APPENDIX D: ELECTRONIC MEDIA DISTRIBUTION

The user can distribute Remote SpoolPrint3X/400 to remote systems electronically, thus the user can install or update Remote SpoolPrint3X/400 on similar remote systems (i.e. AS/400 to AS/400's). A working APPC/APPN link to the remote system, and a file transfer program such as FileXfer3X/400 is needed to do this. Below are the steps you must perform to transmit Remote SpoolPrint3X/400 to remote systems. Please note that a thorough knowledge of the operating systems involved is suggested.

S/38 or AS/400 Machines

The S/38 and AS/400 media consists of 1 library:

RSPL40

The steps to distribute Remote SpoolPrint are:

Source System

- 1) Restore library RSPL40 from the BDS media.
- 2) Create a save file SAVRSPL.
- 3) Save library RSPL40 into save file SAVRSPL.
- 4) Delete the library RSPL40.
- 5) Transmit the save file to the remote system(s).

Remote System(s)

- 1) Create and receive the transmitted save file, if necessary.
- 2) Proceed with the update or install instructions with the following:

When requested to restore the install or update objects into library QTEMP, use the save file option. Specify *SAVF for device description. Enter save file SAVRSPL.

When executing the install or update command (BRSPLINS or BRSPLUPD) use the save file option. Specify *SAVF for device description. Enter save file SAVRSPL.

Remote SpoolPrint will be installed or updated.

S/36 Machines

The S/36 media consists of 2 files: RSPLLIB BDS.RSCT

Please note that the file BDS.RSCT is not used during the update process. Thus the user will not need to

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transmit BDS.RSCT if an update is being performed.

The steps needed to transmit Remote SpoolPrint/36 are:

Source system

- 1) Restore file RSPLLIB from your media diskette.
- 2) If BDS.RSCT must be distributed (install), you may have the situation where you need to restore a different version of BDS.RSCT from diskette than you have on your disk. Please note BDS.RSCT has only 1 record and is maintained by the proc RSCTRL. You may wish to perform the following.

End all Remote Writers Rename BDS.RSCT on disk Restore the BDS.RSCT from diskette Rename the restored BDS.RSCT to XMT.RSCT Rename the old BDS.RSCT back Restart Remote Writers

3) Transmit the files created in steps 1) and 2) to the remote systems.

Remote System

- 1) Follow the install or update instructions. Skip the step instructing you to restore RSPLLIB from diskette. You have already loaded it electronically.
- 2) For install processes, when the instructions ask you to restore BDS.RSCT, rename the transmitted file instead.

Remote SpoolPrint/36 will be installed or updated.