

Late Cost Transfer Enforcement Program Department Process

Follow these steps for all PAYROLL and NON-PAYROLL expenditure transfers that meet the following criteria:

- Processed over 120 days after posting of original charges
 - Results in a new charge (debit) to a Federal or Federal Flow-thru fund, OR to a competing project in the same fund (new competitive cycle, same fund)
1. Submit the [Late Cost Transfer Policy Exception Request Form](#) to the Compliance Unit, Controller's Office, Box 0897, by the 15th of each month.
 - The requestor must ensure their request includes the required explanation and supporting documentation as detailed on the form.
 - The Compliance Unit will notify the requestor of the request status via email and will attach the **Late Cost Transfer Policy Exception Request Form** to the email.
 2. For approved payroll expense transfers (PETS):
 - Complete the PET.
 - Attach the approved **Late Cost Transfer Policy Exception Request Form** to the PET.
 - Submit the PET and approved form to the Compliance Unit, Controller's Office, Box 0897.
 3. For approved non-payroll cost transfers:
 - Prepare the 545 Online Journal in PeopleSoft.
 - Attach the approved **Late Cost Transfer Policy Exception Request Form** to the journal.
 - Submit the journal.
 - You must only use Source Code 545 for all cost transfers. Attempts to circumvent can lead to revocation of access rights to the PeopleSoft Journal process.
 - When a 545 Cost Transfer Journal for federal or federal flow-thru funds is processed that contains at least one line item that is beyond 120 days of its original posting, the system will display a warning message to the preparer and approver that the journal entry is not in compliance.
 - The journal will be routed to the Compliance Unit and Controller for approval. If the cost transfer has **NOT** been pre-approved, the journal will be denied.