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This is an IBM® Service IBM Sterling B2B Integrator Advisory for 5.2 for AS2 Edition customers only.

IBM Product Management apologizes for any inconvenience this may cause to your business; IBM recognizes you as a valued customer and remains committed to resolving such issues promptly.

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If you are a Sterling B2B Integrator 5.2 customer who is on version 5.2.2 and who uses AS2 Edition, then this notification applies to you. Otherwise, you can disregard this message.

**Note:** If you use the core AS2 functionality in Sterling B2B Integrator rather than using the AS2 Edition, this issue does NOT affect you.

IBM has released a GA interim fix to resolve the issue described below on the IBM Fix Central site for download. We recommend that all Sterling B2B Integrator 5.2.2 AS2 Edition customers download this GA interim fix and apply it to your environments immediately.

#### **Issue Description**

Customers using the Sterling B2B Integrator 5.2 AS2 Edition, which includes single AS2 organization configuration only, are not able to create or edit AS2 organizations or partners after installing 5.2.2.

### **Example Symptom**

After applying Sterling B2B Integrator 5.2.2, go into AS2 Edition to create an AS2 Organization using the AS2 Wizard and perform the following steps:

- 1. From the File Tracking page, select **Trading Partner**.
- 2. In the Trading Partners Configurations page, in the Create section next to **New AS2 partner or organization**, click **Go!**.
- 3. In the AS2 Configuration Type page, select Organization and click Next.
- 4. On the New Identity page, select Create a New Identity and click Next.
- 5. In the Organization Details page, complete the following fields, and click Next.
  - Enter the **Identity Name** and **AS2 Identifier**.
  - Select an Exchange Certificate.
- 6. In the Confirm page, verify the information and click Finish.

The system returns you to the Details screen, showing that the AS2 Identifier is blank and the Exchange Certificate is no longer selected. If you attempt to re-enter the information and save the identity again, the Details display will continually show that the AS2 Identifier blank and no Exchange Certificate is selected. Therefore, you are unable to create an AS2 Organization.

## **Impact**

After installing version 5.2.2, AS2 Edition customers only are unable to create a new or edit an existing AS2 organization or trading partner in the AS2 Edition user interface. Full Sterling B2B Integrator AS2 customers are not impacted and can create new and edit existing AS2 organizations and trading partners as expected, because the full software license includes support for multiple organizations.

### **Next Steps**

If you downloaded and installed version 5.2.2 and are NOT on a customer-specific GA interim fix, you must apply this GA interim fix to resolve these issues. Please follow the instructions below:

- 1. This GA interim fix only contains the fixes for issue listed above. It does not contain fixes from any previous fixpacks. You are required to already have version 5.2.2 installed prior to applying this GA interim fix.
- 2. From IBM Fix Central (http://www-933.ibm.com/support/fixcentral/), download the new GA interim fix containing the resolution for this issue in version 5.2.2: si\_52\_build\_5020200\_interimfix\_1.jar

Install the GA interim fix on each node in your test environment and run your regression tests against it. Remember that this GA interim fix application will require a node outage. For further instructions on installing a GA interim fix, please refer to our user documentation at: https://w3-connections.ibm.com/communities/service/html/communityview?communityUuid=ec97ff40-dd3f-4895-8512-5717392fd6bf%29 . Under the *Implement Sterling B2B Integrator* heading, section, select the correct Operating System and cluster/non-cluster documentation, and refer to the installation instructions.

If you downloaded and installed version 5.2.2 and *are* running on a customer-specific GA interim fix, please contact your local IBM Customer Support immediately to receive an updated GA interim fix for your specific implementation.

#### Listing of Knowledge Base Articles for GA Interim Fix 5020200\_1

Listed below is the knowledge base article (Technote 1570747) that describes the fix included in the GA Interim Fix 5020200\_1:

Unable to create AS2 Organization or Partners

#### Problem (Abstract)

Customers using the Sterling B2B Integrator 5.2 AS2 Edition, which includes single AS2 Organization configuration only, are not able to create AS2 Organizations or Partners after installing version 5.2.2.

#### Symptom

When attempting to create an AS2 Organization or Partner and after selecting the Encryption certificate, the AS2 Identifier and Encryption Certificate specified are removed from the configuration, thereby preventing the profile information from being saved.