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SMALL BUSINESS/SELF-EMPLOYED DIVISION

## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

## INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE WASHINGTON, D.C. 20224

April 11, 2025

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MEMORANDUM FOR: DIRECTOR, SPECIALTY COLLECTION OFFER IN COMPROMISE

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SUBJECT: Deviation for Processability Determinations and Case Building

This deviation applies to COIC Process Examiner procedures as defined in IRM 5.8.2.4, Processability and IRM 5.8.3.2, Perfection and Case Building Timeframes.

**Background:** Currently, the time frame for processability determinations and case building for offers without payments as referenced in IRM 5.8.2.4(3) and IRM 5.8.3.2(2) is 20 calendar days.

**Procedural Change:** The time frame for processability determinations for offers without payments, as referenced in IRM 5.8.2.4(3) and IRM 5.8.3.2(2), is extended from 20 calendar days to 20 business days. The time frame for case building, as referenced in IRM 5.8.2.4(2) and IRM 5.8.3.2(2), is also extended from 20 calendar days to 20 business days.

**Effect on Other Documents:** This deviation will be effective on April 11, 2025. Just prior to the expiration, Collection Policy Offer in Compromise and Specialty Collection Offer in Compromise will review the impact of the change and current resources to determine if the deviation should be extended or terminated.

**Contact:** You may direct any questions regarding these procedures to Diana Estey, National Offer in Compromise Program Manager or Adele L. Muller, Senior Tax Analyst.

Cc: Director, Collection – Quality and Technical Support