## Sage Pastel Partner Payroll History of Changes 2023 Update 2

Below are the details of the changes made to our latest software release.

## Legislation

- PPP-8135 - A new field is available on Company Parameters to indicate if a company is classified as an Annuity fund.
- PPP-8136 - New directive indicator 3234 has been added to the electronic submission file to indicate if a directive is for a lumpsum or fixed PAYE.
- PPP-8138 - Tax total 3909 is no longer applicable. A new exception has been included to prevent customers from using this tax total.


## Enhancements

- PPP-8137 - Tax totals 3835 and 3622 has been added to all relevant reports.
- PPP-8164 - The reporting of Long Service awards has been amended to apply the R5000 limit.
- SPPP-1564 - The employee filter screen has been extended to accommodate longer employee codes.


## Defects

- PPP-7659 - On the masterfile and masterfile report, 3817 and 3825 will now correctly be included in tax total 4497.
- PPP-8159 - The value for tax total 4587 will now reflect correctly on the masterfile report.
- SPPP-1515 - For mid-year submissions, details of a tax directive will no longer be exported in the electronic submission file if the directive date is in September or later.


## Councils

- PPP-8146 - MIBCO - The limit for the commission calculation has been amended.


## International

- PPP-8151 - Tanzania - The Workers Compensation Fund contribution rate has been reduced.
- PPP-8152 - Sierra Leone - The currency for Sierra Leone has been redenominated.
- PPP-8157 - Mauritius - New tax files are available to comply with the latest tax regulations.
- PPP-8158 - Zimbabwe - New tax files are available to accommodate the amended tax brackets for August 2022 to December 2022.
- PPP-8167 - Zimbabwe - The exception for the tax deduction limit for Pension, Provident, Annuity and/or NSSA total contributions has been amended to round to two decimal places.

