# **Converge Program Update**

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### **Overview**

Critical Readiness Activities	Overall Status
Data Readiness	On Track
Payroll Office Readiness	On Track
Security	On Track
Service Readiness (e.g., People, Process, Platform)	On Track
Participant Communications	On Track



### **Data Readiness**

# Test Load Data Progress

- Test Load 4 started 2/25 as planned
- Test Load 4 will prove-out data analysis and correction processes installed as a result of Test Load 3
- Test Load 4 will confirm and identify additional process and system efficiencies required to minimize production conversion timing

# Highlights & Key Outcomes

- FRTIB's transmission of test load 4 data matched our expectations
- Continuing to analyze and simulate our conversion processes to gain efficiencies where possible



## **Payroll Office Readiness**

#### Interconnection Security Agreements (ISAs)



- 56% of ISAs have been signed and fully executed as of 3/15
- Target date for completing all ISAs is by the end of April

#### Secure Connection Testing



- Secure connection testing activities are in-progress
- 100% of Secure Connections established and "Hello World" testing is complete
- Data Testing is now underway in parallel with Phase 2 Agency Training

#### Memorandum of Understanding / Credentialing



- Memorandums of Understanding (MOU) documents have been signed for all 92 original Payroll Offices
- Agencies added after November are pending MOUs; targeting end of March for completion



# Payroll Office Readiness (cont.) / Security

#### Credentialing



- 100% of identified Agency authorizers have been ID verified
- > 96% of Authorizers and 92% of Agency users have been credentialed

#### Training



- Computer-based training has been completed by 74% of Agency users
- Agency Phase 2 (Hands-On) Training is underway in parallel with Data Testing efforts
  - ✓ Target to complete all Phase 2 training is 5/20

#### Security



Authority to Operate was granted on 2/28



#### **Service Readiness**

#### User Acceptance Testing

User Acceptance Testing execution, results presentation, and remediations presentation were complete as of the end of February. Any remaining defects and enhancements have been prioritized for completion between mid-March and early-May.

#### Performance Assessment

The program has initiated the Performance Assessment phase, which represents a period of time prior to golive that will be used to test end-to-end process. This activity will be used to confirm overall readiness.



### **Participant Communications**

#### Campaign 1 Progress

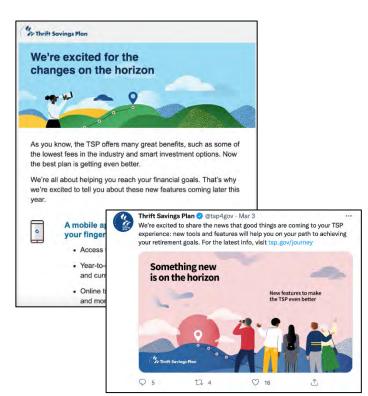
- Additional "Get Excited" messaging has been distributed including 2 additional e-mails and social media posts
  - Two additional campaigns are planned: Get Ready (mid-March) and It's Here (upon Go-Live)
- A "Communications Toolkit" containing approved copy and visuals will be distributed to FRTIB Partner Agencies/Services (HR/payroll representatives) to use to communicate with participants and beneficiaries in their networks

#### Transition / Blackout Notice

A notice will be sent to all participants and beneficiaries in mid-April regarding upcoming service changes and planned downtime leading up to Go-Live

#### Go-Live Contingency Communications

Contingency communications scenario planning and asset development is in progress



The second participant communications email and first tweet for Campaign 1 (Get Excited) to TSP Participants.



# **Converge Delivery Milestones**

	Program Governance Model Created	12/11/20	UAT Executed	12/31/21
	Approve and establish governance model for RKSA transition.		Execution of User Acceptance Testing, not including findings or reme	ediations.
	Transition Planning Complete	02/26/21	Recordkeeping Data Conversion Round 3	02/03/22
<b>~</b>	Finalize planning activities, including initial meetings, standup of PMO, establishing transition governance.	and	Initial data conversion of non-anonymized system data in preparation live.	for go-
	Recordkeeping Data Conversion Round I	06/30/21	ATO Granted	02/28/22
<b>~</b>	Initial data conversion test including partial data and additional anonymets to validate functionality.	nized data	FRTIB validates compliance with H.27 and grants ATO for Accenture	2.
	Recordkeeping Data Conversion Round 2	09/30/21	Business Continuity Exercise	04/08/22
~	Secondary data conversion test featuring anonymized data sets for the scope of RKSA.	e full	Validation of business continuity exercises outlining FRTIB operation including physical recovery, communications, and alternate logistics.	s
	System Test Complete	11/30/21	Recordkeeping Data Conversion Round 4	04/15/22
~	Final validation of the data conversion round two success and technical for data conversion round three (Completed 2/25/22).	al approval	Final data conversion of non-anonymized system data in preparation live.	for go-
	ATO Submitted	11/30/21	Performance Targets Achieved	05/13/22
<b>~</b>	ATO submission by Accenture for FRTIB approval.		Validation final configuration of Converge meets the pre-agreed upor performance targets prior to go-live.	า
	Go-Live		Mid-2022 Complete	_
	Operational go-live for Converge including delivery of all promised features.			

Thrift Savings Plan

Missed

# **Questions?**

