940-940PR BUSINESS RULES FOR TAX YEAR 2014
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Rule Number	Rule Text	Error Category	Severity	Rule Status
EMPL-001	If 'ReturnTypeCd' in the Return Header has the value 940, 940PR, 943, 943PR, 944, or 945, then 'TaxYr' must have a value.	Missing Data	Reject	Active
EMPL-003	If 'OriginatorTypeCd' in the Return Header has the value "ReportingAgent", then 'ReportingAgent94XFilerGrp' must have a value.	Missing Data	Reject	Active
F940-001	If Form 940, Line 1b checkbox 'MultiStateInd' is checked, then Schedule A (Form 940) must be attached to Line 1b.	Missing Document	Reject	Active
F940-002	If Form 940, Line 2 checkbox 'CreditReductionStateInd' is checked, then Schedule A (Form 940) must be attached to Line 2.	Missing Document	Reject	Active
F940-010	Form 940, Line 11 'TotalCreditReductionAmt' must be equal to Schedule A (Form 940), 'TotalCreditReductionAmt'.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
F940-015	If Form 940, Line 1a 'FUTAStateCd' is a Credit Reduction State, then Line 2 checkbox 'CreditReductionStateInd' must also be checked.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
F940-016	If Form 940, Line 1a 'FUTAStateCd' is a Credit Reduction State, then there must be a 'CreditReductionGrp' in Schedule A (Form 940) with the same 'FUTAStateCd'.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
F940-940PR-001	If Form 940/940-PR, Line d checkbox 'FutureFilingNotRequiredInd' is checked, then Line 15 checkbox 'ApplyOverpaymentNextReturnInd' must not be checked.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
F940-940PR-003	If Form 940/940-PR, Line c checkbox 'NoPaymentsToEmployeesInd' is checked, then Line 3 'WagesAmt' must be equal to zero if an amount is entered.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
F940-940PR-004	If Form 940/940-PR, Line 4 'ExemptWagesAmt' has a non-zero value, then at least one of the following checkboxes must be checked: Line 4a 'FringeBenefitsInd' or Line 4b 'GroupTermLifeInsuranceInd or Line 4c 'RetiredPensionInd' or Line 4d 'DependentCareInd' or Line 4e 'OtherInd'.	Missing Data	Reject	Active
F940-940PR-005	If Form 940/940-PR, Line 6 'TotalExemptWagesAmt' has a non-zero value, then it must be equal to the sum of Line 4 'ExemptWagesAmt' and Line 5 'WagesOverLimitAmt'.	Math Error	Reject	Active
F940-940PR-006	If Form 940/940-PR, Line 7 'TotalTaxableWagesAmt' has a non-zero value, then it must be equal to Line 3 'WagesAmt' minus (-) Line 6 'TotalExemptWagesAmt'.	Math Error	Reject	Active
F940-940PR-007	If Form 940/940-PR, Line 8 'FUTATaxBeforeAdjustmentAmt' has a non-zero value, then it must be equal to Line 7 'TotalTaxableWagesAmt' multiplied by .006.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Disabled
F940-940PR-008	If Form 940/940-PR, Line 9 'MaximumCreditAmt' has a non-zero value, then it must be equal to Line 7 'TotalTaxableWagesAmt' multiplied by .054.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Disabled
F940-940PR-009	If Form 940/940-PR, Line 9 'MaximumCreditAmt' has a non-zero value, then Line 10 'FUTAAdjustmentAmt' and Line 11 'TotalCreditReductionAmt' must have a zero value if an amount is entered.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
F940-940PR-011	If Form 940/940-PR, Line 12 'FUTATaxAfterAdjustmentAmt' has a non-zero value, then it must be equal to the sum of the following: Line 8 'FUTATaxBeforeAdjustmentAmt' and Line 9 'MaximumCreditAmt' and Line 10 'FUTAAdjustmentAmt' and Line 11 'TotalCreditReductionAmt'.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
F940-940PR-012	If Form 940/940-PR, Line 12 'FUTATaxAfterAdjustmentAmt' has a value greater than 500, then it must be equal to Line 17 'TotalTaxLiabilityAmt'.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active

F940-940PR-014	If Form 940/940-PR, Line 17 'TotalTaxLiabilityAmt' has a non-zero value, then it must be equal to the sum of the following: Line 16a 'FirstQuarterTaxLiabilityAmt' and Line 16b 'SecondQuarterTaxLiabilityAmt' and Line 16c 'ThirdQuarterTaxLiabilityAmt' and Line 16d 'FourthQuarterTaxLiabilityAmt'.	Math Error	Reject	Active
F940-940PR-018	If Form 940/940PR, Line 17 'TotalTaxLiabilityAmt' has a value greater than 500, then it must be equal to Line 12 'FUTATaxAfterAdjustmentAmt'.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
F940PR-017	If ReturnType is Form 940PR, then Schedule A (Form 940) must not be present in the return.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
FPYMT-071-01	'RequestedPaymentDt' in the IRS Payment Record must not be more than 5 days prior to the received date.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
FPYMT-072-01	If the return is received on or before the due date of the return, then the 'RequestedPaymentDt' in the IRS Payment Record must be on the due date or before the due date.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
FPYMT-074-01	If the return is received after the due date of the return, then the 'RequestedPaymentDt' in the IRS Payment Record must not be later than the date the return was received.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
FPYMT-077	'PaymentAmt' in the IRS Payment Record must not be greater than Form 940/940-PR, Line 14 'BalanceDueAmt'.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
FPYMT-078	'PaymentAmt' in the IRS Payment Record must not be greater than 500.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-003	The return version (attribute 'returnVersion' of the Return element) must be specified for each return in the return header.	Missing Data	Reject and Stop	Active
R0000-004-01	'ReturnTypeCd' (specified in the Return Header) and the return version (specified by the 'returnVersion' attribute of the 'Return' element) of the return must match the return type and the version supported by the Modernized e-File system.	Data Mismatch	Reject and Stop	Active
R0000-007-02	For US Addresses, the first five digits of 'ZipCd' of the Filer's address in the Return Header must be within the valid ranges of zip codes for the corresponding 'StateAbbreviationCd'. See Publication 4164.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-018-01	The eight numeric digits of the PTIN (of the Preparer) following the letter P, must not equal all zeros or all nines in the Return Header.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-019	The number of return documents (forms, schedules, and supporting documents) included in the return must equal the document count specified in the Return Data (documentCount attribute of the ReturnData element of the Return).	Data Mismatch	Reject	Active
R0000-020-01	If the Filer has a US address in the Return Header and 'StateAbbreviationCd' has the value "AA" then the first three digits of the 'ZipCd' must be 340.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-022-01	If the Filer has a US address in the Return Header and 'StateAbbreviationCd' has the value "AE" then the first three digits of the 'ZipCd' must be in the range 090 - 098.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-024-01	If the Filer has a US address in the Return Header and 'StateAbbreviationCd' has the value "AP" then first three digits of the 'ZipCd' must be in the range 962 - 966.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-030-01	In the Return Header, if 'PractitionerPINGrp' is provided, then 'EFIN' in the 'PractitionerPINGrp' must be the same as 'EFIN' in the 'OriginatorGrp'.	Data Mismatch	Reject	Active
R0000-046-01	For US Addresses, the fourth and fifth digit of the 'ZipCd' of the Filer's address in the Return Header cannot both be zeros ("00"), except when the 'ZipCd' is 00800, 20500, 34000, 00600, 96100, 96900.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-051-01	'FederalSubmissionTypeCd' in the IRS Submission Manifest must match 'ReturnTypeCd' indicated in the Return Header.	Data Mismatch	Reject and Stop	Verbiage Change
R0000-052-01	'TaxYr' specified in the IRS Submission Manifest must match 'TaxYr' in the Return Header.	Data Mismatch	Reject and Stop	Verbiage Change
R0000-054-01	The 'EFIN' in the IRS Submission Manifest must match 'EFIN' in the 'OriginatorGrp' in the Return Header.	Data Mismatch	Reject and Stop	Active
R0000-057	Every attached file (i.e. binary attachment) must be referenced by the XML document that represents it.	Missing Data	Reject	Active
R0000-058	An XML document that represents a binary attachment must have a valid reference to an attached file.	Missing Data	Reject	Deleted

R0000-058-01	An XML document that represents a binary attachment must have a valid reference to an attached file.	Missing Data	Reject	New
R0000-060	The EFIN in the Submission ID (the first six digits) must match the EFIN in the Submission Manifest.	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
R0000-067	The attached files (i.e. binary attachments) in a submission zip archive must have distinct names.	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
R0000-075-02	'RoutingTransitNum' (RTN) must conform to the banking industry RTN algorithm.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-079	The TIN present in the IRS Submission Manifest must match the EIN provided in the Return Header.	Data Mismatch	Reject and Stop	Active
R0000-087-02	'PreparerFirmEIN' in the Return Header must not equal all zeros or all nines.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-116-02	If the Filer has a US address in the Return Header and if the value of 'CityNm' is "APO" or "DPO" or "FPO", then 'StateAbbreviationCd' must have the value "AA", "AE" or "AP".	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-117-01	If the Filer has a US address in the Return Header and 'StateAbbreviationCd' has the value "AA", "AE" or "AP" then the 'CityNm' must be "APO" OR "DPO" OR "FPO".	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-120	The IRS Submission type that was filed is not being accepted by Modernized e-File (MeF) at this time. Please check the MeF web page under irs.gov for more information. The submission type filed was <type>.	Unsupported	Reject and Stop	Active
R0000-143	'TaxYr' in the IRS Submission Manifest must have a value.	Missing Data	Reject and Stop	Verbiage Change
R0000-148	'EIN' of the Filer in the Return Header must begin with "00" for submissions transmitted to the Assurance Testing System (ATS).	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-180	'TaxYr' specified in the Submission Manifest must equal the year of the schema version ('YYYY' digits of the attribute 'returnVersion' of the Return) that is being used to file the return.	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Verbiage Change
R0000-181	EIN of the Filer in the Return Header must not equal all zeros or nines.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-183	If 'SignatureOptionCd' has a value in the Return Header, then a binary attachment with Description "8453-EMP Signature Document" must be present in the return.	Missing Document	Reject	Deleted
R0000-183-01	If 'SignatureOptionCd' has a value in the Return Header, then a binary attachment with Description "8453-EMP Signature Document" must be present in the return.	Missing Document	Reject	New
R0000-184	The year of the 'SignatureDt' in the Return Header must be equal to the processing year.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-185	Practitioner PIN in the Return Header must not be equal to all zeros.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-187	Reporting Agent PIN in the Return Header must not be equal to all zeros.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-188	The Reporting Agent PIN in the Return Header must match the data in the e-File database.	Database Validation Error	Reject	Active
R0000-190	'TaxYr' in the Return Header must be less than the year in the Received Date.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-192	Phone Number provided in the return must not be all zeros.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-193	Bank Account Number provided in the return must not be all zeros.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
R0000-194	Return must not be a duplicate of a previously accepted return.	Duplicate Condition	Reject and Stop	Active
R0000-900-01	The return type indicated in the return header must match the return type established with the IRS for the EIN.	Database Validation Error	Reject	Active
R0000-901-01	Filer's EIN and Name Control in the Return Header must match data in the e-File database.	Database Validation Error	Reject	Active
R0000-902-01	Taxpayer TIN in the Return Header must not be the same as a TIN of a previously accepted electronic return for the return type and tax period indicated in the tax return.	Duplicate Condition	Reject and Stop	Active

R0000-903-01	Taxpayer TIN in the Return Header must not be the same as a TIN of a previously accepted paper return for the return type and tax period indicated in the tax return.	Duplicate Condition	Reject and Stop	Active
R0000-904-03	Software ID in the Return Header must have passed testing for the form family and 'TaxYr'.	Database Validation Error	Reject and Stop	Active
R0000-905-01	Electronic Filing Identification Number (EFIN) in the Return Header must be listed in the e-File database and in accepted status.	Database Validation Error	Reject and Stop	Active
R0000-906-02	Routing Transit Number (RTN) included in the return must be present in the e-File database.	Database Validation Error	Reject	Active
SA-F940-001	Schedule A (Form 940), 'TotalCreditReductionAmt' must be equal to the sum of all 'CreditReductionAmt'.	Math Error	Reject	Active
SA-F940-002	Schedule A (Form 940) 'TotalCreditReductionWagesAmt' must not exceed Form 940, 'TotalTaxableWagesAmt' by $499.99 or more.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
SA-F940-003	There can only be one instance of each 'FUTAStateCd' on Schedule A (Form 940).	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
SA-F940-004	If Schedule A (Form 940), 'CreditReductionRt' has a non-zero value, then 'TotalTaxableFUTAWagesAmt' and 'CreditReductionAmt' must also have a non-zero value.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
SA-F940-006	If Schedule A(Form 940), 'FUTAStateCd' is a non-credit reduction state, then the corresponding 'TotalTaxableFUTAWagesAmt', 'CreditReductionRt', and 'CreditReductionAmt' must be equal to zero or must not have an entry.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
SR-F940-001	If Schedule R (Form 940), Line 19c 'TotalTaxableWagesAmt' has a non-zero value, then it must be equal to Form 940/940-PR, Line 7 'TotalTaxableWagesAmt'.	Data Mismatch	Reject	Active
SR-F940-002	If Schedule R (Form 940), Line 19d 'TotalAdjustmentToFUTATaxAmt' has a non-zero value, it must be equal to Form 940/940-PR, [Line 9 'MaximumCreditAmt' or Line 10 'FUTAAdjustmentAmt'].	Data Mismatch	Reject	Active
SR-F940-003	If Schedule R (Form 940) is present in the return, then Form 940/940-PR, Line 11 'TotalCreditReductionAmt' must be equal to Schedule R (Form 940), Line 19e 'TotalCreditReductionAmt'.	Data Mismatch	Reject	Deleted
SR-F940-003-01	If Schedule R (Form 940), Line 19(e) 'TotalCreditReductionAmt' has a non-zero value, then it must be equal to Form 940/940-PR, Line 11 'TotalCreditReductionAmt'.	Data Mismatch	Reject	New
SR-F940-004	If Schedule R (Form 940), Line 19f 'FUTATaxAfterAdjustmentAmt' has a non-zero value, then it must be equal to Form 940/940-PR, Line 12 'FUTATaxAfterAdjustmentAmt'.	Data Mismatch	Reject	Active
SR-F940-005	If Schedule R (Form 940), Line 19g 'TotalTaxDepositAmt' has a non-zero value, then it must be equal to Form 940/940-PR, Line 13 'TotalTaxDepositAmt'.	Data Mismatch	Reject	Active
T0000-013	The Message ID must be globally unique.	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
T0000-014	The Submission ID must be globally unique.	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
T0000-015	The ETIN in the Message ID (the first five digits) must match the ETIN provided with the request.	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
T0000-016	The Message ID must be 20 positions in length and conform to the following format: 12 digits followed by 8 alphanumeric characters (only lower case alphabetic characters allowed).	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
T0000-017	The Submission ID must be 20 characters in length.	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
T0000-900	Transmission cannot be a duplicate of a previously accepted transmission.	Duplicate Condition	Reject and Stop	Active

X0000-005	The XML data has failed schema validation.	XML Error	Reject and Stop	Active
X0000-008	The namespace declarations in the root element of the return ('Return' element) must be as follows:The default namespace shall be set to "http://www.irs.gov/efile" (xmlns= "http://www.irs.gov/efile").The namespace prefix "efile" shall be bound to the namespace "http://www.irs.gov" (xmlns:efile="http://www.irs.gov/efile").	XML Error	Reject and Stop	Active
X0000-009	The SOAP envelope structure in the Transmission file must conform to the SOAP 1.1 specification.	XML Error	Reject and Stop	Active
X0000-010	For each SubmissionID provided in the transmission manifest there must be a submission zip archive entry present in the Attachment Zip file whose name (without the ".zip" extension) matches the SubmissionID.	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
X0000-011	All entries in the submission zip archive (zip file that is the submission) must begin with "manifest/" or "/manifest/" or "xml/" or "/xml/" or "attachment/" or "/attachment/" (all lower case characters).	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
X0000-012	The name of a binary attachment file must be less than or equal to 64 bytes.	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
X0000-015	Each zip entry in the Attachment Zip file must end with ".zip" extension.	Data Mismatch	Reject and Stop	Active
X0000-017	ZIP Entry names in the transmission ZIP archive must be unique.	Duplicate Condition	Reject and Stop	Active
X0000-018	A submission zip archive (zip file that is the submission) must contain exactly one entry that begins with "manifest/" or "/manifest/" and is followed by the file name "manifest.xml". The entry name must use lower case characters ('a' through 'z') only and the separator must be the forward slash character.	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
X0000-019	A submission zip archive (zip file that is the submission) must contain exactly one entry that consists of "xml/" or "/xml/" (all lower case characters) followed by a file name.	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
X0000-020	A submission zip archive (zip file that is the submission) may contain zero or more entries that begin with "attachment/" or "/attachment/" and each is followed by a file name. The entry name must use lower case characters ('a' through 'z') only and the separator must be the forward slash character.	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
X0000-021	The submission zip archive entries (zip files) in the container zip file must be in the root directory of the container zip file.	Missing Data	Reject and Stop	Active
X0000-022	The names of ZIP Entries (files) within the attachments zip file (the container zip file that contains zip files for all submission) must be unique.	Duplicate Condition	Reject	Active
X0000-024	Unable to read a binary attachment in the Submission Zip Archive.	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
X0000-025	Unable to read XML data from the Submission Zip Archive.	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
X0000-026	The count of SubmissionIDs provided in the transmission manifest must match the count of submission zip archive entries in the Attachment Zip file.	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
X0000-027	Year (YYYY) in the SubmissionID must be processing year.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
X0000-028	A single PDF file must not exceed 60MB in size.	Incorrect Data	Reject	Active
X0000-029	A binary attachment submitted in the PDF format must begin with the file header "%PDF-".	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
X0000-030	The size and CRC32 checksum value must be provided for the submission XML file (i.e. xml data file that starts with "xml/" or "/xml/").	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
X0000-031	Zip Entry names must consist of ASCII characters only.	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active

X0000-032	Unable to extract submission Zip Archive from the Message Attachment zip file.	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active
X0000-033	Modernized e-File (MeF) accepts submissions only in the Unicode Transformation Format-8 (UTF-8) format.	Incorrect Data	Reject and Stop	Active