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To: CA Endeavor® Software Change Manager Customers
From: The CA Technologies CA Endeavor Software Change Manager Product Team
Subject: General Availability Announcement for Complete Release of
CA Endeavor Software Change Manager V17.0 S1412

On behalf of CA Technologies, we appreciate your business and the opportunity to provide you with high-quality, innovative software and services. As part of our ongoing commitment to customer success, we regularly release updated versions of our products. Today, we are pleased to announce that the 'complete' release for CA Endeavor® Software Change Manager is now available. The incremental release program for CA Endeavor Software Change Manager has formally concluded. All new features and maintenance introduced during the program have been incorporated into this 'complete' release for CA Endeavor Software Change Manager V17.0 S1412.

New features for CA Endeavor Software Change Manager V17.0 S1412 include:

- **Batch Environment Administration facility (Batch Admin) ENVIRONMENT name masking.** Increases efficiency in maintaining application life-cycle states/stages.
- **Package Selection List Filter for EXEC-FAILED Status.** More easily identify deployments requiring attention.
- **Master File metadata direct update (ALTER) capability.** Securely and more efficiently align software changes with transient project identifiers while helping to eliminate retired processing selections.
- **RESTful web services API.** Provides a simpler, prominent, API, with scalability, and improved performance - based on the modern HTTP protocol.

We have included a Product Brief that details the features and highlights of this release. We also encourage you to visit the CA Endeavor Software Change Manager product information page on the CA Support Online website at <https://support.ca.com/> for more information.

You can download your copy of CA Endeavor Software Change Manager V17.0 S1412 from CA Support Online <https://support.ca.com/>. If you have any questions or require assistance contact CA Customer Care online at <http://www.ca.com/us/customer-care.aspx> where you can submit an online request using the Customer Care web form: <https://support.ca.com/iri/portal/anonymous/customercare>. You can also call CA Customer Care at +1-800-225-5224 in North America or see <http://www.ca.com/phone> for the local number in your country.

Special notice for our CA Endeavor Software Change Manager Japanese customers: Please be aware that the localized GA candidate is available, however we anticipate having the localized documentation available for download within 60 days of this notification.

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We recommend that you use CA Chorus™ Software Manager (CA CSM) (formerly known as CA Mainframe Software Manager™ (CA MSM)) to download and install CA Endeavor Software Change Manager V17.0 S1412 CA CSM designed to automate product acquisition, installation, deployment, configuration and maintenance and remove SMP/E complexities. CA CSM helps save time and resources when compared with the manual steps used to perform these tasks. CA Endeavor Software Change Manager can be used with CA CSM today. Please visit: <https://support.ca.com/prodinfo/csm> to learn more about the new features provide by CA CSM.

Should you need any assistance in understanding these new features, or implementing this latest release, our CA Services experts can help. For more information on CA Services and how you can leverage our expertise, please visit www.ca.com/services. To connect, learn and share with other customers, join and participate in our CA Endeavor Software Change Manager CA Community at <https://communities.ca.com/>.

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