This is Section C of *Employee Maintenance*. Complete Section A before starting this section.

### Section C

Promotion, Demotion, Transfer, Movement	C-2
Manage Hires	C-44

Refer to SEMA4 Help for the most current SEMA4 information. This learning guide may be less current than instructions found in SEMA4 Help.

To request a reasonable accommodation and/or alternative format of this document, contact the Statewide Administrative Systems Help Line at (651) 201-8100 or <u>accessibility.mmb@state.mn.us</u>.

## Introduction

In this topic, you will practice processing promotion, demotion, transfer, and movement appointments in SEMA4.

To process these appointments for an employee who applied in Recruiting Solutions, you use the **Manage Hires** component. To process these appointments for an employee who did *not* apply in Recruiting Solutions, you use the **Job Data** component. Job Data is covered in this topic. Manage Hires will be reviewed in the next topic.

If you *don't* have security clearance to the employee's record, and the appointment *isn't* via Manage Hires, then you process a **department ID change** before entering the appointment.

# Things to Consider Before You Enter Data

### Promotion, Demotion, Transfer, Movement

To save time and improve accuracy, consider these items *before* entering the appointment.

- Refer to the bargaining unit contract or plan regarding language on promotion, demotion, or transfer eligibility, as they may vary.
- Verify the salary information.
- Compare the compensation of the current job with the new job. Identify whether the transaction is a promotion, demotion, transfer, or movement. Review Administrative Procedure 15.6, Transfers/Demotions/Promotions. Check the Glossary in SEMA4 Help.
- For a promotion, verify that the amount of the increase does not exceed the maximum of the range or salary limits in contracts and plans.
- For a movement, for the purpose of determining salary, apply the same formula as for a promotion, demotion or transfer.
- > Check the position record to make sure all of the information is accurate.
- Check the Position Funding.
- Do you have access to the employee's record? Is the appointment via Manage Hires? If both answers are No, then you will process a **department ID change** first.
- > Choose the appropriate Action and Reason. Refer to the check lists in SEMA4 Help.
- > If compensation is off step, be sure the Rate Code is correct.
- Figure out the Eligible For Next Increase date.
- > Add notes for unusual transaction, or if more than three steps are given on promotion.

# Promotion

Use the Promotion action to appoint an employee with permanent or probationary status to a position with permanent or probationary status in a higher job class. The higher job class has a salary range maximum which meets one of the following criteria:

- Is two or more salary steps higher than the maximum of the current job class; or
- Requires an increase of two or more steps to pay the employee at the minimum of the new range.

Some examples of promotions are:

- Competitive Open Appointment
- Agency Competitive Placement

### **Compare Promotion to Movement**

Select Promotion if the employee is moving from a *status* (permanent or probationary) appointment to another *status* appointment.

Select the Movement action if the employee is moving from or to a *non-status* (examples: emergency, temporary, limited) appointment.

## Access SEMA4 Help

First, refer to SEMA4 Help to find out how to process a promotion.

Ac	tion	Result
1.	Sign in to the <b>User Training</b> database, using your training user ID and password.	Main Menu displays
2.	In the navigation header, select <b>Help</b> to access SEMA4 Help.	SEMA4 Help Contents displays
3.	Select Check Lists.	HR & Payroll Check Lists display
4.	Select Promotion.	Promotion – Reason Codes page displays
5.	Competitive Placement (ACP).	A pop-up box displays a hint
	Read the hint.	
6.	Select again.	The hint disappears

Action	Result
<ul> <li>7. Select Agency Competitive Placement (ACP).</li> <li>Read the check list.</li> <li>Notice the reason code, ACP.</li> </ul>	Promotion – Agency Competitive Placement – Check List displays
8. Select Hires: Unlimited Classified Positions Operating Policy and Procedures.	Operating Policy and Procedure page displays
9. Select the Back button on the browser.	Check list displays again
<ul> <li>10. Scroll down. Select WHOA! Better Check Those Critical Fields Before Saving This Transaction. Notice the fields that have required values:</li> <li>Regular/Temporary</li> <li>Classified Indc</li> <li>Empl Class</li> </ul>	A pop-up box displays, listing fields with required values
11. Select the Back button.	Promotion – Reason Codes page displays
12. Agency Competitive Placement is not the only reason code for the Promotion action. Look at some other lightning-quick hints, for descriptions of other reason codes.	Hints display
13. Exit SEMA4 Help.	

# Process a Promotion – Walk-through

In this walk-through, you will process a promotion.

Dana Cooper, a Management Analyst 2, is being promoted to Management Analyst 3. You have security clearance to the job and position records. You have viewed the position record of Dana's new position, and it doesn't require any changes.

The action is **Promotion** because the employee is in permanent or probationary status, and is being appointed to a higher job class, in permanent or probationary status. The higher job class has a salary range maximum which meets one of the following criteria:

- Is two or more salary steps higher than the maximum of the current job class; or
- Requires an increase of two or more steps to pay the employee at the minimum of the new range.

Ac	tion	Result
1.	Sign in to the <b>User Training</b> database, using your training user ID and password.	Main Menu displays
2.	Select SEMA4 > Human Resources > Job > Job Data.	The Job Data search page displays
3.	In the <b>EmpIID</b> field, enter 000667_ (substituting your two-digit code for the blanks) and select <b>Search</b> .	Work Location page displays information for Dana J. Cooper
4.	Be sure that the current or future row you want to copy displays.	For this example, the current row is displayed
5.	To insert a row of information, select the plus sign button.	SEMA4 copies the row you are viewing and inserts today's date in the Effective Date field

The steps for processing a promotion are similar to some of the steps for processing a hire. Abbreviated steps will be shown here. See the *Hire* topic in Section A of the learning guide, or SEMA4 Help, if you need more detail or field definitions. Begin with the **Work Location** page.

C Human Resources			Job			
UQ Welcome to the Administrative Portal, S	Self Study Training User 1. <u>Sign O</u>	ut				
🛅 Job Data	Work Location Job Information	n Job Labor Payroll S	alary Plan Compensation Lea	ave /WOC		
Workforce Job Summary	Cooper,Dana J		Empl ID 00086701			
	Employee		Empl Record 0			
👕 Job Data Statewide	Work Location Details ⑦			là c	λ    4 4 1 of 1 ✔	$\mathbb{P}_{\mathbb{P}_{2}} = \mathbb{P}_{2}$
Department ID Change	*Effective Date	p3/24/2008			Go To Row	+ -
Pay Rate Change	Effective Sequence	0		Promotion ACP Q	×	
Employee Review	HR Status Payroll Status		Reason	Agency Competitiv Primary Job	ve Placement	
FLSA Schedule		00030002 Q			Current	
FLSA Reconciliation Report	Position Number	Override Position Dat	Management Analyst 3 I			
	Position Entry Date	03/24/2008				
	Regulatory Region		United States			
	Company	SMN	State of Minnesota			
	Business Unit	H55MP	Human Srvos-MAPE			
	Department	H55M300 02/07/1998	Financial Management			
	Department Entry Date	H551S	Department of Human Services			
	Establishment ID	H5542 Q,	Department of Human Services	Date Created	0014 40040	
			Department of Human Services	Date created	08/14/2012	
	Expected Job End Date	Ē				
	Job Data	Employment Data		Benefits Pro	gram Participation	

Fie	ld Name	Data
1.	Effective Date	02/03/ this year
	<ul><li>Enter the first day of the promotion.</li><li>If a warning message displays, verify the effective date.</li></ul>	
2.	Action	Promotion
	• Select <b>Promotion</b> .	
3.	Reason	ACP, Agency Competitive Placement
	Select the appropriate reason.	
4.	Position Number	00030002
	• Enter or look up the new position number. Press <b>Tab</b> .	
5.	Position Entry Date	Accept the displayed date
	• This is the date the position number was assigned to the employee.	

Field Name	Data
<ul> <li>6. Establishment ID</li> <li>Use the Look Up page to select a value, or accept the displayed value.</li> </ul>	Accept the displayed value

# Select the Job Information page.

K Human Resources			Job	
UQ Welcome to the Administrative Porta	l, Self Study Training User 1. <u>Sign Ou</u>	<u>t</u>		
👕 Job Data	Work Location Job Information	Job Labor Payroll Sala	ry Plan Compensation Leave /WOC	
Workforce Job Summary	Cooper,Dana J		Empl ID 00086701	
E Seniority Roster Data	Employee		Empl Record 0	
Tob Data Statewide	Job Information Details ⑦		Q Q	4
Department ID Change	Effective Dat	03/24/2008		Go To Row
Pay Rate Change	Effective Sequence		Action Promotion	
Employee Review	HR Statu	Active	Reason Agency Competitive Placeme	ent
FLSA Schedule	Payroll Statu	Active	Job Indicator Primary Job	Current
FLSA Reconciliation Report	Job Co	e 000893 03/24/2008	Management Analyst 3	
	Entry Da	e		
	Supervisor	D		
	Reports	00000001	Dir Agricultural Lab	
	Regular/Tempora	y Unlimited	Full/Part Full-Time	
	Empl Cla	s Probatnry 🗸	*Officer Code Non-Manager	
	Regular Sh	ft Day	Shift Rate	
	Classified In	d Classified	Shift Factor	
	Standard Hours (?)			
	Standard Ho	urs 40.00	Work Period SMN MN Weekly	
		TE 1.000000		
	Contract Number ⑦			
	Contract Num	Q,	Next Contract Number	
	Contract T	pe		

Field Name	Data
1. Entry Date	Accept the displayed date
<ul> <li>Change the job code entry date, if necessary. This is the date the job code was assigned to the employee record.</li> <li>This date affects the employee's class seniority, as defined in collective bargaining unit agreements or compensation plans. <i>Be sure this date is accurate</i>.</li> </ul>	
2. Regular/Temporary	Unlimited
<ul> <li>View for accuracy. Data came from the position record. For Promotion – Agency Competitive Placement, it must be Unlimited or Seasonal.</li> <li>This field affects employee insurance eligibility.</li> </ul>	

Fie	ld Name	Data
3.	<ul><li>Full/Part</li><li>View for accuracy. Data came from the position record.</li><li>This field affects employee insurance eligibility.</li></ul>	Full-Time
4.	<ul> <li>Empl Class</li> <li>For a promotion, you must select Probatnry or Permanent.</li> </ul>	Probatnry
5.	<ul> <li>Officer Code</li> <li>Review the employee's benefit eligibility and select the appropriate value.</li> <li>This field indicates the employee's eligibility for Manager's Income Protection Plan (IPP) and any other insurance benefits associated with being a manager.</li> </ul>	Non-Manager
6.	<ul> <li>Classified Indc</li> <li>Check for accuracy. This data came from the position record. For Promotion – Agency Competitive Placement, it must be Classified</li> </ul>	Classified
7.	<ul> <li>Standard Hours</li> <li>Check for accuracy. This data came from the position record.</li> <li>A change in standard hours can affect insurance eligibility and will change the FTE.</li> </ul>	40.00

Select the **Job Labor** page.

Field Name	Data
1. Bargaining Unit	214
<ul><li>View for accuracy. Data came from the position record.</li><li>This field affects employee insurance eligibility.</li></ul>	
2. Union Code	МАР
<ul> <li>View for accuracy. Data came from the position record.</li> <li>This field affects employee insurance eligibility.</li> </ul>	

# Select the Payroll page.

K Human Resources	Job
UQ Welcome to the Administrative Porta	I, Self Study Training User 1. <u>Sign Out</u>
🔚 Job Data	Work Location         Job Information         Job Labor         Payroll         Salary Plan         Compensation         Leave MQC
Workforce Job Summary	Cooper,Dana J Empl ID 00088701
E Seniority Roster Data	Employee Empl Record 0
🔚 Job Data Statewide	Payroll Information () Q    4 4 Infl V    4
Department ID Change	Effective Date 03;742006 Go To Row
T Pay Rate Change	Effective Sequence 0 Action Promotion
Employee Review	HR Status Active Reason Agency Competitive Placement
FLSA Schedule	Payroll Status Active Job Indicator Primary Job
FLSA Reconciliation Report	
	Payroll for North America 🕐
	Pay Group         P15         Human Services           H
	GL Pay Type FICA Status Subject V GL Combination Code Edit ChartFields
	Job Data Employment Data Benefits Program Participation

Field Name	Data
1. Pay Group	Accept default
• This field is view-only and cannot be changed after the record was created. You can ignore the value displayed.	
2. Holiday Schedule	HOL
<ul> <li>Select the appropriate value. If the employee is not eligible for holidays, select NONE – No Holiday Schedule.</li> </ul>	

Field Name	Data
3. Employee Type	Н
Select hourly or salaried.	
4. Tax Location Code	MN
• Accept the default MN; if the work location is outside of Minnesota, select the correct state.	
5. FICA Status	Subject
Accept the default or select a value.	

# Select the **Salary Plan** page.

K Human Resources			Job	
UQ Welcome to the Administrative Port	al, Self Study Training User 1. <u>Sign Out</u>			
🔚 Job Data	Work Location Job Information	Job Labor Payroll Salary Plan Co	ompensation Leave /WOC	
Workforce Job Summary	Cooper,Dana J	Empl II	D 00088701	
Seniority Roster Data	Employee	Empl Record	rd 0	
Job Data Statewide	Salary Plan Details ③		N	Q    4 4 1of1 v > >
Department ID Change	Effective Date	03/24/2008	L3	Go To Row
Pay Rate Change	Effective Sequence	0	Action Promotion	
Employee Review	HR Status	Active	Reason Agency Competiti	ve Placement
FLSA Schedule	Payroll Status	Active	Job Indicator Primary Job	Current
FLSA Reconciliation Report	Salary Admin Plan	14G General Professionals 12 Steps		-
	Grade	10 14-G 2 Q	Grade Entry Date 03/24/2008 03/24/2008	
	11 Step	Includes Wage Progression Rule	Step Entry Date	
	Job Data En	mployment Data	Benefit	Program Participation

Field Name	Data
1. Grade Entry Date	Accept default
Accept the displayed value.	
2. Step	2
• If the compensation is on step, select the appropriate step for the promotion. Press the <b>Tab</b> button.	
3. Step Entry Date	Accept the displayed date
• Verify the date the employee entered this step.	

Select the **Compensation** page.

Fie	ld Name	Data
1.	Rate Code	ONSTEP
	<ul> <li>If you entered a step on the Salary Plan page, you will see rate code ONSTEP.</li> <li>If you did not enter a step on the Salary Plan page, select the appropriate rate code. Off step rate codes are defined in the <i>Off Step Rate Codes – Reference</i>.</li> <li>Commissioners Plan and Managers Plan employees are always off-step; their promotional increases are based on a percent, not steps.</li> </ul>	
2.	<ul> <li>Comp Rate</li> <li>Verify the amount is correct. Rate code and comp rate filled in based on the step on the Salary Plan page.</li> </ul>	For this example, accept the displayed rate
3.	Select Calculate Compensation.	The employee's total compensation rate displays
4.	Compensation Rate (displayed below the Payroll Status field)	For this example, accept the displayed rate
	• Verify the employee's total compensation rate.	

# Select the Leave/WOC page.

K Human Resources		Job
UQ Welcome to the Administrative Portal,	Self Study Training User 1. Sign Out	
Job Data	Work Location Job Information Job Labor Payroll Salary F	Ian Compensation Leave /WOC
Workforce Job Summary	Cooper,Dana J Employee	Empl ID 00066701 Empl Record 0
Seniority Roster Data	Job Option / Leave / WOC	Q   4 4 Toft V > >
Job Data Statewide	-	Go To Brow
Department ID Change	Effective Date 03/24/2008 Effective Sequence 0	Action Promotion
Pay Rate Change	HR Status Active	Reason Code Agency Competitive Placement
Employee Review	Payroll Status Active	Job Indicator Primary Job
FLSA Schedule	Option Code:	Salary Authority: MAP Q MAPE
FLSA Reconciliation Report	Special Program: None	Leave Authority: PE5 Q MAPE - FT/PT Leave Eligible
	Work Out of Class Requires WOC Rate Code on Compensat	ion
	WOC Job Code SetID:	Salary Admin Plan:
	Jobcode:	Grade:
	Appointment End Date:	Step:
	Job Data Employment Data	Benefits Program Participation

Field Name	Data
<ol> <li>Special Program         <ul> <li>Leave it blank or select a value.</li> <li>If the employee is appointed as a workers' compensation-related placement, select Workers' Compensation. If the employee is filling an essential position, select Essential. Do not select Not Available; this is for historical rows only.</li> </ul> </li> </ol>	None
<ul> <li>2. Salary Authority</li> <li>Select the appropriate value.</li> <li>Data does <i>not</i> fill in from the position record. You have to review this field whenever you enter a position number, and change it if necessary.</li> </ul>	МАР
<ul> <li>3. Leave Authority</li> <li>Use the Lookup page to select the appropriate value.</li> <li>This is the set of rules governing an employee's eligibility for leave calculation, accrual, and usage.</li> </ul>	MAPE - FT/PT Leave Eligible

Select the **Employment Data** component link.

C Human Resources			Job	
UQ Welcome to the Administrative Portal,	Self Study Training User 1. Si	<u>gn Out</u>		
🔚 Job Data	Employment Information	Additional Employment Info		
Workforce Job Summary	Cooper, Dana J		Empl ID 00086701	
E Seniority Roster Data	Employee		Empl Record 0	
Tob Data Statewide	Organizational Instance (	D		
T Department ID Change	Organizational I		Original Start Date 02/07/1998	Override
📔 Pay Rate Change		st Start Date 02/07/1996	First Start Date 02/07/1996	
Employee Review				
FLSA Schedule	Organizational Assignme	nt Data 🕐		
FLSA Reconciliation Report	Instance Record			
	Home/Host Cl	assification Home	Years Mo	onths Days
	Company Se	niority Date 02/07/1998		5 5
		ervice Date 02/07/1996 111	✓ Override 25 e	3 5
	Pro Anniversary/Progre	Dation Date	Last Verification Dat	
		siness Title Management Analyst		2
	USA			
	Owns 5% (or More) of Com	pany		
	Appointment E	End Date	Contract Length	Not Applicable
	Accrue Tenure Services		FTE for Tenure Accrual	÷
	Service Calculatio	n Group Q	FTE for Flex Service Accrual	¢
	Job Data	Employment Data		Benefits Program Participation

The Employment Information page displays.

Field	Name	Data
1. F	Probation Date	08/03/ this year
•	<ul> <li>If the Empl Class is Probationary, enter the date the probation ends.</li> </ul>	
2. <i>F</i>	Anniversary/Progression Date	02/03/ this year
	enter the effective date of this transaction.	
3. L	ast Verification Date	Leave blank
•	• Complete this field if your agency tracks this data. This is the most recent date the employee verified personal data.	

Field Name	Data
4. Appointment End Date	Leave blank
• If applicable, enter the date that corresponds to the last day the employee will be on the job. The appointment end date, which pertains to the employee's job, must be the same as, or prior to, the Not To Exceed Date on the position record.	

# Select the Additional Employment Info page.

<b>〈 Human Resources</b>	Job
UQ Welcome to the Administrative Por	tal, Self Study Training User 1. <u>Sign Out</u>
📄 Job Data	Employment Information Additional Employment Info
Workforce Job Summary	Cooper,Dana J Employee Empl ID 00088701 Empl Record 0
📔 Seniority Roster Data	Agency Use Date: Barg Unit Seniority Date: Seniority Tie Breaker:
📄 Job Data Statewide	Agency Seriority Date: 02/07/1998 III Layoff Expiration Date: Employee Works at Home?:
E Department ID Change	Eligible for Next Increase: 03/23/2000 III Layoff Notice Date: III Security clearance Type: 0 Q
T Pay Rate Change	Email Address: dana.cooper@state.mn.us
Employee Review	Work Phones         Q         I         I         I         View All
FLSA Schedule	Phone Type: Main Business 🗸
FLSA Reconciliation Report	Telephone: 851/555-9901 Extension: 0
	Job Data Employment Data Benefits Program Participation

Field Name	Data
1. Agency Use Date	Leave blank
<ul> <li>Enter a date if it applies to the specific purpose set forth by your agency's policy.</li> </ul>	
2. Barg Unit Seniority Date	Leave blank
<ul> <li>Enter the date the employee enters the bargaining unit. If the employee's contract has no provision for bargaining unit seniority, leave it blank.</li> </ul>	

Fie	eld Name	Data
3.	<ul> <li>Agency Seniority Date</li> <li>Enter the date the employee started continuous employment with the current agency (example: Department of Human Services).</li> <li>Use this field to track agency length of service as defined in collective bargaining agreements and salary plans. This field displays on the Seniority Roster Report (HP6370).</li> </ul>	Accept displayed date
4.	<ul> <li>Eligible for Next Increase</li> <li>Enter the date the employee is eligible for an increase.</li> <li>Check the contract or plan.</li> <li>If you leave this field blank, the employee may not appear on the Salary Increase/Probation End Date Report (HP6150).</li> </ul>	02/03/ next year
5.	<ul> <li>Security Clearance Type</li> <li>For most employee's, select 0 (Not Required).</li> <li>Select 2 (Secret) only if there is a legal or business reason to exclude the employee's public data from view. Use this value when the employee's employment with the state must be excluded from public knowledge.</li> </ul>	0
6.	<ul> <li>Email Address</li> <li>Enter or verify the employee's email address at work. The insurance unit uses email to contact employees.</li> </ul>	dana.cooper@state.mn.us
7.	<ul><li>Phone Type</li><li>Select the phone type.</li></ul>	Main Business
8.	<ul><li>Telephone</li><li>Check the telephone number and change it if necessary.</li></ul>	651/555-9901

Select the **Benefits Program Participation** link.

The Benefit Program Participation page displays.	The	Benefit	Program	Participation	page	displays.
--	-----	---------	---------	---------------	------	-----------

K Human Resources	Job	
UQ Welcome to the Administrative Portal,	Self Study Training User 1. <u>Sign Out</u>	
🔚 Job Data	Benefit Program Participation	
Workforce Job Summary	Cooper,Dana J Empl ID 00086701	
E Seniority Roster Data	Employee Empl Record 0	
🔚 Job Data Statewide	Benefit Status 🕐 Q     (	
E Department ID Change	Benefit Record Number D Go To Row	
Pay Rate Change	Effective Date 03/24/2008	
Employee Review	Effective Sequence 0 Action Promotion	
FLSA Schedule	Payroll Status Active Job Indicator Primary Job	
ELSA Reconciliation Report	Benefits System       Benefits Administration       Benefits Employee Status       Active         Annual Benefits Base Rate       45000.000       JUSO         Benefits Administration Eligibility @       Spec Elig       MF12       Astate 12/12-Full ER Controtion         Bas Group ID       Spec Elig       MF12       Astate 12/12-Full ER Controtion         Satary Authority       MA       MNAssoc of Professional Empl       Barg Unit 21/4         Retirement Code       MSRS       SEGUP       Q         Benefits State       STATE       Suppl Ret       Q         Benefit Program Participation Details @       Q       Idd 101 >> Idd 101 >	
	Effective Date 0207/1996 Currency Code USD Benefit Program MN1 Mn Benefit Program 1	
	Job Data Employment Data Benefits Program Participation	

Field Name	Data
1. Annual Benefits Base Rate	Leave unchanged
<ul> <li>Accept the default. SEMA4 automatically updates this field for all agencies except Minnesota State. Minnesota State users should review the field, and change the value in SCUPPS if it is incorrect.</li> <li>This field affects employee insurance eligibility.</li> </ul>	
2. Salary Authority	Leave unchanged
<ul><li>Check for accuracy.</li><li>This field affects employee insurance eligibility.</li></ul>	
3. Retirement Code	АА
<ul> <li>Select the appropriate retirement plan code.</li> <li>This field affects employee insurance eligibility.</li> </ul>	

Fie	ld Name	Data
4.	Benefits	STATE
	<ul> <li>Accept STATE, or most employees. COUNTY applies to certain employees participating in their county benefits program.</li> </ul>	
	• This field affects employee insurance eligibility.	
5.	Special Elig	MF12
	<ul> <li>Select the appropriate code. Refer to the <i>Special</i> <i>Eligibility Codes – Reference</i> in SEMA4 Help.</li> <li>This field affects employee insurance eligibility.</li> </ul>	
6.	Effective Date and Benefit Program in the Benefits Program	Leave unchanged
	Participation group box	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
	<ul> <li>The information in these fields is maintained by central benefits staff and is updated nightly by a batch job.</li> </ul>	

Action	Result
<ul> <li>Select Save.</li> <li>If a warning displays, read the message and select OK.</li> </ul>	<i>Saved</i> displays briefly in the upper-right corner
<ul> <li>2. Job Data Notepad (button that looks like a notebook)</li> <li>For this walk-through, no notes are needed.</li> <li>Use Job Data Notepad to enter special notes when entering an unusual transaction, or when the reason code Other is used.</li> </ul>	Leave blank
<ul> <li>3. Create or modify a work schedule for the new appointment.</li> <li>For this walk-through, do not create or modify a work schedule.</li> </ul>	

# SEMA4 Tips

### Promotion, Demotion, Transfer, Movement

When processing a promotion, demotion, transfer, or movement, use the following tips to check your work.

- ✓ Be sure the Reason is correct.
- ✓ Make sure the row you added has a Position Number different from the previous row.
- ✓ Make sure the Empl Class is probationary or permanent.
- Commissioners Plan and Managers Plan employees must be off-step; their promotional increases are based on a percent, not steps.
- ✓ Be sure the salary information is entered correctly.
- ✓ Be sure the proper Probation Date is entered.
- ✓ If the transaction is a promotion for salary purposes, enter the effective date in the Anniversary/Progression Date field. This is where you record the date of the last hire, rehire, or promotion for salary purposes.
- ✓ Check that the Eligible for Next Increase date is accurate.
- ✓ Be sure the work Email Address and Telephone are up-to-date.
- ✓ Check the Special Elig code.
- ✓ After you save, enter notes if it is an unusual transaction, or if the employee is given more than three steps on promotion.
- ✓ If necessary, check the Leave Accrual Date.

## **Process a Promotion – Exercise**

In this exercise, you will process a promotion, using Reason code COM.

#### Resources

You may use these resources in completing this exercise:

- The step-by-step instructions and screen prints in the walk-through
- SEMA4 Help

### Directions

You are filling an Information Technology Spec 1 position by promoting Mary Gardner, an Accounting Technician in permanent status. You have security clearance to the job record and position record. You have viewed the position record of Mary's new position, and it doesn't require any changes.

In the **User Training** database, use the following information to process the promotion. *Hint*: SEMA4 > Human Resources > Job > Job Data.

K Human Resources			Job			
UQ Welcome to the Administrative Portal, Self Study Training User 1. <u>Sign Out</u>						
📄 Job Data	Work Location	n Job Labor Payroll	alary Plan Compensation	Leave /WQC		
Workforce Job Summary			Empl ID 00631101			
Seniority Roster Data	Gardner,Mary Employee		Empl Record 0			
🔁 Job Data Statewide	Work Location Details ③				Q    4	• • •
E Department ID Change	*Effective Date	þ7/14/2008		4	Go To Row	+ -
📄 Pay Rate Change	Effective Sequence	0	*Act		~	
Employee Review	HR Status Payroll Status	Inactive Retired	Rea: *Job Indica	Retire without ER	Contribution 🗸	
FLSA Schedule					Current	
FLSA Reconciliation Report	Position Number	00000333 Q Override Position Dat	Information Technology Spec 1 a			
	Position Entry Date	04/07/2008				
	Regulatory Region	Position Management Record USA	United States			
	Company	SMN	State of Minnesota			
	Business Unit	G24MP	DOER-MAPE			
	Department	G241000 04/07/2008	H/R Administration			
	Department Entry Date					
	Location	G24SP Q	Employee Relations			
	Establishment ID		Employee Relations	Date Created	08/27/2012	
			Termination Date 07/13	3/2008		
	Expected Job End Date	Ē	Override Last Date Worked			
	Last Date Worked	07/13/2008				
	Job Data	Employment Data		Benefits Pro	ogram Participation	

Field Name	Data
Employee ID	006311 (substituting your two-digit code for the blanks)
Plus sign button	Select button to add a row

Field Name	Data
Effective Date	01/03/ this year
Action	Promotion
Reason	COM, Competitive Open Appt
Position Number	00000333 and press the <b>Tab</b> button
Position Entry Date	Accept the displayed date
Establishment ID	Accept the displayed value
Regular/Temporary (view-only)	Unlimited
Full/Part (view-only)	Full-Time
Empl Class	Probatnry
Officer Code	Non-Manager
Classified Indc (view only)	Classified
Standard Hours (view-only)	40.00
Bargaining Unit (view only)	214
Union Code (view only)	MAP
Pay Group (view-only)	(ignore displayed data)
Holiday Schedule	HOL
Employee Type	Н
Tax Location Code	MN
FICA Status	Subject
Grade Entry Date	Accept default
Step	6 and press the <b>Tab</b> button
Step Entry Date	Accept the displayed date
Rate Code	ONSTEP
Comp Rate	For this example, accept the displayed rate

Field Name	Data
Calculate Compensation	Select button
Compensation Rate (view-only)	For this example, accept the displayed rate
Special Program	None
Salary Authority	МАР
Leave Authority	MAPE Emp Eligible for Leave
Probation Date	07/03/ this year
Anniversary/Progression Date	01/03/ this year
Last Verification Date	Leave blank
Appointment End Date	Leave blank
Barg Unit Seniority Date	Leave blank
Agency Seniority Date	Accept displayed date
Eligible for Next Increase	01/03/ next year
Security Clearance Type	0
Email Address	mary.gardner@state.mn.us
Work Phone Type	Main Business
Telephone	651/555-9876
Salary Authority	Leave unchanged
Retirement Code	AA
Benefits	STATE
Special Elig	MF12
	Refer to the <i>Special Eligibility Codes</i> – <i>Reference</i>

Ac	tion	Result
1.	<ul> <li>Select Save.</li> <li>If warning messages display, select OK.</li> <li>If a system-required field has been left empty or entered incorrectly, complete or fix the field and save again.</li> </ul>	Saved displays briefly in the upper-right corner
2.	For this exercise, you will not create or modify a work schedule.	

# Demotion

Select the Demotion action when an employee with permanent or probationary status is appointed to a lower job class, with permanent or probationary status. The new job class has a maximum salary that is two or more salary steps below the maximum of the current job class.

### **Compare Demotion to Movement**

Select Demotion if the employee is moving from a *status* (permanent or probationary) appointment to another *status* appointment.

Select the Movement action if the employee is moving from or to a *non-status* (examples: emergency, temporary, limited) appointment.

# Access SEMA4 Help

First, refer to SEMA4 Help to find out how to process a demotion.

Ac	tion	Result
1.	Access SEMA4 Help.	SEMA4 Help Contents displays
2.	Select Check Lists.	HR & Payroll Check Lists display
3.	Select <b>Demotion</b> .	Demotion – Reason Codes page displays
4.	<ul><li>Scroll down. Select the lightning bolt button next to Voluntary Demotion (VOL).</li><li>Read the hint.</li></ul>	A pop-up box displays a hint
5.	Select again.	The hint disappears
6.	<ul> <li>Select Voluntary Demotion (VOL).</li> <li>Read the check list.</li> <li>Notice the reason code, VOL.</li> </ul>	Demotion – Voluntary Demotion – Check List displays
7.	Scroll down to the bottom.	

Action		Result
8.	<ul> <li>Select WHOA! Better Check Those Critical Fields</li> <li>Before This Transaction.</li> <li>Notice the fields that have required values:</li> <li>Regular/Temporary</li> <li>Classified Indc</li> <li>Empl Class</li> </ul>	A pop-up box displays, listing fields with required values
9.	Exit SEMA4 Help.	

## **Process a Demotion – Exercise**

In this exercise, you will process a demotion.

### Resources

You may use these resources in completing this exercise:

- The step-by-step instructions and screen prints in the Promotion walk-through
- SEMA4 Help

## Directions

Andrea Jones, hired as a Management Analyst 2, is being voluntarily demoted to Management Analyst 1 at another location. The position is classified and unlimited. You have security clearance to the job and position records. You have viewed the position record of the new position, and it doesn't require any changes.

The action is **Demotion** because an employee with permanent or probationary status is being appointed to a lower job class, in permanent or probationary status. The new job class has a maximum salary that is two or more salary steps below the maximum of the current job class.

In the **User Training** database, use the following information to process the demotion. *Hint*: Select SEMA > Human Resources > Job > Job Data.

K Human Resources	Job
UQ Welcome to the Administrative Ports	al, Self Study Training User 1. <u>Sign Out</u>
📄 Job Data	Work Location         Job Labor         Payroll         Salary Plan         Compensation         Leave MQC
Workforce Job Summary	Jones,Andrea C Empl ID 00088601
E Seniority Roster Data	Employee Empl Record 0
Job Data Statewide	Work Location Details () Q
Department ID Change	*Effective Date D4212008 TH
Pay Rate Change	Effective Sequence 0 *Action Demotion  VOL Q
Employee Review	HR Status Active Reason VOL 4 Voluntary Demotion
FLSA Schedule	Current
FLSA Reconciliation Report	Position Number 00030004 Q Management Analyst 1 Override Position Data
	Position Entry Date 04/21/2008 0000000000000000000000000000000000
	Regulatory Region USA United States
	Company SMN State of Minnesota
	Business Unit H55MP Human Srics-MAPE
	Department H54201 Support Services 04/21/2008 ETT Department Entry Date
	Location H55TC 8th Ave Owatonna
	Establishment ID Hote2 Q Department of Human Services Date Created 08/14/2012
	Expected Job End Date
	Job Data Employment Data Benefits Program Participation

Field Name	Data
Employee ID	000666 (substituting your two-digit code for the blanks)
Plus sign button	Select button to add a row
Effective Date	03/04/ this year
Action	Demotion
Reason	VOL, Voluntary Demotion
Position Number	00030004 and press the <b>Tab</b> button
Position Entry Date	Accept the displayed date
Establishment ID	Accept the displayed value
Regular/Temporary (view-only)	Unlimited
Full/Part (view-only)	Full-Time
Empl Class	Probationary
Officer Code	Non-Manager

Field Name	Data
Classified Indc (view-only	Classified
Standard Hours (view-only)	40.00
Bargaining Unit (view-only)	214
Union Code (view-only)	МАР
Pay Group (view-only)	(ignore displayed data)
Holiday Schedule	HOL
Employee Type	Н
Tax Location Code	MN
FICA Status	Subject
Grade Entry Date	Accept default
Step	3 and press the <b>Tab</b> button
Step Entry Date	Accept the displayed date
Rate Code	ONSTEP
Comp Rate	For this example, accept the displayed rate
Calculate Compensation	Select button
Compensation Rate (view-only)	For this example, accept the displayed rate
Special Program	None
Salary Authority	МАР
Leave Authority	MAPE FT/PT Leave Eligible
Probation Date	09/04/ this year
Last Verification Date	Leave blank
Appointment End Date	Leave blank
Barg Unit Seniority Date	Leave blank
Agency Seniority Date	Leave unchanged

Field Name	Data
Eligible for Next Increase	03/04/ next year
Security Clearance Type	0
Email Address	andrea.jones@state.mn.us
Work Phone Type	Main Business
Telephone	507/444-1111
Salary Authority	Leave unchanged
Retirement Code	AA
Benefits	STATE
Special Elig	MF12 Refer to the <i>Special Eligibility Codes –</i> <i>Reference</i>

Action		Result
1.	<ul> <li>Select Save.</li> <li>If warning messages display, select OK.</li> <li>If a system-required field has been left empty or entered incorrectly, complete or fix the field and save again.</li> </ul>	<i>Saved</i> displays briefly in the upper-right corner
2.	For this exercise, you will not create or modify a work schedule.	

# Transfer

Use the Transfer action when an employee in permanent or probationary status is laterally appointed, in permanent or probationary status, to another position in one of the following circumstances:

- The same job class in a different agency or organizational unit; or
- A different job class assigned to the same salary range; or
- A different job class assigned to a salary range which differs by less than two steps at the minimum and maximum; or
- A different job class with a salary range which differs by less than two steps at the maximum but differs by more than two steps at the minimum, if less than a two-step increase is required to pay the employee at the minimum of the new range

A transfer may occur within an agency or organizational unit or between two agencies or organizational units. Reassignment of an employee does not constitute a transfer.

Some examples of reasons for the Transfer action are:

- Agency Transfer Transferring an employee to a different agency, in the same job class
- Class Transfer Transferring an employee to a different job class, in the same agency or a different department or agency

When an employee is transferred from one agency to another, the *receiving* agency processes the transfer.

## **Compare Transfer to Data Change**

If the appointment has the same job code *and* the same agency, process a Data Change rather than a Transfer. Use one of the following Data Change reason codes:

- Position Number Change (PSN)
- Position Number Change Bid (BID)
- Position Number Change Reassignment (RAS)
- Position Number Change Expression of Interest (EOI)

## **Compare Transfer to Movement**

Select the Transfer action if the employee is moving from a *status* (permanent or probationary) appointment to another *status* appointment.

Select the Movement action if the employee is moving from or to a *non-status* (examples: emergency, temporary, limited) appointment.

# Access SEMA4 Help

First, refer to SEMA4 Help to find out how to process a transfer.

۸c	tion	Result
AL		
1.	Access SEMA4 Help.	SEMA4 Help Contents
		displays
2.	Select Check Lists.	HR & Payroll Check Lists
		display
3.	Select Transfer.	Transfer – Reason Codes
		page displays
4.	Scroll down. Select the lightning bolt button next to	A pop-up box displays a hint
	Agency Transfer (ATF).	
	Read the hint.	
5.	Select again.	The hint disappears
6.	Select Agency Transfer (ATF).	Transfer – Agency Transfer –
		Check List displays
	Read the check list.	
	Notice the reason code, ATF.	
	<ul> <li>Use this reason code when an employee is transforming to a position in the same class in</li> </ul>	
	transferring to a position in the same class in another agency.	
	another agency.	
7.	Scroll down to the bottom.	
0	Select WHOA! Better Check Those Critical Fields	A pop-up box displays, listing
0.	Before This Transaction.	fields with required values
	Notice the fields that have required values:	
	Regular/Temporary	
	Classified Indc	
	Empl Class	
9.	Exit SEMA4 Help.	

# **Process a Transfer – Exercise**

In this exercise, you will process a transfer.

### Resources

You may use these resources in completing this exercise:

- The step-by-step instructions and screen prints in the Promotion walk-through
- SEMA4 Help

### Directions

Keith Forest was hired as a Registered Nurse, and has permanent status. He has accepted another Registered Nurse position at a different agency.

You have security clearance to the job and position records. You have viewed the position record for the new position, and it doesn't require any changes.

The action is **Transfer** because the employee has permanent or probationary status, and is being laterally appointed, in permanent or probationary status, to a position which is in the same job class, in a different agency or organizational unit.

In the **User Training** database, use the following information to process the transfer. *Hint*: Select SEMA4 > Human Resources > Job > Job Data.

C Human Resources	Јор
UQ Welcome to the Administrative Porta	al, Self Study Training User 1. <u>Sign Out</u>
👕 Job Data	Work Location         Job Labor         Payroll         Salary Plan         Compensation         Leave ///QC
Workforce Job Summary	Forest,Keith Empl ID 00087101
📄 Seniority Roster Data	Employee Empl Record 0
📄 Job Data Statewide	Work Location Details ⑦ Q   H 4 Tort V H
E Department ID Change	*Effective Date   5005/2008 ( Go To Row + -
👕 Pay Rate Change	Effective Sequence 0 *Action Transfer
Employee Review	HR Status Active Reason Kir Agency Transfer Payroll Status Active "Job Indicator Primary Job
FLSA Schedule	Position Number 00000704 Q Basisteed Name
FLSA Reconciliation Report	Override Position Data
	Position Entry Date 05:05:2008 III
	Regulatory Region USA United States
	Company SMN State of Minnesota
	Business Unit H55NA Human Srvce-Nurses
	Department H54130 Health Source Clinic 05052003 TTT Department Entry Date
	Location H55C1 Cambridge Regional Center
	Establishment () H6642 Q. Department of Human Services Date Created 08/14/2012
	Expected Job End Date
	Job Data Employment Data Benefits Program Participation

Field Name	Data
Employee ID	000871 (substituting your two digit code for the blanks)
Plus sign button	Select button to add a row
Effective Date	05/06/ this year
Action	Transfer
Reason	ATF, Agency Transfer
Position Number	00000704 and press the <b>Tab</b> button
Position Entry Date	Accept the displayed date
Establishment ID	Accept the displayed value
Regular/Temporary (view-only)	Unlimited
Full/Part (view-only)	Full-Time
Empl Class	Probatnry

Field Name	Data	
Officer Code	Non-Manager	
Classified Indc (view-only)	Classified	
Standard Hours (view only)	40.00	
Bargaining Unit (view-only)	205	
Union Code	MNA	
Pay Group (view-only)	(ignore displayed data)	
Holiday Schedule	HOL	
Employee Type	Н	
Tax Location Code	MN	
FICA Status	Subject	
Grade Entry Date	Accept default	
Step	6 and press the <b>Tab</b> button	
Step Entry Date	Accept the displayed date	
Rate Code	ONSTEP	
Comp Rate	For this example, accept the displayed rate	
Calculate Compensation	Select button	
Compensation Rate (view-only)	For this example, accept the displayed rate	
Special Program	None	
Salary Authority	MNA	
Leave Authority	NA1	
Probation Date	11/06/ this year	
Last Verification Date	Leave blank	
Appointment End Date	Leave blank	
Barg Unit Seniority Date	Leave unchanged	

Field Name	Data
Agency Seniority Date	Leave unchanged
Eligible for Next Increase	05/06/ next year
Security Clearance Type	0
Email Address	keith.forest@state.mn.us
Work Phone Type	Main Business
Telephone	763/555-2222
Salary Authority	Leave unchanged
Retirement Code	АА
Benefits	STATE
Special Elig	MF12
	Refer to the <i>Special Eligibility Codes</i> – <i>Reference</i>

Action		Result
1.	<ul> <li>Select Save.</li> <li>If warning messages display, select OK.</li> <li>If a system-required field has been left empty or entered incorrectly, complete or fix the field and save again.</li> </ul>	<i>Saved</i> displays briefly in the upper-right corner
2.	For this exercise, you will not create or modify a work schedule.	

## Movement

Use the Movement action in SEMA4, when an employee is moving:

- From a *non-status* (examples: emergency, temporary, limited) appointment to a *status* (permanent or probationary) appointment; or
- From a *status* appointment to a *non-status* appointment; or
- From a *non-status* appointment to another *non-status* appointment.

If the employee is moving from a status appointment to another status appointment, it is *not* a movement.

Sometimes a transaction has the SEMA4 action Movement, even though it is a promotion for *salary* purposes. If the Movement is a promotion for salary purposes, then you update the Anniversary/Progression Date, which is the field that holds the date of the last hire, rehire, or promotion for salary purposes.

## Compare Movement to Transfer, Promotion, and Demotion

Select action Movement if the employee is moving from or to a *non-status* (examples: emergency, temporary, limited) appointment.

Select action Transfer, Promotion, or Demotion if the employee is moving from a *status* (permanent or probationary) appointment to another *status* appointment.

# Access SEMA4 Help

First, refer to SEMA4 Help to find out how to process a movement.

Action	Result
1. Access SEMA4 Help.	SEMA4 Help Contents displays
2. Select Check Lists.	HR & Payroll Check Lists display
3. Select Movement.	Movement – Reason Codes page displays
<ul> <li>4. Scroll down. Select the lightning bolt button next to Temporary Unclassified Appointment (TUN).</li> <li>Read the hint.</li> </ul>	A pop-up box displays a hint
5. Select again.	The hint disappears

Ac	tion	Result
6.	<ul> <li>Select Temporary Unclassified Appointment (TUN).</li> <li>Read the check list.</li> <li>Notice the reason code, TUN.</li> </ul>	Movement – Temporary Unclassified Appointment – Check List displays
7.	Scroll down, and notice the additional steps to follow (add a row with action Data Change, reason BJC) if the employee was hired or rehired to an insurance- <i>ineligible</i> appointment within the 35 days preceding this action, <i>and</i> the insurance eligibility is changing.	
8.	Scroll down to the bottom.	
9.	<ul> <li>Select WHOA! Better Check Those Critical Fields Before This Transaction.</li> <li>Notice the fields that have required values:</li> <li>Regular/Temporary</li> <li>Classified Indc</li> <li>Empl Class</li> <li>Appointment End Date</li> </ul>	A pop-up box displays, listing fields with required values
10	Exit SEMA4 Help.	

# **Process a Movement – Exercise**

This exercise lets you practice processing an employee department ID change, before you process a movement. You would need an employee department ID change if the appointment *isn't* processed through Manage Hires, and you *don't* have security clearance to the employee's department.

## Resources

You may use these resources in completing this exercise:

- The step-by-step instructions and screen prints in the Promotion walk-through
- SEMA4 Help

### Directions

Gary Ellis, a temporary unclassified Management Analyst 2, is being appointed to a temporary unclassified Management Analyst 3 position in the Commissioner's Plan, at a different agency. The compensation is off-step. You have reviewed the new position record, and it doesn't require any changes.

The action is **Movement** because the employee is moving from a *non-status* appointment to another *non-status* appointment.

The employee currently works for a department to which you *don't* have security clearance, and this appointment *isn't* via Manage Hires. Therefore, you need to process an **employee department ID change** before you process the movement.

In the **User Training** database, complete the following steps to process the employee department ID change.

K Human Resources	Job
UQ Welcome to the Administrative Port	al, Self Study Training User 1. <u>Sign Out</u>
📄 Job Data	Department ID Change
Workforce Job Summary	Ellis,Gary Employee Empl ID 00041101 Empl Record 0
Seniority Roster Data	Employment Data Q I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I
🔚 Job Data Statewide	Effective Data any again Effective Sequence at the Individual Rev. 4
📄 Department ID Change	Effective Date 09/19/2008 Effective Sequence 0 Job Indicator Primary Job Maintain Vew Notes Action Movement Reason Temporary Unclassified Appt
Pay Rate Change	Current Employee Dept ID change: Action Date: 08/14/2012 Compensation Rate: 20.560000
Employee Review	Dept.io. E771100 Human Resources Unit: E77NU Mn Zoo-Non-Mgr Unrep
FLSA Schedule	Job Title: Management Analyst 3 Job Code: 000893 Barg Unit: 217 Address 1:
FLSA Reconciliation Report	1000 Zoo Bivd Address 2:
	City: Apple Valley State: MN Zip: 55124-3199
	Work Phone         Q         I         I         View All
	Type: Main Business Telephone: 612655-1313 Extension: 0
	Personal Data Original Start Date: 01/21/1996
	Save Return to Search

Ac	tion	Result
1.	Sign in to the <b>User Training</b> database, using your training user ID and password.	Main Menu displays
2.	Select Workforce Administration > Job Information > Department ID Change.	The Department ID Change search page displays
3.	In the <b>EmpIID</b> field, enter the employee's ID. For this example, enter 000411_ (substituting your two-digit code for the blanks) and select <b>Search</b> .	Department ID Change page displays
4.	Select the Employee Dept ID change check box.	Check box is selected

Action	Result
5. Select Save.	Work Location page
• If a warning message displays, select <b>OK</b> .	displays, and you now have access to the record

In the **User Training** database, use the following information to process the movement.

Human Resources	Job				
UQ Welcome to the Administrative Portal, Self Study Training User 1. Sign Out					
🔚 Job Data	Work Location         Job Information         Job Labor         Payroll         Salary Plan         Compensation         Leave /WQC				
Workforce Job Summary	Ellis,Gary Empl ID 00041101				
E Seniority Roster Data	Employee Empl Record 0				
Tob Data Statewide	Work Location Details (?) Q     I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I				
T Department ID Change	*Effective Date p5192008	-			
👕 Pay Rate Change	Effective Sequence 0 *Action Movement V				
Employee Review	HR Status Active Reason UNV 4, Temporary Unclassified Appt Payroll Status Active 'Job Indicator' Primary Job				
FLSA Schedule	Current				
FLSA Reconciliation Report	Position Number 01080003 Q. Management Analyst 3 Override Position Data				
	Position Entry Date 05/19/2008 1				
	Regulatory Region USA United States				
	Company SMN State of Minnesota				
	Business Unit E77NU Mn Zoo-Non-Mgr Unrep				
	Department E771100 Human Resources				
	Department Entry Date Location E7700 Minnesota Zoo				
	Establishment ID E7700 Q. Minnesota Zoo Date Created 06/14/2012				
	Expected Job End Date				
	Job Data Employment Data Benefits Program Participation				

Field Name	Data
Plus sign button	Select button to add a row
Effective Date	06/07/ this year
Action	Movement
Reason	TUN, Temporary Unclassified Appt
Position Number	01080003 and press the <b>Tab</b> button
Position Entry Date	Accept the displayed date
Establishment ID	Accept the displayed value
Regular/Temporary (view-only)	Limited
Full/Part (view-only)	Full-Time

Field Name	Data
Empl Class	Not Applic
Officer Code	Non-Manager
Classified Indc (view-only)	Unclassified
Standard Hours (view-only)	40.00
Bargaining Unit (view-only)	217
Union Code (view-only)	UNR
Pay Group (view-only)	(ignore displayed data)
Holiday Schedule	HOL
Employee Type	Н
Tax Location Code	MN
FICA Status	Subject
Grade Entry Date	Accept default
Step	Blank because compensation is off-step
Step Entry Date	Blank because compensation is off-step
Rate Code	OFFRNG
Comp Rate	Refer to Off Step Rate Codes – Reference20.56
Calculate Compensation	Select button
Compensation Rate (view-only)	For this example, accept the displayed rate
Special Program	None
Salary Authority	NUE
Leave Authority	NM1
Probation Date	Leave blank because not probationary
Last Verification Date	Leave blank
Appointment End Date	12/31/ next year
Barg Unit Seniority Date	Leave blank

Field Name	Data
Agency Seniority Date	06/07/ this year
Eligible for Next Increase	06/07/ next year
Security Clearance Type	0
Email Address	gary.ellis@state.mn.us
Work Phone Type	Main Business
Telephone	651/555-1313
Salary Authority	Leave unchanged
Retirement Code	AA
Benefits	STATE
Special Elig	MF12
	See the Special Eligibility Codes – Reference

Ac	tion	Result
1.	<ul> <li>Select Save.</li> <li>If warning messages display, select OK.</li> <li>If a system-required field has been left empty or entered incorrectly, complete or fix it and save again.</li> </ul>	<i>Saved</i> displays briefly in the upper-right corner
2.	For this example, the employee was <i>not</i> hired or rehired to an insurance-ineligible appointment within the 35 days preceding this action, so you do not need to do any additional steps.	
3.	If the Leave Accrual date needs to be updated, enter it on the Biographical Details page in the Modify a Person component. For this exercise, there are no changes.	
4.	For this exercise, you will not create or modify a work schedule.	

# **Review Questions**

To review what you have learned, answer the following questions. If you have difficulty answering the questions, review the topic.

- 1. Movement is an appropriate action when:
  - a. An employee is moving from an appointment with permanent or probationary status, to an appointment with permanent or probationary status.
  - b. An employee is moving from an appointment with permanent or probationary status, to a non-status appointment.
  - c. An employee is moving from a non-status appointment, to an appointment with permanent or probationary status.
  - d. An employee is moving from a non-status appointment, to a non-status appointment.
  - e. b, c, or d
- If the employee was hired or rehired to an insurance-ineligible appointment within the 35 days preceding the action, and the insurance eligibility is changing, you need to add another row with action Data Change, reason \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. BJC
  - b. OTH
  - c. NON
  - d. INS
- 3. On which page would you enter the date the employee's probation ends?
  - a. Work Location
  - b. Employment Information
  - c. Salary Plan
  - d. Identity/Diversity

## 4. Only employees with \_\_\_\_\_\_ status are eligible for demotion.

- a. permanent or probationary
- b. permanent or classified
- c. classified or unlimited
- d. trainee or temporary

- 5. When an employee is transferred from one agency to another, which agency processes the transfer?
  - a. The current agency
  - b. Department of Administration
  - c. The receiving agency
  - d. Department of Management & Budget (MMB)
- 6. When using the Transfer action, the employee must be moving from a \_\_\_\_\_\_ appointment to \_\_\_\_\_\_ appointment.
  - a. status, a non-status
  - b. status, another status
  - c. non-status, another non-status
  - d. unclassified, a classified
- 7. On a promotion, which value must the Classified Indc field display?
  - a. Classified
  - b. Unclassified
  - c. Any valid value
  - d. Non-Status

8. Only employees in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ status can be promoted.

- a. unlimited or limited
- b. unclassified or classified
- c. permanent or probationary
- d. permanent or intern
- 9. If a Movement transaction is a promotion for salary purposes, then you update the field, which contains the date of the last hire, rehire,

or promotion for salary purposes.

- a. Appointment End Date
- b. Anniversary/Progression Date
- c. Probation Date
- d. Expected Return Date

Check your answers on the next page.

### **Review Answers**

Check your answers to the review questions.

1. Movement is an appropriate action when:

e. b, c, or d

 If the employee was hired or rehired to an insurance-ineligible appointment *within* the 35 days preceding the action, *and* the insurance eligibility is changing, you need to add a row with action Data Change, reason \_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. BJC

3. On which page would you enter the date the employee's probation ends?

b. Employment Information

4. Only employees with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ status are eligible for demotion.

a. permanent or probationary

5. When an employee is transferred from one agency to another, which agency processes the transfer?

c. The receiving agency

6. When using the Transfer action, the employee must be moving from a \_\_\_\_\_\_ position to \_\_\_\_\_\_ position.

b. status, another status

7. On a promotion, which value must the Classified Indc field display?

a. Classified

8. Only employees in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_status can be promoted.

c. permanent or probationary

- - b. Anniversary/Progression Date

Pull out these pieces from the Promotion, Demotion, Transfer, Movement topic:

- Things to Consider Before You Enter Data, at the beginning of this topic
- SEMA4 Tips, located before the Exercises in this topic

Whenever you need to process a promotion, demotion, transfer, or movement, refer to *Things to Consider Before You Enter Data*. After entering the transaction, check your work using *SEMA4 Tips*.

Continue to the next topic, *Manage Hires*.



To process an appointment from Recruiting Solutions, you use **Manage Hires** in SEMA4.

Manage Hires is the "bridge" that brings information from Recruiting Solutions to Personal Information and Job Data in SEMA4. Manage Hires brings the selected candidate's data to SEMA4 in one of four ways: Hire, Rehire, Add Concurrent Job or Transfer.

For example, if you need to process a promotion, demotion, transfer, or movement, the Manage Hires type of hire is **Transfer**. Once you have accessed Manage Hires and selected the record to process, the rest of the pages are the same pages you used in the learning guide.

The path to Manage Hires is Workforce Administration > Personal Information > Manage Hires. The following example shows a transaction with type of hire "Transfer."

Manage Hires The following Hire Transactions are ready to be processed. Select a Transaction by Name to start the process.						
Manage Hires						
S	Select Transactions Where Source Equals Recruiting Solutions Refresh					
Hire Transact	ions		$\frown$			
Start Date	Status	Name	Person ID Type of Hire	Source	Submitted By	
02/05/2016	Requested	Doe,John Q	01998877 Transfer	Recruiting Solutions	Hirington,Renee Z	~

## **Manage Hires Resources**

In Section A of the learning guide, you found Manage Hires information in the HR Toolbox.

To review how to use Manage Hires to process a promotion, demotion, transfer, or movement, visit <u>https://mmb.extranet.mn.gov/mmb-extranet/hr-toolbox/human-resource-systems/sema4/manage-hires.jsp</u> and refer to this topic:

- Mange Hires Instructions see the *Transfer* chapter *or*
- Manage Hires Quick Start see the *Transfer* chapter

## Access SEMA4 Help

Find the Manage Hires step-by-step instructions in SEMA4 Help.

Ac	tion	Result
1.	Access SEMA4 Help.	SEMA4 Help Contents is displayed
2.	Select Index and type "manage hires"	Index displays
3.	Select Manage Hires.	
4.	Select Manage Hires – Steps.	Manage Hires – Steps displays
5.	<ul> <li>Notice that based on the Type of Hire field, there are four sets of instructions:</li> <li>Hire</li> <li>Rehire</li> <li>Add Concurrent Job</li> <li>Transfer</li> </ul>	
6.	<ul> <li>Select Transfer.</li> <li>Read the instructions.</li> <li>Notice that In Recruiting Solutions and Manage Hires, type of hire "Transfer" refers to any appointment of a current employee (examples: promotion, demotion, transfer, movement).</li> </ul>	Transfer using Manage Hires displays
7.	Exit SEMA4 Help.	

# **Review Questions**

To review, answer the following questions. If you have trouble answering the questions, refer to the Manage Hires resources in the HR Toolbox, or SEMA4 Help.

- 1. To process a promotion from Recruiting Solutions, you use \_\_\_\_\_\_ in SEMA4.
  - a. Manage Hires
  - b. Job Data
  - c. Modify a Person
  - d. Add Employment Instance
- 2. To access Manage Hires, select Human Resources > \_\_\_\_\_ > Manage Hires.
  - a. Recruiting Solutions
  - b. Person Profile
  - c. Position Management
  - d. Onboarding
- 3. To process a demotion from Recruiting Solutions, the type of hire is \_\_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. Manage Hires
  - b. Demotion
  - c. Transfer
  - d. Data Change

4. To process a movement from Recruiting Solutions, the type of hire is .

- a. Job Data
- b. Movement
- c. Add Concurrent Job
- d. Transfer
- 5. When processing type of hire Transfer, on the Manage Hires Detail page, you use the drop-down list to choose .
  - a. a position number
  - b. an employment record number
  - c. an effective date sequence number
  - d. a business unit
- 6. After you have completed all the pages and selected **OK**, the Manage Hires page displays again, and the employee's name \_\_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. is still on the list
  - b. is no longer on the list
  - c. is moved to the bottom of the list
  - d. is grayed out on the list

#### **Review Answers**

Check your answers to the review questions.

- To process a promotion from Recruiting Solutions, you use \_\_\_\_\_\_ in SEMA4.
   a. Manage Hires
- To access Manage Hires, select Workforce Administration > \_\_\_\_\_ > Manage Hires.
   d. Onboarding
- To process a demotion from Recruiting Solutions, the type of hire is \_\_\_\_\_\_.
   c. Transfer
- To process a movement from Recruiting Solutions, the type of hire is \_\_\_\_\_\_.

d. Transfer

5. When processing type of hire Transfer, on the Manage Hires Detail page, you use the drop-down list to choose \_\_\_\_\_.

b. an employment record number

6. After you have completed all the pages and selected **OK**, the Manage Hires page displays again, and the employee's name \_\_\_\_\_\_.

b. is no longer on the list

You have completed Section C of Employee Maintenance! Continue on to additional section(s) of the learning guide.