



Gas Industry Standards Board

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TO: GISB Members, Interested Industry Participants, Posting on the GISB Home Page

FROM: Rae McQuade, Gas Industry Standards Board Executive Director

RE: Requests for Industry Comment on Minor Clarification and Correction

Please note the attached minor clarification and correction for R96044. This minor clarification and correction was endorsed by the GISB Executive Committee on October 15, 1998. The industry comment period on this minor clarification and correction begins today and ends on October 31.

All comments received by the GISB office by end of business October 31 will be posted on the home page and forwarded to the Executive Committee members for their consideration. If no adverse comments are received these corrections will be made to the version 1.3 GISB Nominations Related Standards Manual.

MEMORANDUM

Date: October 13, 1998

To: Rae McQuade - Executive Director, GISB
Mike Bray - Chairman, GISB Executive Committee

From: Denise Breeden - Co-Chair, Technical Subcommittee
Kim Van Pelt - Co-Chair, Technical Subcommittee

Subject: Technical Subcommittee Errata for R96044

The recommendation for R96044 created the new Confirmation Response Quick Response document (1.4.7), which was published in version 1.3 of the GISB Implementation Guides. The recommendation for R97045, which added the ability to send a proprietary code when the common code for a location is not available, was approved prior to the work done by the Technical Subcommittee on R96044. Therefore, R97045 did not include changes to the then non-existent Confirmation Response Quick Response. When the Technical Subcommittee completed their work on R96044, the corresponding changes needed for R97045 were inadvertently omitted. As a result, version 1.3 of the Confirmation Response Quick Response does not include the ability to send a proprietary code when the common code for a location is not available. This can be corrected via the changes outlined below. This was discussed at the August 17, 1998 Technical Subcommittee meeting, and approved with a sense of the room of 5 in favor and 0 opposed. Since the changes below only affect one page in the Nominations Related Standards Manual, the Technical Subcommittee recommends that this be handled as an errata to the version 1.3 Nominations Related Standards Manual.

Confirmation Response Quick Response (1.4.7)
Transaction Set Tables
"N1 Segments (Detail)" table - Add a "N103 Description" column to the table. For rows where N103 = 1, N103 Description will be "D-U-N-S Number, Dun & Bradstreet" For rows where N103 = 29, N103 Description will be "GISB/PI Data Reference Number" Add "ZY" to N103 for the "Location" data element row. The N103 Description column for code "ZY" will be "Transportation Service Provider's proprietary code (see n1)".
"N1 Segments (Detail)" table - Add a "Notes:" section under the table (skip a line and add it under the "Usage:" section) with an entry for n1. The n1 note will contain the following footnote specified in the recommendation form for R97045. [see next row]
[Footnote] "When a Transportation Service Provider's proprietary location code is employed pursuant to this standard, the parties agree that nominations, confirmations, scheduled quantities, and capacity release documents employing such code should be for one gas day at a time, and used only until there is a verified common code for the point associated with the proprietary location code. This would include daily nominations over a weekend. Within two months following the availability of the location the parties should employ the common code and no longer employ the proprietary code for identifying such location in the datasets related to the identified standards."