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IB NDC Technical/Functional News

Hola!

We would like to share with all of you the latest API product updates and services we have been working on in the last past months.

From Iberia, we remain committed to deploy new developments and we keep working on improving our NDC to offer all our partners and travel agencies our best content and services.

All our documentation can be found following the link [IB NDC DOCs Overview](#).

If you would like to keep informed of our latest Releases, you can subscribe an RSS feed to be notified when we update any page or just the What's New section of our documentation pages. We also welcome any feedback which can be sent by email to New.Distribution@iberia.es.

For NDC outages (scheduled maintenance events or incidents) notifications please let us know the email addresses to be added to our distribution list in New.Distribution@iberia.es.



IMPORTANT News

❖ v16.2 and older versions

As we move towards the enhancement of v17.2 we are gradually leaving v16.2 and all older versions schemas and as of **01 January 2023** all these versions will be disconnected and no longer supported.

❖ OCN – Order Change Notification

Iberia is very pleased to announce that we are now able to offer the service in our API. This will allow you to receive the OrderChangeNotification messages automatically whenever one of the flights in an Order suffers an involuntary change, such as a Schedule change, cancellation, etc... Seat reassignments, due to equipment changes and/or reconfigurations are also notified.

For more information please see the information in our documentation [here](#)

❖ Documentation Space

New and updated examples of complete end to end message flows have been recently added to our documentation space and we have published our SoapUI [here](#) with various test case scenarios and complete end to end flows.

We also have a new Private Fares – Corporate and Leisure section [here](#) along with Contacts & Communications [here](#), where we explain with examples the different types of contacts and how and when this information is used.

❖ v17.2 and 17.2v2 Branded Fares

Iberia NDC has been working for quite a while now only in v17.2, and now we've gone one step further with v17.2 Branded Fares.

This enhanced version allows us to promote Features and Attributes that differentiate one fare product from another and gives you a way to display them in a much clearer way as part of a fare product.



We are now able to offer products in a more structured and informative way using industry standard codes. Please visit API messages with examples [here](#)

❖ 3DS and Iberia Vouchers

3DS is now mandatory when using Credit Cards to pay for online purchases in most of the markets, and it's expanding every day. For this if you want to use this FOP in those markets you must have 17.2 baseline schema version.

As for Iberia Vouchers we manage them just like another FOP and they can be combined with BSP Cash. (They cannot be used in the US and Puerto Rico markets)

For both 3DS Secure Payment and Iberia Vouchers we have added 2 new sections in our documentation under the Markets currencies / Forms of payment section [here](#)

NEWest Functionalities

❖ Include OnBusiness information

We've launched the OnBusiness program in NDC. This new functionality allows the Agency to include/update an OnBusiness account number in an Order

Services Affected:

- ✓ [OrderCreate 17.2](#)
- ✓ [OrderCreate 17.2 v2 \(Branded Fares\)](#)
- ✓ [Orderchange 17.2](#)
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❖ Inclusion of Oneworld Frequent Flyer numbers

Now Agencies can Add/update all Oneworld Frequent Flyers numbers when making the reservation.



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Other main improvements to our functionality, since our last communication are:

- ❖ Passenger data is no longer mandatory for voluntary changes of paid & unpaid Orders.
- ❖ [Change](#) flights on paid and unpaid Orders with Branded Fares for some and/or all passengers resulting in split and new Order.
- ❖ Spanish Resident and Large Family discount information is now included in the response when changing all/some passengers (split).
- ❖ Ability to pay in quotas for Orders made in Latin American markets.
 - Create [v17.2](#) & [v17.2 v2 \(Branded Fares\)](#)
 - Change [v17.2](#) & [v17.2 v2 \(Branded Fares\)](#)
- ❖ Ability to apply discounts for Residents of Ceuta.
 - AirShopping [v17.2](#) & [v17.2 v2 \(Branded Fares\)](#)
 - Get Direct Fare [v17.2](#) & [v17.2 v2 \(Branded Fares\)](#)
- ❖ The PaymentTimeLimit is now returned in AirShoppingRS [v17.2v2 \(Branded Fares\)](#)
- ❖ The Delete tag in Query is no longer mandatory, so there is no need to include the OrderItem to be deleted in the OrderChange message, as we now use what you sent in the OrderReshop.
- ❖ New version of [OrderList for Branded Fares](#)

Please visit our [2022 Releases](#) to learn more about our latest improvements in IB NDC.

For information on our partner British Airways' NDC please check it out at:

<https://ndc.ba.com/>