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# CPC NOTICE OF CHANGES 1809

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# The following classification changes will be effected by this Notice of Changes:

Action	<u>Subclass</u>	Group(s)
SCHEME:		
Symbols Deleted:	E05Y	2800/264
Warnings Deleted:	E05Y	2201/22, 2201/221
	E05Y	2400/36, 2400/37, 2400/447, 2400/502, 2400/528, 2400/54, 2400/80, 2400/818, 2400/85, 2400/8505, 2400/851, 2400/8515
	E05Y	2600/56, 2600/58
	E05Y	2800/26, 2800/264, 2800/268, 2800/269, 2800/404, 2800/41, 2800/414, 2800/426, 2800/428, 2800/676, 2800/678, 2800/682, 2800/683

No other subclasses/groups are impacted by this Notice of Changes.

This Notice of Changes includes the following [Check the ones included]:

1. CLA	. CLASSIFICATION SCHEME CHANGES			
	$\boxtimes$	A. New, Modified or Deleted Group(s)		
	$\boxtimes$	B. New, Modified or Deleted Warning(s)		
		C. New, Modified or Deleted Note(s)		
		D. New, Modified or Deleted Guidance Heading(s)		
2. DEF	FINIT	TONS		
		A. New or Modified Definitions (Full definition template)		
		B. Modified or Deleted Definitions (Definitions Quick Fix)		
3. 🗌	REV	VISION CONCORDANCE LIST (RCL)		
4. 🛛	CHA	ANGES TO THE CPC-TO-IPC CONCORDANCE LIST (CICL)		
5. 🗌	CHA	ANGES TO THE CROSS-REFERENCE LIST (CRL)		

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#### 1. CLASSIFICATION SCHEME CHANGES

#### A. New, Modified or Deleted Group(s)

SUBCLASS E05Y - INDEXING SCHEME ASSOCIATED WITH SUBCLASSES E05D AND E05F, RELATING TO CONSTRUCTION ELEMENTS; ELECTRIC CONTROL, POWER SUPPLY, POWER SIGNAL OR TRANSMISSION, USER INTERFACES; MOUNTING OR COUPLING; DETAILS, ACCESSORIES, AUXILIARY OPERATIONS NOT OTHERWISE PROVIDED FOR; APPLICATION THEREOF

Type*	<u>Symbol</u>		Title "CPC only" text should normally be	Transferred to#
		(e.g. 0, 1, 2)	enclosed in {curly brackets}**	
D	E05Y2800/264	2	compact	<no transfer=""></no>

<sup>\*</sup>N = new entries where reclassification into entries is involved; C = entries with modified file scope where reclassification of documents from the entries is involved; Q = new entries which are firstly populated with documents via administrative transfers from deleted (D) entries. Afterwards, the transferred documents into the Q entry will either stay or be moved to more appropriate entries, as determined by intellectual reclassification; T = existing entries with enlarged file scope, which receive documents from C or D entries, e.g. when a limiting reference is removed from the entry title; M = entries with no change to the file scope (no reclassification); D = deleted entries; F = frozen entries will be deleted once reclassification of documents from the entries is completed; U = entries that are unchanged.

#### NOTES:

- \*\*No {curly brackets} are used for titles in CPC only <u>subclasses</u>, e.g. C12Y, A23Y; 2000 series symbol titles of groups found at the end of schemes (orthogonal codes); or the Y section titles. The {curly brackets} <u>are</u> used for 2000 series symbol titles found interspersed throughout the main trunk schemes (breakdown codes).
- U groups: it is obligatory to display the required "anchor" symbol (U group), i.e. the entry immediately preceding a new group or an array of new groups to be created (in case new groups are not clearly subgroups of C-type groups). Always include the symbol, indent level and title of the U group in the table above.
- All entry types should be included in the scheme changes table above for better understanding of the overall scheme change picture. Symbol, indent level, and title are required for all types.
- "Transferred to" column <u>must</u> be completed for all C, D, F, and Q type entries. F groups will be deleted once reclassification is completed.
- When multiple symbols are included in the "Transferred to" column, avoid using ranges of symbols in order to be as precise as possible.
- For administrative transfer of documents, the following text should be used: "<administrative transfer to XX>", "<administrative transfer to XX and YY simultaneously>", or "<administrative transfer to XX, YY, ...and ZZ simultaneously>" when administrative transfer of the same documents is to more than one place.
- Administrative transfer to main trunk groups is assumed to be the source allocation type, unless otherwise indicated.
- Administrative transfer to 2000/Y series groups is assumed to be "additional information".
- If needed, instructions for allocation type should be indicated within the angle brackets using the abbreviations "ADD" or "INV": <administrative transfer to XX ADD>, <administrative transfer to XX INV>, or <administrative transfer to XX ADD, YY INV, ... and ZZ ADD simultaneously>.
- In certain situations, the "D" entries of 2000-series or Y-series groups may not require a destination ("Transferred to") symbol, however it is required to specify "<no transfer>" in the "Transferred to" column for such cases.
- For finalization projects, the deleted "F" symbols should have <no transfer> in the "Transferred to" column.
- For more details about the types of scheme change, see CPC Guide.

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## B. New, Modified or Deleted Warning notice(s)

SUBCLASS E05Y - INDEXING SCHEME ASSOCIATED WITH SUBCLASSES E05D AND E05F, RELATING TO CONSTRUCTION ELEMENTS; ELECTRIC CONTROL, POWER SUPPLY, POWER SIGNAL OR TRANSMISSION, USER INTERFACES; MOUNTING OR COUPLING; DETAILS, ACCESSORIES, AUXILIARY OPERATIONS NOT OTHERWISE PROVIDED FOR; APPLICATION THEREOF

Type*	Location	Old Warning notice	New/Modified Warning
D	E05Y 2201/22	Group E05Y 2201/22 is impacted by reclassification into group E05Y 2201/221. Groups E05Y 2201/22 and E05Y 2201/221 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire Warning.
D	E05Y 2201/221	Group E05Y 2201/221 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group E05Y 2201/22. Groups E05Y 2201/22 and E05Y 2201/221 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	
D	E05Y 2400/36	Group E05Y 2400/36 is impacted by reclassification into group E05Y 2400/37. Groups E05Y 2400/36 and E05Y 2400/37 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	Delete the entire Warning.
D	E05Y 2400/37	Group E05Y 2400/37 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group E05Y 2400/36. Groups E05Y 2400/36 and E05Y 2400/37 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire Warning.
D	E05Y 2400/447	Group E05Y 2400/447 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group E05Y 2800/428. Groups E05Y 2800/428 and E05Y 2400/447 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	
D	E05Y 2400/502	Group E05Y 2400/502 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group E05Y 2800/404. Groups E05Y 2800/404 and E05Y 2400/502 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	
D	E05Y 2400/528	Group E05Y 2400/528 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group E05Y 2800/414. Groups E05Y 2800/414 and E05Y 2400/528 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	5
D	E05Y 2400/54	Group E05Y 2400/54 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group E05Y 2800/41. Groups E05Y 2800/41 and E05Y 2400/54 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire Warning.

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D	E05Y 2400/80	Group E05Y 2400/80 is impacted by reclassification into groups E05Y 2400/8505, E05Y 2400/851 and E05Y 2400/8515. All	Delete the entire Warning.
		groups listed in this Warning should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	
D	E05Y 2400/818	Group E05Y 2400/818 is impacted by reclassification into group E05Y 2600/58. Groups E05Y 2400/818 and E05Y 2600/58 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	Delete the entire Warning.
D	E05Y 2400/85	Group E05Y 2400/85 is impacted by reclassification into groups E05Y 2400/8505, E05Y 2400/851 and E05Y 2400/8515. All groups listed in this Warning should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	
D	E05Y 2400/8505	2800/426. All groups listed in this Warning should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	
D	E05Y 2400/851	Group E05Y 2400/851 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from groups E05Y 2400/80 and E05Y 2400/85. Groups E05Y 2400/80, E05Y 2400/85 and E05Y 2400/851 should be considered in order to perform a complete sea	<u>Delete</u> the entire Warning.
D	E05Y 2400/8515	Group E05Y 2400/8515 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from groups E05Y 2400/80 and E05Y 2400/85. Groups E05Y 2400/80, E05Y 2400/85 and E05Y 2400/8515 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	Delete the entire Warning.
D	E05Y 2600/56	Group E05Y 2600/56 is impacted by reclassification into group E05Y 2600/58. Groups E05Y 2600/56 and E05Y 2600/58 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire Warning.
D	E05Y 2600/58	Group E05Y 2600/58 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from groups E05Y 2400/818 and E05Y 2600/56. Groups E05Y 2400/818, E05Y 2600/56 and E05Y 2600/58 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire Warning.
D	E05Y 2800/26	Groups E05Y 2800/26, E05Y 2800/30 and E05Y 2800/31 are incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group E05Y 2800/264. All groups listed in this Warning should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire Warning.

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D	E05Y 2800/264	Group E05Y 2800/264 is no longer used for the classification of documents as of May 1, 2024. The content of this group is being reclassified into groups E05Y 2800/26, E05Y 2800/269, E05Y 2800/30 and E05Y 2800/31. All groups listed in this Warning should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	
D	E05Y 2800/268	Group E05Y 2800/268 is impacted by reclassification into group E05Y 2800/269. Groups E05Y 2800/268 and E05Y 2800/269 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire Warning.
D	E05Y 2800/269	Group E05Y 2800/269 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from groups E05Y 2800/264 and E05Y 2800/268. Groups E05Y 2800/264, E05Y 2800/268 and E05Y 2800/269 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	
D	E05Y 2800/404	Group E05Y 2800/404 is impacted by reclassification into group E05Y 2400/502. Groups E05Y 2800/404 and E05Y 2400/502 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire Warning.
D	E05Y 2800/41	Group E05Y 2800/41 is impacted by reclassification into group E05Y 2400/54. Groups E05Y 2800/41 and E05Y 2400/54 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire Warning.
D	E05Y 2800/414	Group E05Y 2800/414 is impacted by reclassification into group E05Y 2400/528. Groups E05Y 2800/414 and E05Y 2400/528 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire Warning.
D	E05Y 2800/426	Group E05Y 2800/426 is impacted by reclassification into group E05Y 2400/8505. Groups E05Y 2800/426 and E05Y 2400/8505 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire Warning.
D	E05Y 2800/428	Group E05Y 2800/428 is impacted by reclassification into group E05Y 2400/447. Groups E05Y 2800/428 and E05Y 2400/447 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire Warning.
D	E05Y 2800/676	Group E05Y 2800/676 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group E05Y 2800/682. Group E05Y 2800/676 is also impacted by reclassification into group E05Y 2800/683. Groups E05Y 2800/682, E05Y 2800/676 and E05Y 2800/683 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire Warning.

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D	E05Y 2800/678	Group E05Y 2800/678 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group E05Y 2800/682. Group E05Y 2800/678 is also impacted by reclassification into group E05Y 2800/683. Groups E05Y 2800/682, E05Y 2800/678 and E05Y 2800/683 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	
D	E05Y 2800/682	Group E05Y 2800/682 is impacted by reclassification into groups E05Y 2800/676, E05Y 2800/678 and E05Y 2800/683. All groups listed in this Warning should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire Warning.
D	E05Y 2800/683	Group E05Y 2800/683 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from groups E05Y 2800/676, E05Y 2800/678 and E05Y 2800/682. All groups listed in this Warning should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire Warning.

<sup>\*</sup>N = new warning, M = modified warning, D = deleted warning

NOTE: The "Location" column only requires the symbol PRIOR to the location of the warning. No further directions such as "before" or "after" are required.

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#### 4. CHANGES TO THE CPC-TO-IPC CONCORDANCE LIST (CICL)

CPC	<u>IPC</u>	Action*
E05Y 2800/264		DELETE

#### \*Action column:

- For an (N) or (Q) entry, provide an IPC symbol and complete the Action column with "NEW."
- For an existing CPC main trunk entry or indexing entry where the existing IPC symbol needs to be changed, provide an updated IPC symbol and complete the Action column with "UPDATED."
- For a (D) CPC entry or indexing entry complete the Action column with "DELETE." IPC symbol does not need to be included in the IPC column.
- For an (N) 2000 series CPC entry which is positioned within the main trunk scheme (breakdown code) provide an IPC symbol and complete the action column with "NEW".
- For an (N) 2000 series CPC entry positioned at the end of the CPC scheme (orthogonal code), with no IPC equivalent, complete the IPC column with "CPCONLY" and complete the action column with "NEW".

#### NOTES:

- F symbols are <u>not</u> included in the CICL table above.
- T and M symbols are not included in the CICL table above unless a change to the existing IPC is desired.