

SILVER STREAK BULLETIN



COIN SHIPPING UPDATE

To the CMI Family Members,

The US Mint posted a communication on their website that production of the silver and gold coins would be discontinued until after the new year. This was due to the US Mint running out of the silver and gold blanks to make the coins. Their sales volume hit the 20,000,000 mark before the beginning of October, much to their surprise!

Here is that notice that is posted on their website:

American Eagle Silver Uncirculated Coin

Production of United States Mint American Eagle Silver Proof and Uncirculated Coins has been **temporarily suspended** because of unprecedented demand for American Eagle Silver Bullion Coins.

Currently, all available silver bullion blanks are being allocated to the American Eagle Silver Bullion Coin Program, as the United States Mint is required by Public Law 99-61 to produce these coins "in quantities sufficient to meet public demand"

The United States Mint will **resume** the American Eagle Silver Proof and Uncirculated Coin Programs **once sufficient** inventories of silver bullion blanks can be acquired to meet market demand for all three American Eagle Silver Coin products.

How does this affect us?

From 1991 to date, CMI has delivered every coin a member purchased.

We are proud of this track record and work very hard to maintain it. When conditions arise that are out of our control, a delay is caused in coin shipping and processing. We work diligently to get those coins out and back on schedule. In 2004, we were faced with a similar situation and we utilized a **Back Order** strategy process that not only guaranteed every member their coins at a later date, but also insured that their monthly commission checks were not interrupted and continued as planned.

The **Back Order** process holds a strong comparison to the Lay-A-Way option utilized in the retail shopping industry. All member's coins will be back-ordered until the US Mint resumes its normal production schedule. Every month you will receive a voucher that represents your coin order for that particular month. When the **Back Order** program is terminated, you will start receiving coins according to the vouchers that we sent you during the interim.

Due to a special inventory source that our coin broker has secured, brand new members will receive their first coin shipment along with a copy of this notice. Please be sure to inform your new sign-ups of what is about to take place starting their second month in the business.

Some members may not continue their monthly member purchase thinking that they will not receive coins. This is not the case. Coins may be a little late from our regular schedule, but you will receive what you purchased. Our "5-year and longer members" will attest to the fact that when we say that "you will receive all of your back-ordered coins," you definitely receive them. As many of the veteran CMI members have already experienced...**a delay in the coins did not and will not cause a termination of your profit-sharing and commission checks.** And I think we will all agree that our profit-sharing and commissions are very important to all of us.

Your profit-sharing and commissions will continue to come out just as they have for the past 18 years. CMI will handle these conditions to the best of our ability. **It is my personal stand on this position, I would rather have my coins delayed than have my profit-sharing and commissions come to an end.** We may not have full control over the shipping of coins nor the US Mint, but we have complete control over making sure that you are paid.

If you let the delay in coin shipping prevent you from maintaining your membership status, this will cause a skip or an end to your income. To miss your purchase will also cause you to lose your syndication members in all of our member programs that you worked so hard to build and establish. That mistake alone could potentially cost you from \$600 up to \$2,000 per month in income that you could be receiving by just maintaining your "active" member status and taking advantage of this shortage of silver that will eventually drive every American citizen that is saving or investing for their future...straight to your doorstep!

CMI truly appreciates your understanding in this matter. Working together we will have the only families truly protected against these recent economic challenges.

I remain,

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Executive Trustee
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