

STEP Project October 1st, 2021 Checklist:

Southern Star is going live with New Nominations in the CSI system for gas day 10/1/2021. We want to give you a quick checklist to make sure you are ready for the new process.

#	QUESTION	ANS	VER
1	Have you verified that any nominations that span beyond October 1,2021 have been re-entered in the new screens?	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>
2	Flat File Uploads Have you copied the new Flat File Upload format to use for nominations that begin on October 1?	<u>YES</u>	NO
3	Report Subscription – Have you reviewed your Report Subscription and Report Parameters?	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>
4	Training – Have you attended or watched training on the new screens and procedures?	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>
5	Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) testing. Have you consulted Southern Star regarding your current EDI procedures and communication links utilizing the new screens?	<u>YES</u>	NO
6	Have you verified your Auto Renomination Option in the system for your Customer(s)?	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>

QUESTION 1 YES:

Great job, you are ahead of the pack!

QUESTION 1 NO:

The new nominations process will not carry over nominations from the old screens to the new screens. They must be re-entered. Any nominations that span beyond 10/1 on the old screens will be deleted before we go live on October 1.

In the CSI system you can view existing nominations that span past 10/1/2021 on the current Nomination screens ("Nominations -Pre 10/1")?

You can then create a new nomination's record for 10/1/2021 forward on the new screen ("Nominations – 10-1 Forward"). If you need any assistance, please contact your customer service representative as soon as possible.

QUESTION 2 YES:

That's why everyone knows that you are a rock star customer.

QUESTION 2 NO:

The new Flat File Upload option on the navigation pane that is labeled Nominations – 10-1 Forward has a template with the new flat file format. But that's not all! You can now Export the nominations from the Nomination screen, make your modifications, and use the Flat File Upload option to upload your changes! Look on the flat File Upload screen for tutorials on using the new format.

If I don't use Flat File Upload, display:

You can now Export the nominations from the Nomination screen into Excel, make your modifications, and use the Flat File Upload option to upload your changes! Look on the flat File Upload screen for tutorials on using the new format.

QUESTION 3 YES:

Great, you are ready to roll. You can update your report subscriptions and parameters at any time by going here: <u>Reports Reference List</u>

- a. <u>Report Subscriptions</u>
- b. <u>Report Subscription Tutorial</u>

QUESTION 3 NO:

Some reports are changing to new versions as of October 1. Some reports will have changes in their preset Report Parameters. Please review the reports list and make sure you continue to get the reports you depend on.

Check here: <u>Reports Reference List</u>

- c. <u>Report Subscriptions</u>
- d. <u>Report Subscription Tutorial</u>

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QUESTION 4:

All of our training materials can be accessed through the

Commercial Service Resource Library

- i. Sample of Available Training Videos:
 - 1. Confirmation Instructions
 - 2. <u>Creating Storage Nominations</u>
 - 3. Imbalance Payback and Authorized Overrun Nominations
 - 4. Interpreting Balance Box Data
 - 5. Park and Loan Nominations
 - 6. Understanding PNT Ranks
 - 7. The Pathed Non-Threaded Scheduling Model
 - 8. <u>08 and 01 Transaction Types</u>

QUESTION 5 YES:

Thank you for helping us get the job done!

QUESTION 5 NO:

Please contact us as soon as possible to test the new EDI formats required with the new nominations process. You may contact:

Contacts:

- ii. Ed Carter: Edwin.Carter@southernstar.com
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If I don't use EDI, display:

If you are interested in using EDI, you may contact us to set up and test the process. Please contact us:

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- i. Ed Carter: Edwin.Carter@southernstar.com
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QUESTION 6 YES:

Thank you for checking and verifying your options!

QUESTION 6 NO:

With the conversion over to the new PNT (Path Non-Threaded) model coming up soon, Southern Star will no longer be offering the auto renomination (auto-renom) feature for individual contracts. Your auto-renom selection must be set to Yes or No at a Customer level. You will need to have nomination privileges in order to edit the choices for your company. Customers that have not changed their election prior to 9/30/2021 will be defaulted to a No Auto-Renom or Manual Renom selection. We are also changing how our CPR cuts are treated. If you receive a CPR cut after we move to PNT 10/01/2021 the system will automatically renominate if that is the choice you have selected for all contracts. This is currently done manually.

INSTRUCTIONS

From the Auto Renom Election Screen under Pre 10/1 Nominations place an end date at the contract level and submit.

Search Auto Renomination							
Cust	tomer ID:	515	3 - Southern Star			Active On Date:	8/19/202
Auto	Renomination S	election - Custom	er Level (All Cont	racts)		1	
	Customer Id	Begin Date	End Date	Last Modified By	Last Modified Date		
	5153						
Auto	Renomination S	election - Contrac	t Level (Selected	Contracts)			
	Contract	Begin Date	End Date	Last Modified By	Last Modified Date		
►	TA-09997	8/19/2021	8/20/2021	stranathan_k	8/18/2021 1:57:00.117 PM		
	SU-09999						
Submit Auto Renomination Selection Undo Changes Delete Auto Renomination Selection							
Updated Auto Renomination Info Successfuly							

Then from the same screen, place a begin date at the Customer level and submit. You should be able to use the same date as your end date for contracts.

Sear	Search Auto Renomination						
Cus	tomer ID:	5153	3 - Southern Star			Active On Date:	8/20/2021
Auto Renomination Selection - Customer Level (All Contracts)							
	Customer Id	Begin Date	End Date	Last Modified By	Last Modified Date		
	5153	08/20/2021					
Aut	o Renomination S	election - Contrac	t Level (Selected C	Contracts)			
	Contract	Begin Date	End Date	Last Modified By	Last Modified Date		
	TA-09997						
	SU-09999						
Sut	Submit Auto Renomination Selection Undo Changes (Delete Auto Renomination Selection)						

If you have any questions or need some help making these changes, please contact a Scheduling Representative for assistance.

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Please contact one of the following schedulers for any questions or assistance:

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