## CAPSS Release Notes: December 2016

As we come to the end of this year, CAPSS has undergone several waves of enhancements. The CAPSS team is continuously working with law enforcement, secondhand dealers & pawnbrokers, vendors and system software clients to make CAPSS a fully automated, user friendly electronic reporting system that meets the legislative mandate for reporting.

The <u>next</u> proposed release will include enhancements for more efficient processing but will <u>not</u> require any system program changes. This release will include changes to facilitate the user experience when submitting data, searching and error handling. The release is tentatively scheduled for mid January 2017. Below are the identified changes:

## **Next Planned Release:**

- Multi-Store error processing fix
- Bulk file upload error message display
- Display break-down statistics at transaction and item levels for bulk uploads via API
- Allow Multi-Store Admin to manage Multi-Store Subscribers
- Provide Submission Search with informative bulk upload statistics to LEA and Store users
- LEA search and stolen/pawn match notification enhancements
- Broadcast on-demand system messages to all CAPSS users

## **Important Note:**

For the bulk upload submissions, please note that after January 31, 2017, CAPSS will no longer accept the old XML file versions.

## Additional Information:

For those stores that would like to test in a non- production environment, the CAPSS Sandbox will be available upon request. Contact the CAPSS unit at <a href="mailto:CAPSS@doj.ca.gov">CAPSS@doj.ca.gov</a> to request the Sandbox availability at least 24 hours in advance.

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