



# Changes to International Wire Transfers

**Frequently Asked Questions** 

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### Why is Cayman National making this change?

All banks that use the SWIFT global network for sending and receiving wire payment messages are required to amend their systems, to comply with a new global standard. This change is mandatory and enforced by SWIFT.

### Will Online Banking be available during this change?

Yes, for all transactions other than sending an International Wire Transfer.

### What are the mandatory fields?

The mandatory fields are:

- · Beneficiary Name
- Account Number or IBAN
- Town name
- Beneficiary's Country Code
- Routing Type (and associated routing code)
- · Purpose of Payment (selected from the drop down list)
- Beneficiary's comments
- For certain countries an IBAN is required to be entered (see page 4)

### Do I need to enter all address details, even if they aren't applicable?

You do not need to enter all of the address details, only those that are relevant for your transaction. The address details help the Financial Institutions confirm that the funds are going to the correct person.

### What are the Purpose of Payment codes that are required?

There are 110 Purpose of Payment codes that you can use. You can scroll through the list provided on the entry screen which will display the code and description. The list can also be found at the end of these FAQs.

### Where can I add further details around the Purpose of Payment?

These can be entered in the field directly below the Purpose of Payments drop down. These will form part of the details that are sent with your payment instructions.

#### What is an IBAN?

An IBAN is a standardised international numbering system developed to identify overseas bank accounts. It is a 34 alphanumeric code, and comprises of:

- Country code: A two-letter ISO country code that designates the country where the account is held.
- Check digits: These are provided by the issuing financial institution and help verify transaction details.
- Bank identifier: A code identifying the financial institution (and sometimes a specific branch).
- Basic Bank Account Number (BBAN): This alphanumeric code identifies an individual account at a specific financial institution within a country.

N.B. The United States and Canada do not use IBAN but recognise it for processing payments.

### Which countries require an IBAN?

• Austria	<ul> <li>Denmark</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Gibraltar</li> </ul>	• Latvia	<ul> <li>Poland</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Slovenia</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Belgium</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Emirates</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Greece</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Liechtenstein</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Portugal</li> </ul>	• Spain
<ul> <li>Bouvet Island</li> </ul>	• Estonia	<ul> <li>Guadeloupe</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Lithuania</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Réunion</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Svalbard and</li> </ul>
• Bulgaria	<ul> <li>Finland</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Hungary</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Luxembourg</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Romania</li> </ul>	Jan Mayen
• Croatia	<ul> <li>France</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Iceland</li> </ul>	• Malta	<ul> <li>Saint Pierre</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sweden</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Cyprus</li> </ul>	• French Guiana	<ul> <li>Ireland</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Martinique</li> </ul>	and Miquelon	<ul> <li>United Kingdom</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Czech Republic</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Germany</li> </ul>	• Italy	<ul> <li>Netherlands</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Slovakia</li> </ul>	

### Can my payment be processed without an IBAN?

All international wire transfers made to beneficiaries within a country that require an IBAN (e.g. UK) must contain an IBAN. Payments to countries that do not require an IBAN (e.g. USA) can be processed without one.

### Will my templates still work?

Yes, but they will need to be slightly adjusted before you can use them (see below)

### How do I amend my templates?

Templates can be amended in the self-management menu section of the desktop application. If you have existing templates from before this change, they WILL need to be amended to update the account number (if IBAN is required), the address and purpose of payment. All other details will remain.

### Will there be any delays or interruptions in processing times?

No, this change will not negatively affect processing times.

## Will I still be able to access my receipts?

Yes these are still available under 'My Money – Account statement'. The look and feel has changed slightly but the content remains the same.

# What are the Purpose of Payment codes?

**FCOL** Fee Collection

FAND Financial Aid In Case Of

Natural Disaster

ACCT	Account Management	FORW	Forward Foreign Exchange	SCVE	Purchase Sale Of Services
REOD	Account Overdraft Repayment	FUTR	Futures	REBT	Rebate
AREN	Accounts Receivables Entry	GASB	Gas Bill	RINP	Recurring Installment
ADMG	Administrative Management	GIFT	Gift		Payment
ADVA	Advance Payment	GOVI	Government Insurance	REFU	Refund
AIRB	Air	HLTI	Health Insurance	RIMB	Reimbursement
ALMY	Alimony Payment	HLTC	Home Health Care		Of A Previous Erroneous Transaction
ALLW	Allowance	HSPC	Hospital Care	RENT	Rent
ANNI	Annuity	HREC	Housing Related Contribution	RELG	Rental Lease General
BKIP	Bank Loan Accrued	INTX	Income Tax	ROYA	Royalties
	Interest Payment	INSU	Insurance Premium	SALA	Salary Payment
BKFE	Bank Loan Fees	INPC	Insurance Premium Car	SPSP	Salary Pension
BKPP	Bank Loan Principal Paydown	INPR	Insurance Premium Refund	3P3P	Sum Payment
BONU	Bonus Payment	INTE	Interest	SAVG	Savings
BEXP	Business Expenses	ICRF	Intermediate Care Facility	SLOA	Secured Loan
CFEE	Cancellation Fee	INTC	Intra Company Payment	SECU	Securities
CLPR	Car Loan Principal Repayment	IVPT	Invoice Payment	SERV	Service Charges
CDDP	Card Deferred Payment	LICF	License Fee	SSBE	Social Security Benefit
CSDB	Cash Disbursement	LIFI	Life Insurance	STDY	Study
	Cash Management	LIMA	Liquidity Management	SUBS	Subscription
CDCD	Cash Disbursement Cash Settlement	LOAN	Loan	SUPP	Supplier Payment
CACH		LOAR	Loan Repayment	SWFP	Swap Contract
CASH	Cash Management Transfer	LTCF	Long Term Care Facility		Final Payment
CHAR BECH	Charity Payment Child Benefit	MARF	Medical Aid Refund	SWPP	Swap Contract
COLL		MDCS	Medical Services		Partial Payment
	Collection Payment	OTHR	Other	SWPT	Swaption
	Commercial Payment Commission	PENO	Payment Based On	TAXS	Tax Payment
			Enforcement Order	TBIL	Telecommunications Bill
COMP	Compensation Payment	FEES	Payment Of Fees	PHON	Telephone Bill
	Costs	INSC	Payment Of Insurance Claim	CORT	Trade Settlement Payment
CBCR	Credit Card	PTSP	Payment Terms	TREA	Treasury Payment
CCRD	Credit Card Payment	PAYR	Payroll	TRFD	Trust Fund
CRTL	Credit Line	PEFC	Pension Fund Contribution	BENE	Unemployment
DBTC	Debit Collection Payment	PENS	Pension Payment		Disability Benefit
DNTS	Dental Services	PPTI	Property Insurance	UBIL	Utilities
DEPT	Deposit	HLRP	Property Loan Repayment	VIEW	Vision Care
DIVD	Dividend	HLST	Property Loan Settlement	WTER	Water Bill
EDUC	Education	PTXP	Property Tax		
ELEC	Electricity Bill	GDDS	Purchase Sale Of Goods		

**GDSV** Purchase Sale Of

**Goods And Services**