



# BSPlink AIRLINE NEWS

## Welcome to the March 2012 Newsletter!

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### HOMU Functionality - Reminder

The **HOMU** (Head Office Main User) functionality enables:

- The Airline to handle all BSPlink matters for all markets where the Airline is active from one single connection/login.
- **Global SFTP Account:**  
Allows HOMU users to upload (write only) a single zipped file containing one or more country ACDMs files, Direct Refunds and/or one or more country files containing attachments, and download (read only).
  - ❖ Cost: 285 USD/ month per connection
  - ❖ Up to 10 sub-users are allowed

Should you be interested in receiving more information on this functionality, please contact BSPlink Central team at:

### IATA Customer Service

<http://www.iata.org/Pages/customer-service.aspx>



### Developments for Release on Tuesday, 27<sup>th</sup> March 2012

#### User Email Validations

This development will add the following validations to emails registered by users in their profile:

- a) Basic syntax check:
  - each email address must include a local part + "@" + domain part
  - local part must contain only uppercase & lowercase letters, digits, or characters .!#\$%&'\*+ /=?^\_`{|}~
  - local part must not contain the point "." in the first or last position, nor more than once consecutively.
  - domain part must contain only uppercase & lowercase letters, digits, or characters .-
  - domain part must not contain the point "." or dash "-" in the first or last position, nor more than once consecutively.
- b) Upon registration or modification, users will be required to enter the email address twice in order to check that both are equal.

## Important Additional Notes

### BSPlink Web Certificate Renewal

Web certificates are used to ensure secure transactions between web servers and browsers. A third party Certificate Authority is used to identify one end or both ends of the transactions.

Web certificates have to be renewed periodically and the web certificate for BSPlink has been renewed. Although this should be transparent to almost all users, it is possible that some users notice that the certificate has changed (depending on special configuration that the user might have).

If you have any queries regarding this, please contact **IATA Customer Services** at the link on the top right corner of this page.

## Contacts

Local BSP contacts can be found from [www.bsplink.iata.org](http://www.bsplink.iata.org) – Contacts

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