

SUBJECT: STIJ – Tax Intercept from Joint Return (Reminder)

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This FYI is a reminder that the IRS offset for joint returns is held in suspense under the STIJ-Tax Intercept from Joint Return Reject Code until the following conditions have been met:

- 180 days have passed.
- The injured spouse has signed a sworn statement waiving the rights to the intercept; or
- Notification is received indicating that the injured spouse has received their portion of the offset.

The STIJ-Tax Intercept from Joint Return procedure may be found here: Debt/Financial Management>DEBT>Suspense>03. System Assigned Tax Reject Codes>D. STIJ-Tax Intercept from Joint Return.

DCSS colleagues are urged to view this information directly on The PORT and not create a separate personal file.

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