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## CHANGE REQUESTS

This document contains a full explanation of the change request procedure, change request form motivating the request and indicating which subsystem(s) will be effected by the change as well as the change request report.

It also includes the configuration management principles.



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# 1. Introduction

This document includes the change request procedure process the client will undergo if they request for a change on the system, as well as the documentation that goes along with the request.

## 2. Change Request Procedure

### Introduction

In this section, the ByteXpress team compiled a series of steps in which the client is to follow when submitting a change request for the system.

#### Change Request Procedure Steps:

**Step 1:** If the client for which the system is designed for requests for a change to be made on the system, They will contact the system administrator or the team via email, [bytexpress5@gmail.com](mailto:bytexpress5@gmail.com), or using other means of communication.

**Step 2:** The client will then have to fill in a change request form, which needs to have detailed information regarding the type of change that is needed in order for the request to be implemented as requested.

**Step 3:** Upon receiving the completed change request form, the team will carefully analyse the request and determine the following:

- Which parts of the system does it affect? (Subsystems)
- Is the request within the scope and budget which was initially agreed on?

**Step 4:** The team informs the client of the incurring costs due to the request being out of the agreed-on scope and budget. The client then accepts the extra costs, and the process continues.

**Alternative Step 4:** The client does not accept the additional costs that will incur due to the request. The client will either submit another change request form requesting a different change or end the change request procedure entirely

**Step 5:** When the team reviews the request, they will record this review by filling in a change request analysis in the change request form, which will consist of the following details:

- The terms which the client and the team agreed on
- The outcome of the request (approved/rejected etc.)

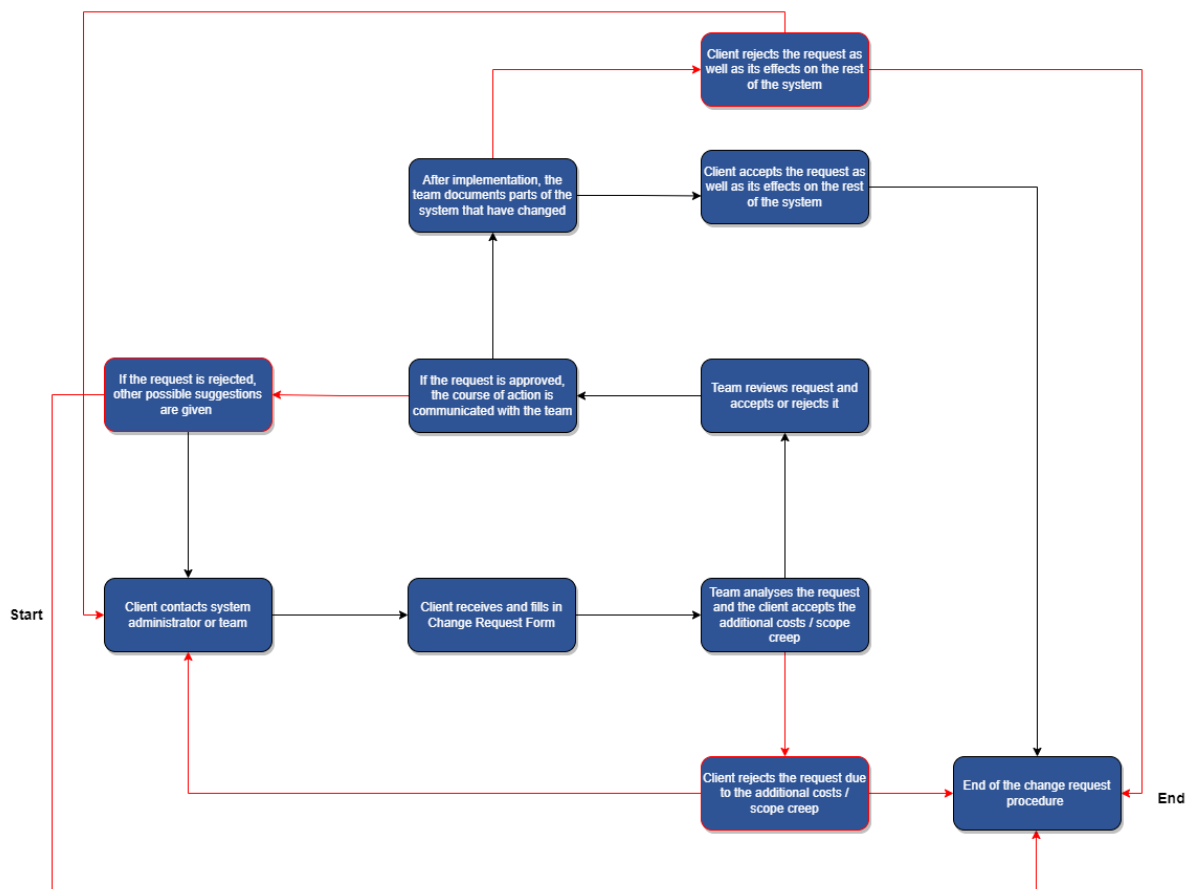
**Step 6:** If the team approves the change request, the system administrator will communicate details of the course of action. The development team will also be contacted and informed of the change request as well as confirm the specifics.

**Alternative Step 6:** If the team rejects the change request, they must also provide other possible suggestions which are likely to be approved. If the client accepts the suggestions, they will complete another change request form. If not, the change request procedure ends.

**Step 7:** After the implementation of the change request, the team will document other parts of the system that may have been affected. The change may affect how functionality that has already been implemented works.

**Step 8:** The team will then inform the client of the affected functionality due to the request which has been implemented. The team will also inform the client of the different tests the added functionality went under. The client accepts these changes and the change request procedure ends.

**Alternative Step 8:** The client does not accept the changes that come with the functionality added due to the request. The client will then complete another change request form requesting an additional change or the removal of the request.



## Conclusion

This concludes the change request procedure steps to be followed by the client requesting a change on the system.

### 3. Change Request Form

#### Introduction

This section contains the change request form that will be filled in when the client request changes to be made on the system. It includes the client information, request details as well as the affected subsystems and users.

CHANGE REQUEST FORM					
<b>Client Details</b>					
First Name					
Last Name					
Phone Number					
Email Address					
<b>Change Request Details</b>					
Change Request Date					
Change Required Date					
Change Description					
Reason for the Change Request					
Benefits of the change					
Level of Urgency	Very Urgent <input type="checkbox"/>	Urgent <input type="checkbox"/>	Neutral <input type="checkbox"/>	Somewhat Urgent <input type="checkbox"/>	No Urgent <input type="checkbox"/>
Platform	Web Application <input type="checkbox"/>			Mobile Application <input type="checkbox"/>	
Change Request Type	Software <input type="checkbox"/>	Security <input type="checkbox"/>	Error Handling <input type="checkbox"/>	Design <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <input type="checkbox"/>
If Other, please provide further details					

Affected Subsystem						
	User Management Subsystem		Location Subsystem			
	Administrative Subsystem		Reporting Subsystem			
	Reseller Subsystem		Supplier Subsystem			
	Product Subsystem		Driver Subsystem			
	Order Subsystem		VAT Subsystem			
	Query Reason Subsystem		Reseller Credit Settlement Time Subsystem			
	Review Subsystem		Video Subsystem			
	Inventory Management Subsystem		Help Subsystem			
Affected Users						
Admin	Inventory Manager	Sales Manager	Driver	Customer	Reseller	Other
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Additional Comments						
Change Request Approval						
<b>Client</b>	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 20px;"> <div style="width: 45%; text-align: center;"> <hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"/>           Signature         </div> <div style="width: 45%; text-align: center;"> <hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"/>           Date         </div> </div>					
<b>Project Manager</b>	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 20px;"> <div style="width: 45%; text-align: center;"> <hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"/>           Signature         </div> <div style="width: 45%; text-align: center;"> <hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"/>           Date         </div> </div>					
<b>ByteXpress Witness</b>	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 20px;"> <div style="width: 45%; text-align: center;"> <hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"/>           Signature         </div> <div style="width: 45%; text-align: center;"> <hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"/>           Date         </div> </div>					

## Conclusion

In conclusion, this section addressed the necessary steps needed for the client to make a change request

### 3. Change Request Report

#### Introduction

This section contains the change request report that will be filled in by the team after receiving the change request form from the client. It includes the project managers details, change request details as well as the approval or rejection of the request.

CHANGE REQUEST REPORT					
<b>Project Manager Details</b>					
First Name					
Last Name					
Phone Number					
Email Address					
Date					
<b>Change Request Details</b>					
Request Number					
Request Date					
Required Date					
Level of Urgency	Very Urgent  <input type="checkbox"/>	Urgent  <input type="checkbox"/>	Neutral  <input type="checkbox"/>	Somewhat Urgent  <input type="checkbox"/>	Not Urgent  <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Change Impact Descriptions</b>	Scope				
	Schedule				
	Cost				
	Resources				
	Other				
<b>Change Request Conclusion</b>					
Associated Risks					



<b>Recommendations</b>		
<b>Conclusion</b>	Approved <input type="checkbox"/>	Rejected <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Additional Comments</b>		
<b>Change Request Approval</b>		
<b>ByteXpress Members</b>	<div> <div>_____</div> <div>Nomusa Vumisa</div> </div> <div> <div>_____</div> <div>Thenjiwe Ntsonda</div> </div> <div> <div>_____</div> <div>Kyle van Eeden</div> </div> <div> <div>_____</div> <div>Aphiwe Shoji</div> </div> <div> <div>_____</div> <div>Ofhani Mungani</div> </div> <div> <div>_____</div> <div>Date</div> </div>	
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## Conclusion

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## 4. Configuration Management Principles

### Introduction

In this section the team will walk through the configuration management principle that we are going to use on the system

#### **Configuration Identification**

The first step is to identify the configuration items to be able to maintain control as the system evolve throughout the development life cycle. The configuration list item includes: the libraries used on the system that might need maintenance, integrated software (Power BI Database Access Engine, Android targeting different API levels) and also encryption of sensitive data. The detailed configuration item register is documented with accurate records.

#### **Configuration audits**

In order for us to see if the systems functionality meets the requirements, the configuration data will be committed on GitHub repository and also demo videos will be uploaded on the cloud drive. This will leave an audit trail to make sure the system has been built according to its requirements.

#### **Configuration control**

To protect the system from improper modifications, the configuration data will be on GitHub repository so whenever improper modifications occurs, we will be able to revert the changes back to the previous version

#### **Configuration status accounting**

This allows all configuration data and documentation to be recorded throughout the system development life cycle or iterations. The updated configuration information will help us with making changes to the system that needs to be implemented and planning on how to approach other requirements

### Conclusion

In conclusion the ByteXpress team explained the configuration management principles in summary which are Configuration Identification, Configuration audits, Configuration control and Configuration status accounting.

## 5. Conclusion

This concludes the change request document compiled and documented by the ByteXpress team