Offline Data Marketplace - File Formatting Checklist

FILE FORMATTING
All of the required columns are included in the exact order as listed, with no additional columns.
All of the column headers match exactly to what is listed.
Each record in a PII-based file contains at least one PII identifier.
Any additional PII for a given record is included on a separate row with the same Customer ID.
Fields do not have leading or trailing white space.
The file uses one of our allowed delimiters (commas, tabs, or pipes).
The file is one of our allowed file types (.csv, .tsv, .psv, or .txt).
The file was saved with UTF-8 encoding.
Fields are left blank if there is no data for the given row (do not include "N/A" or "null").
The file is rectangular.
FILE ENCRYPTION & COMPRESSION (OPTIONAL)
If file is encrypted, it's encrypted using GNU Privacy Guard (GPG) with LiveRamp's public key.
If file is compressed, it's compressed using gzip or Zip.
FILE NAMING
File name does not include spaces or special characters such as: !, @, #, \$, %, [,], :, {, }, ?, *, \.
File name does not start with a dot (.) or an underscore (_).
File name uses only ASCII characters.
File name is not longer than 250 characters.
File name includes the appropriate file extension.
If file is compressed, the uncompressed version has the correct file name and extension.
If sending multiple files, each file includes a numeric prefix after the description.
File name includes a brief Type of Data/Description and a Date/Timestamp.