



RELEASE – REVISION OF EXHIBIT 695 OF RESOURCE BOOK, DCMWC PROCEDURE MANUAL

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EXPLANATION OF MATERIAL TRANSMITTED:

This transmittal updates Exhibit 695 by adding 2026 annual and monthly earnings offset exempt amounts. This information was obtained from the Social Security Administration at:  
<https://www.ssa.gov/oact/cola/rtea.html>.

REMINDER – Public Law 106-182, enacted in April 2000, eliminated the Social Security retirement earnings test in and after the month in which a person attains full retirement age. The addendum to this exhibit provides a table of full retirement ages. Elimination is effective with respect to taxable years ending after December 31, 1999.

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