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GENERAL INFORMATION

Transition to NMLS

Companies holding the Maine Bureau of Consumer Credit Protection Restricted Payroll Processor license are required to submit a license transition request through NMLS by filing a Company Form (MU1) and an Individual Form (MU2) for each of their control persons by June 30, 2024. The Restricted Payroll Processor license will be available in NMLS to submit the transition request starting December 1, 2023. The transition to NMLS for this license is required.

Note: If you already have a record in NMLS and have submitted these forms in the past, you do not need to re-enter your company information into NMLS. You will only need to identify the business activities your company conducts and the states in which the various activities are conducted. Then, you will select the appropriate license in Maine, and complete a few state-specific fields.

It is important that current licensees have the appropriate transition number available when completing and submitting their Company Form (MU1), so they are charged the appropriate amount. The transition number to be entered in NMLS is the ME license number that would appear on the printed license. The three-letter prefix should be CAPITALIZED, followed by numbers without any spacing. For example, PRL1234. The transition number must match exactly. If you encounter problems entering the transition number, please contact the Bureau at 207-624-8527.

Any licensee that needs to amend or surrender a license (or execute any other action previously completed in paper form must complete these actions within NMLS from December 1st onward. Paper forms will not be accepted after December 1st.

See Maine law: 10 M.R.S. § 1495 et seq.; 02-030 C.M.R. Ch. 710

Activities Authorized Under This License

Accounting/Billing servicing

Provide consumer finance services with respect to:

- Providing a billing and/or accounting service
- o Preparing and filing state or federal income withholding tax reports

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Preparing and filing state or federal unemployment insurance compensation reports

Document Uploads Guidance

Documents that must be uploaded to the *Document Uploads* section of the Company Form (MU1) in NMLS are indicated in the checklist below. When uploading documents:

- Follow the guidance in Document Upload Descriptions and Examples.
- Only upload documents relevant to the company transition.
- Only upload documents where there is a selectable document category. If inappropriate documents are uploaded that should not be, you will be contacted by your regulator and asked to remove them from NMLS.
- Do not upload the same company documents multiple times. Generally, unless the document is state-specific, if the document has already been uploaded for another state, a new upload is not required unless changes have been made.
- If a document previously uploaded has been revised, delete the old document and replace it with the new document (history of the old document will remain in NMLS).
- For state-specific documents (e.g., Surety Bonds), be sure to indicate the applicable state.

Helpful Resources

- Transitioning an Existing Company License Quick Guide
- <u>Document Upload Descriptions and Examples</u>
- Individual Form (MU2) Filing Quick Guide
- Financial Statements Quick Guide
- Payment Options Quick Guide
- License Status Definitions Quick Guide

Agency Contact Information

Contact Maine Bureau of Consumer Credit Protection licensing staff by phone at 207-624-8527 or send your questions via email to ccp.pfr@maine.gov for additional assistance.

For U.S. Postal Service:

Department of Professional & Financial Regulation Bureau of Consumer Credit Protection 35 State House Station Augusta, Maine 04333

For Overnight Delivery:

Department of Professional & Financial Regulation Bureau of Consumer Credit Protection 76 Northern Avenue Gardiner, Maine 04345

THE APPLICANT/LICENSEE IS FULLY RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE LICENSE FOR WHICH THEY ARE APPLYING. THE AGENCY SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS CONTAINED HEREIN ARE FOR GUIDANCE ONLY TO FACILITATE APPLICATION THROUGH NMLS. SHOULD YOU HAVE QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONSULT LEGAL COUNSEL.

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LICENSE FEES - Fees collected through NMLS are NOT REFUNDABLE OR TRANSFERABLE.		
Complete	ME Restricted Service Payroll Processor License	Submitted via
	ME License/Registration Transition Fee: \$200	NMLS
REQUIREMENTS COMPLETED IN NMLS		
Complete	ME Restricted Service Payroll Processor License	Submitted via
	Submission of Company Form (MU1): Complete and submit the Company Form (MU1) in NMLS. This form serves as the transition request for the license/registration through NMLS.	NMLS
	See the <u>Transitioning an Existing License Quick Guide</u> for instructions on how to submit the transition request.	
	When selecting your license in the Company Form (MU1), you will be asked to enter your existing license number.	
	The transition number to be entered in NMLS is the Maine license number that would appear on the printed license. The three-letter prefix should be CAPITALIZED, followed by numbers without any spacing. For example, PRL1234. The transition number must match exactly. If you encounter problems entering the transition number, please contact the Bureau at 207-624-8527.	
	All current licensees/registrants must transition their license onto NMLS on or before June 30, 2024. If a transitioning company misses this transition deadline, the company should apply as a "new" company rather than a transitioning company.	
	Financial Statements: Upload an unaudited financial statement that should include a balance sheet, income statement, and statement of cash flows. (Audited financials are preferred but not required for transitioning companies.)	NMLS
	Note: Financial statements are uploaded separately under the Filing tab and <i>Financial Statement</i> submenu link. See the <u>Financial Statements Quick Guide</u> for instructions.	

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Note	Surety Bond: No surety bond is required for this license.	N/A
	Control Person (MU2) Attestation: Complete the Individual Form (MU2) in NMLS. This form must be attested to by the applicable control person before it is able to be submitted along with the Company Form (MU1).	NMLS
Note	Qualifying Individual: The Qualifying Individual section is not required to be completed for Maine on the Company Form (MU1).	N/A
	Disclosure Questions: Provide a complete and detailed explanation and document upload for each "Yes" response to Disclosure Questions made by the company or related control persons (MU2). See the Company Disclosure Explanations Quick Guide for instructions.	Upload in NMLS in the Disclosure Explanations section of the Company Form (MU1) or Individual Form (MU2).
Note	Bank Account: Bank account information is not required. The <i>Bank Account</i> section of the Company Form (MU1) can be left blank.	N/A
	Primary Contact Employees: The following individuals must be entered into the Contact Employees section of the Company Form (MU1). 1. Primary Company Contact. 2. Primary Consumer Complaint Contact.	NMLS
	Resident/Registered Agent: The Maine Registered Agent must be listed under the Resident/Registered Agent section of the Company Form (MU1) and must match the information currently on record with Maine Secretary of State.	NMLS
	Other Trade Name: If operating under a name that is different from the licensee's legal name, that name ("Trade Name", "Assumed Name" or "DBA") must be listed under the Other Trade Names section of the Company Form (MU1). Maine does not limit the number of other trade names. If operating under an "Other Trade Name", upload the approval from the Maine Secretary of State proving the other trade name has been registered. This document should be named ME Payroll Processor Trade Name – Assumed Name.	Upload in NMLS: under the Document Type Trade Name/Assumed Name Registration Certificates in the Document Uploads section of the Company Form (MU1).

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REQUIREMENTS/DOCUMENTS UPLOADED IN NMLS		
Complete	ME Restricted Service Payroll Processor License	Submitted via
	Certificate of Authority/Good Standing Certificate: Upload a State-issued and approved document (typically by the Secretary of State's office), dated not more than 60 days prior to the filing of the application through NMLS that demonstrates authorization to do business in ME. This document should be named [[State prefix] Certificate of Authority OR [State prefix] Certificate of Good Standing].	Upload in NMLS: under the Document Type Certificate of Authority/Good Standing Certificate in the Document Uploads section of the Company Form (MU1).
	Client report: The applicant shall provide a report of the number of Maine clients. This report must include the names and addresses of each client.	Upload in NMLS: under the Document Type Additional Requirements in the Document Uploads section of the Company Form (MU1).
	Management Chart: Submit a Management chart displaying the licensee's directors, officers, and managers (individual name and title). Must also identify compliance reporting and internal audit structure. This document should be named [Company Legal Name] Management Chart. Note: If the existing uploaded management chart already includes the above information, an additional document does not need to be uploaded. A company should only upload a single management chart.	Upload in NMLS: under Management Chart in the Document Uploads section of the Company Form (MU1).
	 Organizational Chart/Description: Submit a chart showing (or a description which includes) the percentage of ownership of: Direct Owners (total direct ownership percentage must equate to 100%) Indirect Owners Subsidiaries and Affiliates of the licensee This document should be named [Company Legal Name] Organizational Chart – Description. Note: If the existing uploaded Organizational Chart/Description already includes the above information, an additional document does not need to be uploaded. A company should only upload a single management chart. 	Upload in NMLS: under Organizational Chart/Description in the Document Uploads section of the Company Form (MU1).
	Resident/Registered Agent: The Maine Registered Agent must be listed under the Resident/Registered Agent section of the Company Form (MU1) and must match the information currently on record with Maine Secretary of State.	NMLS

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INDIVIDUAL (MU2) DOCUMENTS UPLOADED IN NMLS		
	Personal Financial Statement: The following individuals, as specified below, on the Company Form (MU1) are required to upload a personal financial statement. Direct Owners: • Any sole proprietor This document should be named ME – Personal Financial Statement.	Upload in NMLS: under the Document Type Personal Financial Statement in the Document Uploads section of the Individual Form (MU2).

REQUIREMENTS SUBMITTED OUTSIDE OF NMLS			
Complete	ME Restricted Service Payroll Processor License	Submitted via	
No items are required to be submitted outside of NMLS for this license/registration at this time.			

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