1 Change History

Date	Sections Changed	Description
4/15/2005	Original Version	Original Version
4/29/2005	Code tables	All code tables were added at the end of the document.
5/2/2005	2.1, 2.3	Changed date fields and birth date description to age.
5/17/2005		Miscellaneous grammatical errors
5/22/2005	.06	Removed Error codes from specification
5/31/2005	.07	Changed LEA from 4 to 3 digits, fixed SSID URL, added file status picture from web site in section 3, added section numbers to section 3
6/14/2005	.08	Added Error Description to the Response file

2 File Formats

The SSID system uses two file formats - the SSID Request file and the SSID Response file. The USOE SSID File Validation Application is used to verify that each uploaded SSID Request File meets this specification. SSID Request files that contain errors (data type errors, too many characters in an attribute, etc) must be fixed by the LEA and reuploaded for processing. LEA's should use the SSID Request File Validation Application to validate each Request file PRIOR to uploading files to the SSID system.

NOTE:	The SSID Request File Validation application is available on CD by contacting USOE or on the SSID
	web site as a download link on the Support page. Documentation on the SSID Request File
	Validation application and the web site is available on the USOE SSID web site.
	https://ssid.schools.utah.gov/SSID

In the future, USOE may allow alternatives to the proposed CSV file format (i.e. XML format).

The following table defines the codes used in the file formats.

Character	Definition
A	Alphanumeric
N	Number (0-9)
YYYY	4 digit year,
MM	2 digit month 01-12
DD	2 digit day 01-31

2.1 SSID Request file format

The SSID Request file format is a comma delimited file (CSV) created by LEA's. LEA's will upload this file to USOE using the SSID web site.

Attribute Name	Maximum	Character Format	Description
	Width		
SSID	10	Numeric	State Student Identifier
School Year	4	Numeric	School Year – 2005
Last Name	30	Alpha	Last Name
First Name	20	Alpha	First Name
Middle Name	20	Alpha	Middle name
Birth date	10	YYYY/MM/DD or	Minimum age is 3, maximum age is 23
		MM/DD/YYYY	
Gender	1	M-Male, F-Female	Gender
LEA Number	3	NNN	LEA number
LEA School Number	4	NNNN	LEA School Number
LEA Student Number	10	AAAAAAAAA	LEA defined
Request Type	1	A	Row Request Type, (N-New, R-
			Request, V-Verify, U-Update)

2.2 Request File Name Convention

The following table contains the SSID Request file attribute definitions.

Attribute Name	Number of Chars	Character Format	Description
LEA Number	3	NNN	LEA number left 0 filled
Date	8	YYYYMMDD	Process Date
File Number	4	NNNN	File number uploaded during day
.CSV	4	.CSV	File extension

[LEA Number][Date][Filenumber][.CSV]

Example:

REQ_NNN_20041231_0001.CSV

2.3 SSID Response file format

The SSID Response file format is a comma delimited file (CSV). It is required that LEA's download and synchronize their LEA SIS systems with the SSID Response files.

Attribute Name	Maximum Width	Character Format	Description
File Line Number	8	Numeric	File Line Number
SSID	10	Numeric	State Student Identifier
School Year	4	Numeric	School Year - 2005
Last Name	30	Alpha	Last Name
First Name	20	Alpha	First Name
Middle Name	20	Alpha	Middle name
Birth date	10	YYYY/MM/DD or MM/DD/YYYY	Minimum age is 3, maximum age is 23
Gender	1	M-Male, F-Female	Gender
LEA Number	3	NNN	LEA Number
School Number	4	NNNN	School Number
LEA Student Number	10	AAAAAAAAA	LEA defined.
Request Type	1	A	Row Request Type, (N-New, R-Request, V-Verify, U-Update)
Process Status †	2	AA	Row Process Status
Error Code †	4	Numeric	Row Error Code
Error Description	255	Alpha/Numeric	Row Error Description
Process Date & Time	19	YYYY/MM/DD	Date and time that the SSID was
		hh:mm:ss	posted or canceled in the SSID
			system

[†] See codes in the Code Table Section

2.4 SSID Response File Name Convention

The following table contains the SSID Response file name.

The Response file will have the same name as the Request file except that REQ will be changed to RESP.

Attribute Name	Number of	Character Format	Description
	Chars		
LEA Number	3	NNN	LEA number right 0 filled
Date	8	YYYYMMDD	Process Date
File Number	4	NNNN	File number uploaded during day
.CSV	4	.CSV	File extension

[LEA Number][Date][Filenumber][.CSV]

Example:

RESP_NNN_20041231_0001.CSV

3 Code Tables

This section contains tables which have the various codes returned in the SSID Response File or on the web site. These codes are subject to change at any time.

3.1 SSID System Error Codes

Download the latest error codes from the SSID Web Site Support page.

3.2 SSID System Row Status

This code is used internally by the SSID system and the SSID Response File. LEAs should be familiar with the row statuses as that directs them as to how the row was processed by the SSID system.

Row Status	Status Description
Blank	No Error
E	Error
Р	Posted
X	Canceled

3.3 SSID File Status

The SSID File status is displayed for the file status on the web site.

(This code is used internally by the SSID system. LEA Users will only be interested in the description.)

File Status	File Status Description
Α	Action Required
С	Completed
D	Creating Download File
F	Failed
L	Loaded
Р	Posting
Q	Queued
R	Received
V	Validating
X	Canceled

SSID Request File Status at the bottom of the SSID File Processing web page.

