In the push tractor mode, the perforation tear-off feature makes it easier to tear off a printed sheet at the perforation at the end of a printing job.

An application program usually sends a FF (form feed) code at the end of a page. If the FF code is followed by no data, the printer advances the paper perforation to a position directly under the tear edge of the top cover (tear off position) so you can easily tear off the printed sheet.

If printing ends in the middle of a page because no FF code is received from the application software, press ON LINE to set the printer off line. Then press LF/FF for more than two seconds. The paper advances to the tear-off position.

When the printer receives data after a page has been torn off, it retracts the paper to the TOF (top-of-form) position automatically, so no paper will be wasted.

Notes:

°   If you are using non-standard paper, the tear-off position might not be correct. In this case, change the form length setting in the printer.

°   Occasionally, you might not want the paper to automatically advance to the paper tear-off position. You can turn off this feature by changing TEAR OFF to OFF in the setup menu.

Faxback Document # 4233 will provide specific instructions for using the Setup menu.