitted.

# Prenotes

To validate bank account information, a prenote is recommended. This is a zero dollar test to ensure the recipient's bank account information entered is valid before issuing a payment.

- 1. Access the **Recipient** information by clicking on **Payments**, **Manage**, Template Center
- 2. Click on the blue **Template** name.
- 3. For the specific recipient, Under **Status**, choose **Prenote**.
- 4. If there are additional recipients listed in the template that do not require Prenote, under Status, choose Hold.
- 5. Click Continue.

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- 6. Click Submit Template.
- 7. A confirmation will appear.

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- 8. If Workflow Approve on Submit is not chosen during the template creation, click on **Payment Center** to approve the transaction.
- 9. Put a checkmark next to the transaction, and click **Approve**. (If this selection is grayed out, you do not have permissions to approve a transaction).

- 10. The security code from a Mobile Token is required to release a wire. Enter the **six-digit security code** from your security token.
- 11.If an additional approver is required, the approver will need to access the payment, approve and submit.
- 12. A **confirmation** will appear at the bottom of the screen when approved and submitted.

# Export

- 1. Click Payments, Manage, then Payment Center.
- 2. Place a **check mark** next to the payment.
- 3. Choose Export.
- 4. You may export the following:
  - All Recipients
  - Active & Prenoted Recipients
  - Active Recipients

# Approve Payments

- 1. Click **Payment**, then **Payment Center**.
- 2. Place a **check mark** next to the transaction.
- 3. Click the blue **View Recipients** to review recipients and details of payments to be approved. Click **Cancel** to continue the approval process.
- 4. Click Approve.
- 5. Enter the **passcode** from the security or mobile token.
- 6. A **confirmation** will appear.

A second path to Approvals is located in the top header bar. Click the number displayed beside of Approvals.

# ACH File Import and ACH File Upload

ACH File Import and ACH File Upload enable direct import of NACHA files saved from your accounting software into the system. See outlined below the differences between the two methods. During the implementation process, your Cash Management Officer will assist in determining the method most compatible with your company's procedures.

Description of Action	ACH File Import	ACH File Upload
Enables import of information into Commercial Online Banking	Yes	Yes
Required Import Format - NACHA-formatted file	Yes	Yes
Import into existing Template stored in the Template Center	Yes	No
Import into existing Import Profile	Yes	Yes
Ability to update file information after import. i.e.: payment amounts, recipients	Yes	Yes
Enable a second system user to approve creation or changes to Import Profiles.	Yes	Yes
Enables a second system user to approve creation of or changes to Templates	Yes	NA
Enables a second system user to approve file for release	Yes	Yes
Ability to custom file map transaction information from non-NACHA format to a NACHA file	Yes	Yes
Reporting for submitted and processed transactions is stored in Manage> Payments> Payment Center	Yes	No
Reporting for submitted and processed transactions is stored in Reports>Payment Reports>Standard>ACH Detail and/or ACH Summary	No	Yes

# ACH File Import –Recipients

- 1. Create a **NACHA file** within your accounting software.
- 2. Log into **Commercial Online Banking Business.**
- 3. You must have an **ACH Template** created for the imported file to load into. To create an import template, see directions on Page 8, Creating a Template
- 4. You must also have a **Profile** defined for the import. See directions below to Create an Import Profile.
- Click Payments, Manage, Template Center To import recipients, click the blue template name (i.e. Payroll).
- 6. Under **Recipients**, choose **Import from File**.
- 7. In the **Profile list**, choose the associated profile for the transactions.
- 8. Click Next.
- 9. Choose **Browse**, to search your computer files to select the NACHA file created
- 10. Click Next.
- 11. Review the Recipient Information to ensure all amounts are correct.
- 12. Select Import File.
  - a. You can also select **Save all imported recipients to the master list**, so that information will be stored within the Payment Center.
- 13. Click Continue.
- 14. Click Submit Template.
- 15. Next, click **Payments** → **Payment Center**.
- 16. Enter a **check mark** beside the **payment** created.
- 17. Click **Approve.** If you do not have approval authority, this will be grayed out.
- 18. Enter the **passcode** from your Security or Mobile Token.
- 19.A **confirmation** will appear confirming the transaction was created successfully.

# Creating an Import Profile – Recipients

- 1. Click Payments, Payment Tools, Import Profiles
- 2. Click Create Profile
- 3. Enter **Profile Name**
- 4. Select a **File Format**. If your accounting system can create a NACHAformatted file, choose **ACH NACHA**. If your account system cannot create a NACHA-formatted file, choose **ACH User-Defined**. Please contact Corporate Services, at 859-253-8743, for assistance in creating your User-Defined profile.
- 5. Click **Next**.

- 6. You may import either: Non-Repetitive Payments, Templates or Recipients. Click Recipients to import into a Template listing Recipients.
- 7. Offset Creation Level Always Batch.
- 8. Profile Access Choose either **Private** or **Public**, to be viewed by others within your organization.
- 9. Options
  - Check for duplicate files and reject duplicates
  - Check record count
  - Check hash totals
- 10. Click Next.

# 11. Click Submit Profile.

**NOTE:** You may also import listings of Non-Repetitive Payments or Templates. A Profile would be created for each of these specific file types.

# ACH File Upload

- 1. Create a **NACHA file** within your accounting software.
- 2. Log into Commercial Online Banking Business.
- 3. To upload the ACH file into the Profile, click on **File Services**, then **Manage File Uploads**.

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# 4. Click Upload File.

- Click the arrow next to Upload Type and choose ACH (Standard). (NOTE: ACH (Standard) is used for a NACHA file. If your file is not a NACHA file, contact Corporate Services at 859-253-8743.)
- 6. Click **Next** to continue to Step 2.
- 7. Click **Browse** to locate the NACHA file on your computer. If you would like for the system to check for duplicate files and reject the duplicates, check the box next to **Duplicate File Check**.
- 8. Click **Upload** to load the file.
- 9. Next, click **Payments**  $\rightarrow$  **Payment Center**.
- 10. Enter a **check mark** beside the **payment** created.
- 11. Click **Approve.** If you do not have approval authority, this will be grayed out.
- 12. Enter the **passcode** from your Security or Mobile Token.
- 13.A **confirmation** will appear confirming the transaction was created successfully

# Manage File Uploads

- 1. Click on File Services, Standard File Uploads, Manage File Uploads to review the file.
- 2. From the **Manage File Uploads** page you may complete the following tasks:
  - View content details of the ACH upload file by clicking on the blue hyperlink file name.
  - **Approve uploads**, but only if the users is defined as an Upload Approver and is not the user who created the upload
  - Transmit upload files to the bank
  - Clicking **Refresh Data** to retrieve the most recent information
  - Deleting uploads that have not yet been transmitted
- 3. Use the Search fields to search by File Name or Date Range. Click **Search** to locate the file.
- 4. You may check the box next to a file that has not been submitted to edit a file, view files that are already submitted, approve, transmit or delete.

# General Information Central Bank Holiday Schedules

DATE	DAY	FEDERAL HOLIDAY
January <b>01</b> , 2021	Friday	New Year's Day
January <b>18</b> , 2021	Monday	Martin Luther King Jr. Day
February <b>15</b> , 2021	Monday	Washington's Birthday
May <b>31</b> , 2021	Monday	Memorial Day
July <b>04</b> , 2021	Sunday	Independence Day
July <b>05</b> , 2021	Monday	Independence Day (observed)
September <b>06</b> , 2021	Monday	Labor Day
October 11, 2021	Monday	Columbus Day
November 11, 2021	Thursday	Veterans Day
November 25, 2021	Thursday	Thanksgiving
December 24, 2021	Friday	Christmas Day (observed)
December 25, 2021	Saturday	Christmas Day
December 31, 2021	Friday	New Year's Day (observed)

**NOTE**: For holidays falling on Saturday, Federal Reserve Banks and Branches will be open the preceding Friday. For holidays falling on Sunday, all Federal Reserve Banks and Branches will be closed the following Monday.

*NOTE:* ACH transactions should not have an effective date for any of the above Federal Reserve Holidays.

# ACH File Cut-Off

ACH File Cut-off is 5:00 PM ET. Files with the Effective Date of the next business day must be released before 5:00 PM ET on the current business day.

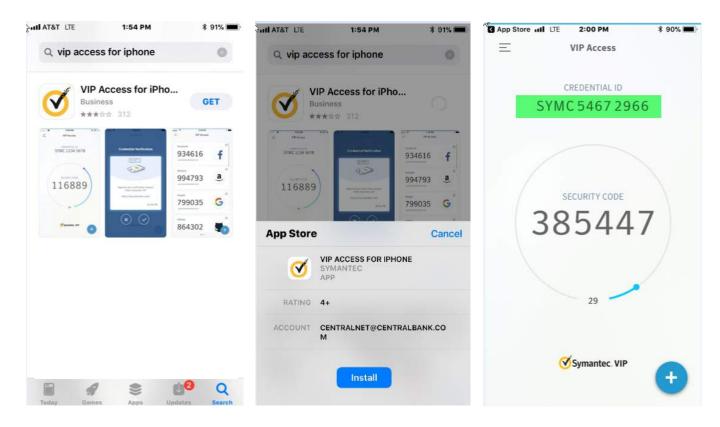
Same Day ACH - ACH File Cut-off for Same Day ACH is 12:00 p.m. and the amount of the payment must be less than \$50,000. If you need to originate a Same Day ACH, contact Central Bank's Corporate Services Department at 859-253-8743 prior to doing so. If you fail to contact us prior to originating the payment, your transactions may be processed on a next-day basis.

# Mobile Token

Install the Mobile Token on your phone to obtain the security code to access Commercial Online Banking and the associated Mobile App.

To install your Mobile Token, follow the directions listed below.

1. From the App Store or Google Play, search and download the VIP Access App in the app store.



- 2. Once downloaded, log in to Commercial Banking Online, and select **Activate Token** located under **Other Settings and Preference** in the Welcome menu.
- 3. Three pieces of information are required:
  - i. Activation Code: central2021
  - ii. Token Number: Credential ID listed on the mobile app
  - iii. **Passcode**: Six-digit number generated by the app

# Additional Information

If you have any problems processing your ACH transactions, please call Commercial Online Banking Client Services at 859-253-6338 or Central Bank's Corporate Services Department at 859-253-8743. Office Hours are Monday-Friday 8am-5pm.

# Addenda Information – ACH SEC CODE WEB & TEL: SECURITY PROCEDURES APPLICABLE TO SEC CODE: WEB ENTRIES

# *NOTE:* Please contact Central Bank Corporate Services at 859-253-8743 for additional information related to originating a WEB or TEL transaction.

#### Initiating a Web Entry:

SEC Code WEB should be used under the following circumstances:

1. WEB is appropriate for a non-consumer Originator to use when initiating <u>debit entries</u> that have been authorized by a consumer Receiver via the Internet or a Wireless Network.

<u>Example</u>: A consumer's authorization for a debit entry is obtained over the Internet accessed from a device that uses a wired or Wireless Network.

2. WEB is appropriate if the consumer Receiver's instructions for initiation of the debit entry are communicated to the Originator via a Wireless Network, even if the authorization has been given in some other manner.

<u>Example</u>: An authorization was obtained from the Receiver in person but the Receiver sends a text message to communicate when to initiate the debit entry.

3. WEB is appropriate to use when initiating credit entries transmitted between consumers or between accounts belonging to the same person, regardless of the manner in which the payment is initiative.

<u>Example</u>: A consumer's payment instruction to send funds to another consumer is obtained from a consumer over the Internet accessed from a device that uses a wired or Wireless Network, or via in-person instruction at a bank branch.

SEC Code Web should not be used under these circumstances:

1. WEB is not appropriate if the consumer's authorization for the debit entry is oral.

Example: Authorization is given during a telephone conversation via a device over a Wireless Network.

2. WEB is not appropriate if the Receiver's instructions for initiation of the debit entry are communicated to the Originator over the internet via a wired network but the authorization has been given in some other manner. <u>Example</u>: A written authorization was obtained from the Receiver through the mail to debit his account for a bill payment service, but he goes to the biller's website on his desktop to verify the amount of the bill ACH month. This transaction would constitute a PPD entry rather than a WEB entry.

- 3. WEB is not appropriate to initiate entries to non-consumer (business) accounts, even when the non-consumer Receiver (business) provided authorization for the transaction via the Internet.
- 4. WEB is not appropriate if the POS code would otherwise apply, because the WEB format does not contain the necessary fields for communication of terminal identification information.

<u>Example</u>: A Receiver uses a near field communication mobile payment service to initiate a debit to his or her bank account to pay for goods at the point-of-sale. In accordance with the Formal Rules Interpretation regarding the Proper Use of SEC Codes, the merchant (Originator) should use the POS SEC code so that information regarding the merchant identity and terminal location can be properly communicated to the RDFI.

5. WEB is not appropriate to initiate credit entries from a consumer to a non-consumer (business) account. The CIE SEC Code should be used for a bill payment from a consumer to a business.

# Initiating a TEL Entry:

SEC Code TEL should be used under the following circumstances:

- 1. There is an existing relationship between Company and Receiver; or
- 2. There is not an existing relationship between Company and Receiver, but Receiver initiated the telephone call to Company.

Company and Receiver are considered to have an existing relationship when either:

- 1. There is a written agreement in place between Company and Receiver for the provision of goods or services (e.g., Receiver has an insurance policy with Company); or
- 2. Receiver has purchased goods or services from Company within the past two years.

A TEL Entry may not be used by a Company when there is no existing relationship between Company and Receiver, and Company has initiated the telephone call.