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REGISTRATION AND TITLE SYSTEM

INTRODUCTION TO:

RTS VERSION 5.8.1

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Introduction to RTS Version 5.8.1

I. OVERVIEW

This implementation includes Registration and Title System (RTS) programming changes to accommodate the transition to Price Digests, the new provider for Standard Presumptive Value (SPV). In addition, you will be provided detailed information regarding the functional and procedural changes related to the following:

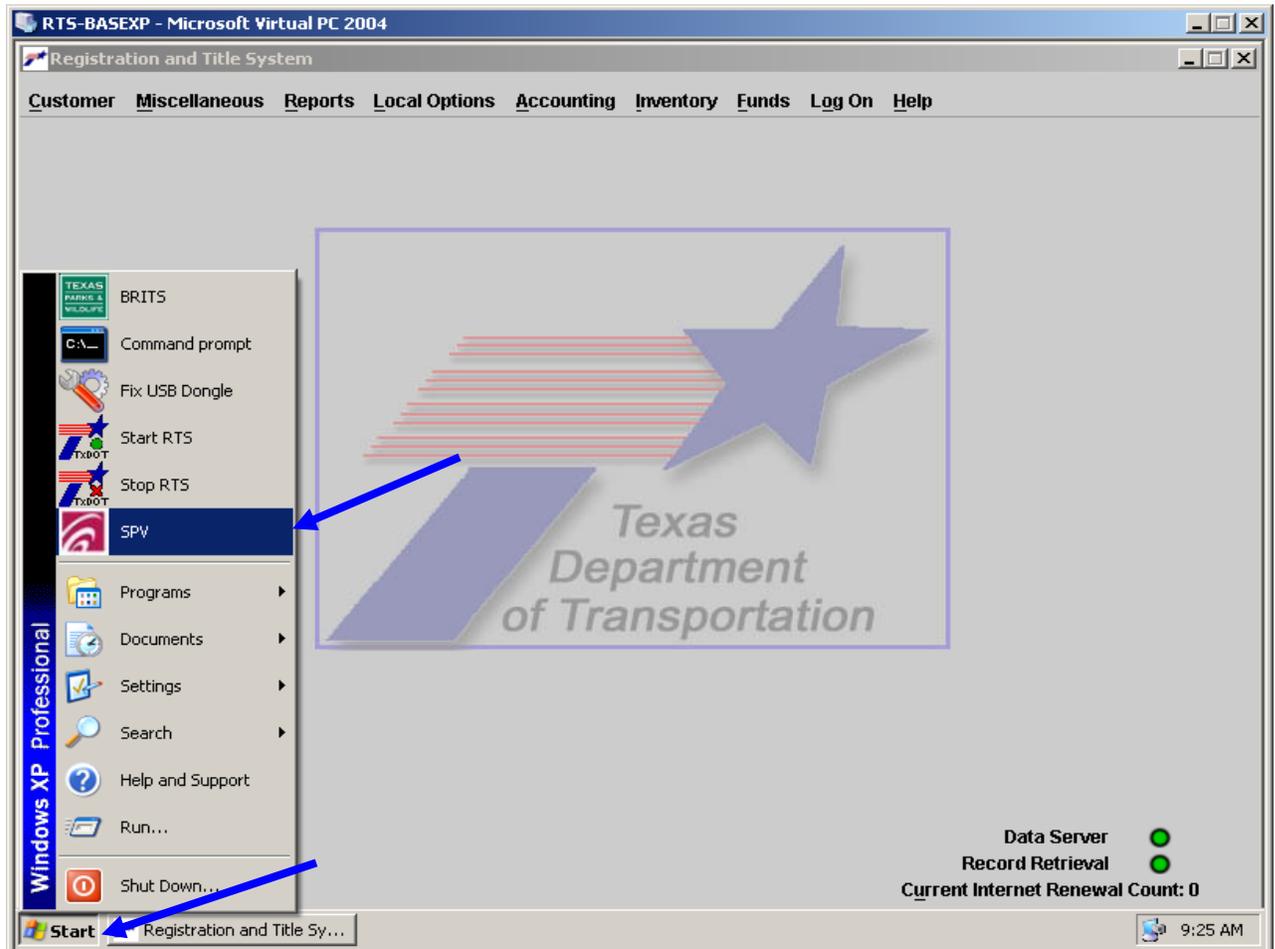
- SPV (New Provider)
- Collection of \$5 Buyer Tag Fee
- Several Fixes and Activity Changes

II. STANDARD PRESUMPTIVE VALUE (NEW PROVIDER)

Price Digests has been selected as the new provider of SPV information for used motor vehicles in private-party sales.

When processing a title application in RTS:

- There will be no change in how you inquire or in what you presently see returned as SPV.
- When accessing SPV in Client Mode, the SPV icon displayed on the START menu will appear as **SPV** instead of BBDL TEXAS.



- The user enters the VIN and Mileage then clicks on **Search** to initiate the SPV vehicle value lookup. To verify additional SPV vehicle values click on **Clear**. To exit Click on **File** then **Exit** or click on the 'X' in the upper right hand corner.

Price Digest - Basic Values

File

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by VIN

Please enter the VIN and mileage for your vehicle and then click on the Decode button to initiate the value lookup.

VIN

Mileage

Search

80% of PPTV	Year	Make	Model

Clear

Note: SPV Phase 2 will expand functionality to include providing SPV information on vehicles in additional registration classes.

III. THE COLLECTION OF THE \$5 BUYER TAG FEE

Programming changes have been made to accommodate the collection of the \$5 Buyer Tag Fee. Beginning September 1st all motor vehicle dealers will be required to start collecting the \$5 Buyer Tag fee. **The collection of this fee only applies to vehicles sold on or after September 1, 2008.**

When processing a title application in RTS:

- **In-State Title Transactions** - Entry of the Dealer License Number in the RTS *Title Application* event is necessary to ensure the proper collection of the \$5 Buyer Tag fee. For transactions processed by dealers using Dealer Title Application (DTA) software, the fee will be included in the total fee on the DTA diskette.

Owner Entry TTL007

Owner Name: Owner Id:
THOMAS WILSON

Renewal Recipient Name: (If different)

Owner Address: USA
200 NORTH ISLAND
AUSTIN TX 78705 -

Renewal Notice Address: (If different)

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Previous Owner:
JENNIFER HANKS
JACKSONVILL FL

Vehicle Location Address: (If different)

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Check to record lien(s):
 Record Lien(s)

Special Plate Information

County Of Residence:
Dealer License No: **Enter** **Cancel** **Help**
Unit No:

Note: The Buyer Tag checkbox will automatically be selected if a Dealer License Number is entered or if it is a DTA transaction.

Title Additional Info TTL008

Check if applicable:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge Title Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> Special Examination Needed	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Diesel
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge Title TERP Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> Mail-In Transaction	<input type="checkbox"/> Flood Damage
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge Registration Transfer Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> Charge Add'l Token Trailer Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> Reconstructed
<input type="checkbox"/> Charge Regis Emission Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> Verified Heavy Vehicle Use Tax	<input type="checkbox"/> Add'l Evidence Surrendered
<input type="checkbox"/> Survivorship Rights	<input type="checkbox"/> VIN Certification Waived	<input type="checkbox"/> Government Owned
<input type="checkbox"/> Plate Transfer Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> DOT Proof Required	<input type="checkbox"/> Exempt
<input type="checkbox"/> New Plates Desired	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Buyer Tag	

Select rebuilt salvage choice:

<input checked="" type="radio"/> Not Rebuilt	<input type="radio"/> Rebuilt Salvage - Loss Unknown
<input type="radio"/> Rebuilt Salvage - 75-94% Loss	<input type="radio"/> Rebuilt Salvage - 95% Plus Loss
<input type="radio"/> Rebuilt Salvage - Issued By	State/Country: <input type="text"/>

Select privacy act option:

<input type="radio"/> None
<input type="radio"/> Individual
<input type="radio"/> Commercial
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Both

Enter if apprehended:

Apprehended Funds County No:

Enter Cancel Help

Select tire type:

<input checked="" type="radio"/> Pneumatic
<input type="radio"/> Solid

Note: Even if the Buyer Tag checkbox is checked a \$5 Buyer Tag Fee will not be charged for transactions with a Date of Assignment / Sales Tax Date prior to 09/01/2008.

The **No Buyer Tag Fee** message will only appear when the Date of Assignment/ Sale Tax Date is prior to September 1, 2008.

The new message will not be visible until September 1, 2008.

No Buyer Tag Fee

 Buyer Tag Fee will not be charged. The Date of Assignment/Sales Tax Date is before 09/01/2008.

OK

- Out-of-State/Country Title Transactions** – Motor vehicle dealers must submit collections for Buyer Tags issued for vehicles sold out-of-state or out-of-country. The Buyer Tag fees for these transactions must be collected through the RTS *Additional Collections* event. For the collection of a single transaction you will select the fee description of **Buyers Tag** and enter the **Buyers Tag “Specific Number” and Customer Name** as the reason. For the collection of multiple transactions you will select the fee description of **Buyers Tag**, enter the **quantity being collected for, the total price** and the **Dealer Name** as the reason.

Additional Collections/Time Lag ACC001

County Name: GREGG

County No: 92

Select Fee Description

BUYERS TAG

Qty: 1

Total Price: \$

Fee Descriptions	Qty	Total
BUYERS TAG	1	5.00

Total: \$ 5.00

Reason: 56C1846/JANE WILSON

Enter Cancel Help

- **Removal of the Buyer Tag Fee** – In the rare event that a Buyer Tag was not issued for a vehicle the fee can be removed by removing the check in the Buyer Tag checkbox on the *Title Additional Info* (TTL008) Screen.

Title Additional Info TTL008

Check if applicable:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge Title Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> Special Examination Needed	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Diesel
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge Title TERP Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> Mail-In Transaction	<input type="checkbox"/> Flood Damage
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge Registration Transfer Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> Charge Add'l Token Trailer Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> Reconstructed
<input type="checkbox"/> Charge Regis Emission Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> Verified Heavy Vehicle Use Tax	<input type="checkbox"/> Add'l Evidence Surrendered
<input type="checkbox"/> Survivorship Rights	<input type="checkbox"/> VIN Certification Waived	<input type="checkbox"/> Government Owned
<input type="checkbox"/> Plate Transfer Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> DOT Proof Required	<input type="checkbox"/> Exempt
<input type="checkbox"/> New Plates Desired	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer Tag	

Select rebuilt salvage choice:

Not Rebuilt
 Rebuilt Salvage - Loss Unknown
 Rebuilt Salvage - 75-94% Loss
 Rebuilt Salvage - 95% Plus Loss
 Rebuilt Salvage - Issued By
 State/Country:

Select privacy act option:

None
 Individual
 Commercial
 Both

Enter if apprehended:

Apprehended Funds County No:

Select tire type:

Pneumatic
 Solid

Enter Cancel Help

A Supervisor Code will be required if the Buyer Tag checkbox is deselected.

Supervisor Override CTL004

Reason(s):
Modified Buyer Tag Selection

Enter supervisor code:

Enter Cancel Help

IV. VERSION 5.8.1 ACTIVITY CHANGES FOR COUNTIES

PRIMARY EVENT SELECTION	SECONDARY EVENT SELECTION	ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION	STATUS
<u>Registration Only</u>	Renewal	Problem: When renewing a Special Plate that is unlinked to the vehicle record, the system hangs at the registration screen (REG003).	Fix completed: Registration Renewal will no longer hang on a renewal of an unlinked Special Plate.
<u>FUNDS</u>	Funds Balance Reports	Problem: When running funds balance reports and selecting all workstations you get the message "Data Server is Down" when any of the selected cash drawers had not closed since last Substation Summary.	Fix completed: