

Prepress Checklist

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File Submission Requirements:

- 1. High resolution PDF (images and fonts not embedded)
 - Files must be layered
 - Each SKU must be provided separately
- 2. ALL native files
- 3. Die line (if available)
- 4. Bar codes
- 5. Printed Color Targets
- 6. Other instructions
- *Packaged files are preferred*
- 7. ePac cannot be held accountable for customer set overprints or artwork left on non-printing layers.

File Submission:

- 1. Attach PDF/native files/PO and email to your respective Sales Support Specialist.
- 2. Files can also be sent via wetransfer, uploaded to a dropbox or sent through Google Drive.
- 3. Non-laminated Press Proofs are available upon request and are \$150 for 5 SKUs.
- **Standard leads times for roll stock items are to ship
- 10 business days and finished pouches are to ship
- 15 business days after art approval and a P.O. has been received. These are subject to change based on availability**

File Prep Requirements:

- 1. All artwork should be in CMYK (no RGB) Files that are provided in RGB will not be accepted.
- 2. Artwork should include bleed (0.125")
- 3. Clear areas need to be clearly defined and include a white separation
- 4. Text must be outlined or fonts included with the file submission
- 5. ePac will add standard eye marks if they are not included
- 6. All files must be layered with artwork on correct layers.
- 7. If bar codes are NOT included, the info for the bar code MUST be provided (type of bar code, information embedded in the bar code)
- 8. All Pantone colors should be kept as spot colors**
- 9. Any file that has a custom spot color specified MUST be accompanied with a printed sample or color target. If it is not, it will be converted to CMYK and will print as is.
- **It is ePac's discretion to change or alter colors based on the probability of achieving them on press. Customers will be notified of this and may accrue charges based on proofing/color matching times.**

All files will be reviewed by a Prepress Coordinator before submitting to press. Changes/adjustments may be made to ensure print-ability and color accuracy. Files that are submitted that are not print ready are liable for prepress charges.

Any changes/adjustments made by ePac are charged at a rate of \$150 per hour.

Any art charge reduction or waive must be approved by the Director of Operations.