

# **Boiler Plate Text (Standard Text/AutoText)**

## **Set Up Boiler Plate Text**

Boiler Plate Text, (BPT), allows the setting up of blocks of standard text which may be easily dropped into the current cursor position of the various free text notes fields.

Useful for such things as meeting note headings, job description outlines or standard blocks of text for sending emails.

Set up in Maintenance> Agency Setup> Boiler Plate Text.

Select whether you want the text to be accessible from:

- Company
- Vacancy
- Contact Event
- Company
- Applicant
- Text Message

The Type given to the Boiler Plate Text will determine where in IQX it can be used. For example, Progress type is available from the Insert Text on a progress record but if you want to use that block of text in a contact event from a progress record then it needs to be set up as a Contact Event Type.

Text Message Type is used for sending SMS/Email from Shift Booking or Shift Confirmation.

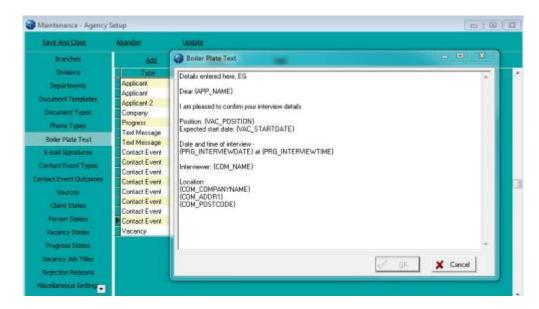
Mail Merge Text buttons use the Contact Event Type.

Insert a relevant Description, Division, (leaving this blank allows all Divisions to use the BPT), and a sort order.

Double click on the boiler plate text field to open the box to enter the text.







When inserting boiler plate fields, please make sure the fields are surrounded by {}s.

eq {APP NAME}, {COM NAME}...

The fields that are available for the Boiler Plate Text will depend on where the text is being inserted from. For example if you are making a contact event from the candidate record the Applicant Fields will be the only fields that are available. However, if you make the contact event from a placement record then the applicant, company, vacancy, placement and progress fields will be available.

### **Applicant Fields**

Accessible from Applicant, Vacancy, Placement or a Contact Event (if it has a link to a Company, Vacancy, Placement record or via Shift Confirmation).

Boiler Plate Field Table Field Example APP\_NAME Person Name Mr Fred Smith



APP_SURNAME	Person	Surname	Smith
APP_USURNAME	Person	Surname	SMITH
APP_FORENAMES	Person	Forenames	Fred
APP_UFORENAMES	Person	Forenames	FRED
APP_SALUTATION	Person	Salutation	Mr Smith
APP_ADDR1	Person	Addr1	Wester Newhouse
APP_ADDR2	Person	Addr2	Lilliesleaf
APP_ADDR3	Person	Addr3	
APP_TOWN	Person	Town	Melrose
APP_COUNTY	Person	•	Scottish Borders
APP_COUNTRY	Person	,	Scotland
APP_POSTCODE	Person	Postcode	TD6 9JT
APP_DOB	Person	DOB	1/1/1990
APP_SEX	Person	Sex	Male
APP_NI	Person	NI	AB123456C
APP_APPNUMBER	Person	AppNumber	123456
APP_PAYROLLNUMBER	Person	Payrollnumber	1
APP_REGISTRATIONDATE	Person	RegistrationDate	91/01/2010
APP_ADDRESSLONG		Wester Newho	ouse, Lilliesleaf, Melrose,
TD6 9JT			
APP_ADDRESS			Wester Newhouse
		liesleaf	
	_	rose	
	TD6	9JT	
APP_PHN_HOME_TELEPHONE			01835 340034
APP_PHN_DAY_TELEPHONE			01835 340034
APP_PHN_MOBILE			07777 XXXXXX
APP_PHN_FAX			01835 XXXXXX
APP_PHN_E-MAIL			Support@iqx.co.uk
APP_HEADERNAME			Mr Fred Smith
APP_LISTOFCVS			xxxxxx

## **Company Fields**

Accessible from Company, Vacancy, Progress or a Contact Event (if it has a link to a Company, Vacancy, Progress record or via Shift Confirmation).

Boiler Plate Fi	eld Table	Field	Example
COM_NAME	Person	Name	Mr Fred Smith
COM_SALUTATION	Person	Salutat	ion Mr Smith
COM_COMPANYNAME	Company	Name	IQX Limited
COM_ADDR1	Company	Addr1	Wester Newhouse
COM_ADDR2	Comp	any Ad	ldr2 Lilliesleaf
COM_ADDR3	Comp	any Ad	ldr3
COM_TOWN	Comp	any Tow	n Melrose
COM_COUNTY	Comp	any Cou	nty Scottish Borders



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COM COUNTRY	Company	Country	Scotland
COM_POSTCODE	Company	Postcode	TD6 9JT
COM_POSITION	Employment	Position	Developer
COM_DEPARTMENT	Employment	Department	Development
COM_ADDRESSLONG			Wester Newhouse,
Lilliesleaf, Melrose, 1	D6 9JT		
COM_ADDRESS			Wester Newhouse
	Lilliesl	.eaf	
	Melrose		
	TD6 9JT		
COM_PHN_DIRECT_TELEPHON	<b>IE</b>		01835 340034
COM_PHN_MOBILE		07	777 XXXXXX
COM_PHN_DIRECT_FAX			01835 XXXXXX
COM_PHN_E-MAIL			support@iqx.co.uk

Mr Fred Smith, IQX

## **Vacancy Fields**

COM HEADERNAME

Limited

Accessible from Company, Vacancy, Progress, Placement, or a Contact Event (if it has a link to a Company, Vacancy, Progress record, Placement record or via Shift Confirmation).

Boiler Plate Field	Table	Field Exa	mple	
VAC_POSITION	Vacancy		Desktop Support	
VAC_ENTRYDATE	Vacancy		01/01/2012	
VAC_STARTDATE	Vacancy		01/11/2012	
VAC_SALARY	Vacancy	Salary	20000	
VAC_REFCODE	Vacancy	RefCode	VAC11111	
VAC_N00FP0STS	Vacancy	NoofPosts	1	
VAC_EXPIRY	Vacancy	Expiry	01/12/2012	
VAC_SITEADDR1	Vacancy	Addr1	Wester Newhouse	
VAC_SITEADDR2	Vacancy	Addr2	Lilliesleaf	
VAC_SITEADDR3	Vacancy	Addr3		
VAC_SITETOWN	Vacancy	Town	Melrose	
VAC_SITECOUNTY	Vacancy	County	Scottish Borders	
VAC_SITECOUNTRY	Vacancy		Scotland	
VAC_SITEPOSTCODE	Vacancy	Postcode	TD6 9JT	
VAC_ADDRESSLONG	Wester Newhouse,			
Lilliesleaf, Melros	e, TD6 9JT			
VAC_ADDRESS			r Newhouse	
Lilliesleaf				
	Melr			
	TD6			
VAC_SITENAME	Vacancy	SiteName	IQX Limited	
VAC_SITECONTACT		SiteContact		
VAC_SITEFAX	Vacancy	SiteFax	01835 XXXXXX	



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VAC_SITEEMAIL	Vacancy	SiteEmail	support@iqx.co.uk
VAC_SITEPHONES	Vacancy	SitePhoneNumb	pers01835 340034
VAC_SITEROLE	Vacancy	Role	Manager

#### **Shift Fields**

Accessible from Shift Confirmation buttons and can also be passed through to contact events via the shift confirmation and tempdesk – shifts screen.

Can use **either** Shift Details **or** {SHF} fields but **not both**, if SHIFTDETAILS is used then none of the {SHF} fields will be available.

```
Boiler Plate Field Example
SHIFTDETAILS 01/02/2012 13:00-17:00
```

#### OR

```
Boiler Plate Field Example
SHF DATE
                1/1/2015
SHF FROM
                8:00
SHF TO
                10:30
SHF NOTE
                Notes
SHF BREAKMINUTES
                    30
                    1/1/2015
SHF WHENCANCELLED
SHF THEIRREF
                    A/1234
SHF CANCELREASON
                    Holiday
SHF WHENCANCELLED
                    1/1/2015
SHF PERSON
                Mr Fred Smith
SHF CLIENTCONFIRMED 1
SHF TEMPCONFIRMED
                    1
SHF STATE
SHF STATEDESC
                    Provisional
SHF SERIALNUMBER
                    12345
```

It is possible to list all shifts applicable (up to 365 days in advance) to an applicant. The shifts do not have to be referenced in the Shift Confirmation Screen. This means that when confirming shifts you need only tick against one shift for a temp and it will list all of the shifts.

```
{SHR BEGIN}{SHR DATE dd/mm/yyyy} {SHR FROM} - {SHR TO}{SHR END}
```

Would output something like:

```
01/07/2016 08:00 - 17-00
02/07/2016 08:00 - 17-00
03/07/2016 08:00 - 17-00
04/07/2016 08:00 - 17-00
```



SHR\_BEGIN, can be replaced with {SHR\_BEGIN\_n}, where n is replaced by a number, e.g. {SHR\_BEGIN\_28}, which will list provisional/booked shift, in the period, current date →current date + 28 days.

**Note** It is the current date that the Shift Range starts from and not the date of the shift you a confirming. This means that if you a confirming a shift in the future the SHR command might not list all of the shifts from the date you are confirming on.

These fields cannot be used with {SHIFTDETAILS}.

#### **Shift Matching Fields**

Boiler Plate Field Example

SHIFTDETAILS 01/02/2012 13:00-17:00

SHF\_DATE 1/1/2015

SHF\_FROM 8:00

SHF\_TO 10:30

SHF\_THEIRREF A/1234

If you wish to contact a candidate about their availability for more than one shift you can use {SHF BEGIN} and {SHF END} to list the shifts.

{SHF\_BEGIN}{SHF\_DATE dd/mm/yyyy} {SHF\_FROM} {SHF\_TO}{SHF\_END} {COM\_COMPANYNAME}

Would output something like:

```
01/07/2016 08:00 - 17-00
02/07/2016 08:00 - 17-00
03/07/2016 08:00 - 17-00
IQX Limited
```

These fields cannot be used with {SHIFTDETAILS}.

### **Colleague Fields**

**ONLY** accessible from Shift Confirmation button. Enables you to include the details of other candidates booked in to the same shift when confirming shifts.

```
Boiler Plate Field Example
{COL_DATE} 01/01/2016
{COL_FROM} 09:00
{COL_TO} 17:00
{COL_NOTE} Notes
{COL_BREAKMINUTES} 30
```



{COL THEIRREF}	Δ/645
{COL CANCELREASON}	
{COL WHENCANCELLED}	•
{COL CLIENTCONFIRME	
{COL TEMPCONFIRMED}	
{COL STATE} P	
{COL STATEDESC}	Provisional
{COL SERIALNUMBER}	
{COL ORDEREDBY}	
{COL CLIENTNOTE}	
{COL APP NAME}	
{COL APP SURNAME}	
{COL_APP_ADDR1}	
{COL_APP_ADDR2}	
{COL APP ADDR3}	
{COL APP TOWN}	Melrose
{COL APP COUNTY}	
{COL APP COUNTRY}	
{COL APP MOBILE}	
{COL APP EMAIL}	

## **Progress Fields**

Accessible from Progress, or a ContactEvent (if it has a link to a Progress Record)

Boiler Plate Field	Table	Field	Example
PRG_STATUS	Progress	Status	С
PRG_ACTIONDATE	Progress	ActionDate	01/01/2012
PRG_INTERVIEWDATE	Progress	Intervie	wDate 01/01/2012
PRG_INTERVIEWTIME	Progress	Intervi	ewTime 12:45

### **Placement Fields**

Accessible from Placement, or a ContactEvent (if it has a link to a Placement Record)

Boiler Plate Field	Table	Field	Example	
PLC_SALARY	Placement	Salary	20000	
PLC_POSITION	Placement	: Positi	on Desktop Support	
PLC_STARTDATE	Placement	: StartD	01/01/2012	
PLC_LEAVEDATE	Placement	: LeaveD	Date 01/06/2012	
PLC_DEPARTMENT	Employmen	nt Departm	nent Support	
PLC_PLACEDATE	Placement	: PlaceD	Oate 01/12/2011	



#### Additional Phone Type Fields

These can be accessed (if present in the database, Agency Set Up - Phone Types) in the format of COM\_PHN\_<phonetype name>

Only if the corresponding APP PHN E-MAIL or COM PHN E-MAIL field is available.

### **Custom Word Merge Fields**

Access via Maintenance→Database Setup.

All merge fields can be accessed from within boiler plate text, if they follow same rules as above i.e.

Applicant Fields: Accessible from Applicant, Vacancy, Placement or a ContactEvent (if it has a link to a Company, Vacancy, Placement record).

Company Fields: Accessible from Company, Vacancy, Progress or a ContactEvent (if it has a link to a Company, Vacancy or Progress record).

Vacancy Fields: Accessible from Company, Vacancy, Progress, Placement, or a ContactEvent (if it has a link to a Company, Vacancy, Progress or Placement record).

Progress Fields: Accessible from Progress, or a ContactEvent (if it has a link to a Progress Record). Placement Fields: Accessible from Placement, or a ContactEvent (if it has a link to a Placement Record).

How to name a Custom Word Merge Field :-

The same conventions apply, use the FieldCategory to determine the prefix



After the prefix, add on the FieldName

```
e.g.
APP_UPPERTOWN
PLC_MINPAY
```

The resulting name must be unique, i.e. if it is already a predefined boiler plate name, it will not be accessible. E.g. APP NAME.

#### **Questions**

Allows access to both the question answer and the description

```
QTN_<Type>_<Tag Location>_<Tag Question ID>
```

eg

```
QTN_A_P_CUR This could return the question answer for an applicant question CUR (currency)
QTN_D_P_CUR This could return the question description for an applicant question CUR (currency)
```

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A question answer will only be evaluated if the question is applicable to the rest of the substitutions.

#### **Letter / Consultant Fields**

All fields staff with 'LET'

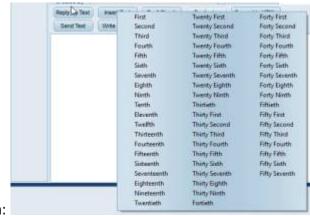
```
Boiler Plate Field
                   Example
LET TODAY
               1st January 2015
LET TODAY dd/mm/yyyy
                       01/01/2015
LET ADDRESSLONG Wester Newhouse, Lilliesleaf, Melrose, TD6 9JT
LET ADDRESS
               Wester Newhouse
           Lilliesleaf
           Melrose
           TD6 9JT
LET CONSULTANT
                   Fred Smith
LET_CONSULTANTTITLE Administrator
LET CONSULTANTEMAIL fred@iqx.co.uk
```



#### **Boilerplate menu list size**

If you have large numbers of Boilerplate Text these will appear in one large list and some may disappear off the screen. To make the list more manageable and ensure all templates can be seen it is possible to split the list into multiple smaller columns.





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