

TILL MOVEMENTS: PAID OUT

HOTEL CASH HANDLING PROCEDURE

Business Processes - Operations

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Responsible parties: Front Office Manager / Hotel General Manager

KEY CONCEPTS

Paid outs' (flowers, couriers, event tickets, medical services, outings, etc.) are only permitted -always from Reception till- when an invoice or ticket that ustifies the expense is presented. They are restricted to extremely loyal clientele and exceptional situations, subject to prior authorization by the GM.

For a service to qualify as a 'paid out', the following conditions must be met:

- The existence of an express mandate from the MHEA customer for the acquisition of such items (i.e., the customer must request the item; it must not be offered by the Hotel).
- · The acquisition of goods by MHEA must be made in the name and on behalf of its customers and never in its own name.
- · Only those services for which a legal support for the purchase can be obtained will be allowed as paid outs.
- · Paid outs can be registered for future reservations to manage the guest requests.

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1) REGISTER THE PAID OUT

- TRANSACTION: ZEY FC CAMV Cash movements
- In a single cash movement, a cash outflow is posted and, simultaneously, a charge for the same amount is recorded under the guest booking.
- As MHEA acts as an intermediary between the supplier and the guest, the latter will be recharged on his invoice by 10% + taxes on the amount paid by MHEA to the supplier (this is the <u>maximum</u> limit; a lower percentage may be applied when GM deems necessary -in some specific cases (e.g., medical bills) it is not necessary to apply such commission).



2) CHARGE THE "PAID OUT SUPPLEMENT"

- TRANSACTION: /CCSHT/FC CF02 Folio management
- Add the additional 10% manually in the same folio as the Paid Out with the concept "Others" (OTH0, OTHI or OTLW, the one that corresponds according to the tax law of each country).
- · Modify its description to "Paid out supplement" to be able to locate it later in the reports of till operations.



What if a client requests that we pay something on his behalf before the arrival date?

- 1. Record the cash-out movement with a "Miscellaneous charge" (TMS transaction ZEY_FC_CAMV Cash movements).
- 2. Add a fixed charge in the reservation using the concept "Others" as indicated above to charge both the amount paid to the supplier and the intermediation supplement.

PROCESS RESTRICTIONS



- · Paid Out movement can only be performed by Front Office.
- It is strictly forbidden to give the guest's tax information to third parties. If the guest wants an invoice in his/her name, put him/her in contact with the supplier.
- It is very important to have in mind that cash may not be given to Hotel guests or customers and charged against their credit cards, deposit
 accounts or bank transfers received, except for exceptional cases approved by the Business Unit or by Headquarters (such as the case of airline crews
 for more information see document <u>Cash advances to crew members</u>).



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