

February 2022 Software Update

Your site has been updated to software version 3.2.5 with various bug fixes and improvements, some of which are listed below.

Reload your browser cache by logging into Dealer Choice and then

- Press and hold the CTRL + Shift + R keys.
- Mac users, press and hold the Command + R keys.

Please reference the Dealer Choice User Manual (under the Help & Communications menu) for details on new features and enhancements.

Features and Enhancements in this release:

(1824) – Email MX record validity checking (This is an internal project.)

We recently saw an increase in failed email delivery from the Blind Carbon Copy function in System Configuration and this was due to an invalid email address being entered. We've built in a function that verifies the existence of MX records for the email address domain and if validation fails an error message is displayed and the email address cannot be used in the BCC field. An MX (Mail Exchange) record is used to tell the world which mail servers accept incoming mail for your domain and where emails sent to your domain should be routed. We will continue to implement this functionality for all email addresses that can be entered in Dealer Choice.

(1822) – Bank reconciliation report updated

We found a case where a manual journal entry was not appearing on the bank reconciliation report. The error has been corrected by enhancing the manual journal entry search query for the Bank Rec report.

(1811) – Nested chart of accounts correction

In testing other new development functions, we found a deficiency that allowed for a circular reference to be entered while selecting nested accounts, which would effectively crash the site. This has been corrected.

(1802) – Sales tax on quotes for CRM prospects

Sales tax will now display on the Summary tab and PDF image on quotes for prospects. Sales tax has always displayed for quotes created for customers.

(1799) – Item Details tab item description wrapping issues

We were notified of an item description text wrapping issue which originally appeared to be a text formatting error. The problem was actually a result of ASCII control characters having been copied and pasted into the item description. The control character in question is a non-breaking space (0xA0) and by definition, this prohibits line breaking resulting in the observed behavior. We have implemented a process which strips the non-breaking space character (0xA0) and replace it with a standard space (0x20).

(1713) – Credit card processing enhancements

The online user manual has been updated to include details regarding the credit card process. We also have a document that covers the credit card process setup and usage that can be emailed directly to you.