EmpowHR 14-2, Pay Period 06 Release Notes

Effective Pay Period 06, 2014 (March 23, 2014), changes will be implemented in *EmpowHR*. A high-level summary of the changes is reflected in the table below. The detailed documentation of these changes can be found in the *EmpowHR* procedure manual. To view the procedure, go to the *NFC Home Page* (*http://www.nfc.usda.gov*) and click the *Publications* tab. Then on the left-hand Quick Picks menu, click *Procedures by Acronym*, and search alphabetically for *EmpowHR*.

The summary table references the project numbers, project titles, and a brief description of the changes.

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Project Number/ Incident Number	Project Title	Description of the Change
320177	Position Search Enhancements	The Position Search pages in <i>EmpowHR</i> that use the Z_PAR_POS_SRCH and Z_STAFF_POSN_S views will be updated to display the Advanced Search page instead of the Basic Search page.
634702	OPM New NOAC 354-Death in Line of Duty	The Office of Personnel Management (OPM) provided an update (Update 64) to the Guide to Personnel Processing Actions (GPPA). The update provides a new Nature of Action Code (NOAC) 354, Death in the Line of Duty, and guidance on documenting the use of the new NOAC - a death of a civilian employee in the carrying out of job duties.