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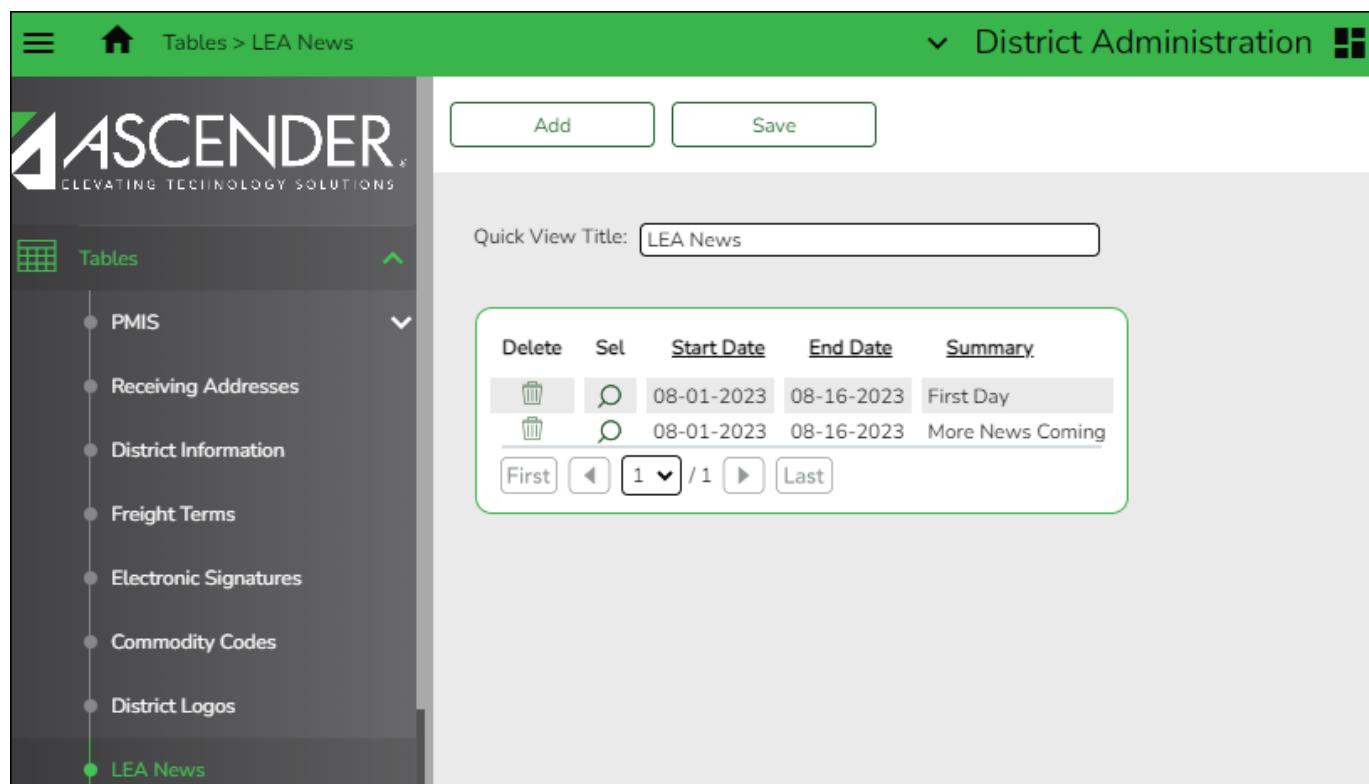
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District Administration > Tables > LEA News

- Added this page to allow LEA personnel to add and manage important news, announcements, or upcoming events, and display them on the ASCENDER Homepage Quick View dashboard. Each news entry includes a start and end date, a summary (topic), and a description. Additionally, if needed, entries can be limited to a specific audience based on their permission to an application and breadcrumb (menu item).



The screenshot shows the ASCENDER Administration interface. The top navigation bar includes a home icon, the text 'Tables > LEA News', and a dropdown menu for 'District Administration'. The left sidebar, titled 'Tables', lists several tables: PMIS, Receiving Addresses, District Information, Freight Terms, Electronic Signatures, Commodity Codes, District Logos, and LEA News, with LEA News highlighted. The main content area displays a table titled 'LEA News' with two rows of data. The table has columns for Delete, Sel, Start Date, End Date, and Summary. The first row shows '08-01-2023' and '08-16-2023' with a link 'First Day'. The second row shows '08-01-2023' and '08-16-2023' with a link 'More News Coming'. Navigation buttons at the bottom of the table include 'First', 'Previous', '1 / 1', 'Next', and 'Last'.

Delete	Sel	Start Date	End Date	Summary
		08-01-2023	08-16-2023	First Day
		08-01-2023	08-16-2023	More News Coming

The screenshot shows a web-based application interface. At the top, there is a green header bar with a home icon. Below the header, there are two main news sections: 'ASCENDER News' and 'LEA News'. The 'ASCENDER News' section contains two items: 'Annual Student Data Rollover Survey' and 'Finance August'. The 'LEA News' section contains two items: 'First Day' and 'More News Coming'. To the right of these news sections is a 'Approval Summary' table with columns for '# Pending', 'ID/Freq', and 'Approval Type'. The table shows 'No pending approvals'. At the bottom right of the interface, there is a grid of icons for layout options: 1x1, 1x2, 1x3, 2x1, 2x2, 2x3, 3x1, 3x2, and 3x3. A large black arrow points from the text 'LEA News' in the previous section to the 'LEA News' section in this screenshot.

District Administration > Options > TSDS > Options

- Added validation to display a message indicating that at least one email address is required for each distribution list (**Finance Extract Distribution List**, **Personnel/Payroll Extract Distribution List**, **TSDS Extract Errors Distribution List**) if the Connection tab contains information.

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District Administration > Utilities > Annual Student Data Rollover

- Updated the program to add Child Care Operation Number tables to the Annual Student Data Rollover (ASDR) process.
- Corrected an issue with the program that caused the utility to stop running and give the user an *Execute fail* message.
- Corrected an error when performing the **EXECUTE** step that caused the utility to stop and give the user an unexplained error message.
- Corrected the issue that caused the ASDR extract to fail when a student has multiple records for the IGC Program (State Reporting > Options *Local Program for IGC Reporting*) on Registration > Maintenance > Student Enrollment Local Programs.



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