



National Finance Center  
Customer Notification

## BEAR and PINE Processing Cycles

January 30, 2019

Dear Customer:

The Bi-Weekly Examination Analysis and Reporting System (BEAR) process for Pay Period (PP) 01, 2019, has completed and customers can begin retrieving these files. NFC advises agencies to validate all outputs and reports received.

Due to the postponement of pass 2 of the payroll processing schedule to allow agencies additional time to submit time and attendance data for employees, the Personnel Action and Payroll Document Validation System (PINE) process did not run last night.

The first PINE pass of PP02 will run tonight.

**Federal employees with questions concerning this notification should contact their Servicing Personnel Office.** Authorized Agency representatives with questions concerning this notification should contact NFC's Contact Center at either 1-855-632-4468; via email to [NFCcontactcenter@nfc.usda.gov](mailto:NFCcontactcenter@nfc.usda.gov) or via the ServiceNow Customer Service Portal (CSP).