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North American Energy Standards Board

Request for Initiation of a NAESB Standard for Electronic Business Transactions or Enhancement of an Existing NAESB Standard for Electronic Business Transactions

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1. Submitting Entity & Address:

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3. Description of Proposed Standard or Enhancement:

Request changes to NAESB WGQ Transactional Reporting - Firm Transportation Standard
5.4.21

Add the following data elements to the Data Dictionary:

1. Location Contractual Maximum Pressure
2. Location Contractual Minimum Pressure
3. Secondary Indicator
4. Minimum Volumetric Commitment Percentage
5. Minimum Volumetric Commitment Quantity
6. Contract Rollover Indicator (Evergreen Indicator)

El Paso Corporation requests these additions to enhance the display of firm data. The data elements would be Senders Option.

Changes to existing data elements, request a change to EBB usage from Conditional to Senders Option for the following data elements: 1. Rate Reporting Level 2. Rate

Reporting Level Description. Elements are either redundant or in conflict with other data elements; Rate Charged Reference and rate Identification Code.

Request new code values for Rate Charged Reference: Discount, Weighted Average Tarriff

Request new code values for Rate Identification Code: Injection, Withdrawal, Deliverability, Authorized Overrun.

- 4. Use of Proposed Standard or Enhancement (include how the standard will be used, documentation on the description of the proposed standard, any existing documentation of the proposed standard, and required communication protocols):

The addition of elements and code values will provide El Paso Pipelines with additional flexibility to display information pertinent to firm transactions.

- 5. Description of Any Tangible or Intangible Benefits to the Use of the Proposed Standard or Enhancement:

NA

- 6. Estimate of Incremental Specific Costs to Implement Proposed Standard or Enhancement: Cost of Implementing should be those typically associated with development, testing and mapping of new data elements and code values.

- 7. Description of Any Specific Legal or Other Considerations:

NA

- 8. If This Proposed Standard or Enhancement Is Not Tested Yet, List Trading Partners Willing to Test Standard or Enhancement (Corporations and contacts):

NA

- 9. If This Proposed Standard or Enhancement Is In Use, Who are the Trading Partners:

NA

- 10. Attachments (such as : further detailed proposals, transaction data descriptions, information flows, implementation guides, business process descriptions, examples of ASC ANSI X12 mapped transactions):

Rate Charged Reference		
Code Value	Description	Code Value Definition
Discount		Discount rate
Weighted Average Tariff		Weighted Average Rate
		Code Value
		DIS
		WAR

Rate Identification Code			
Code Value	Description	Code Value Definition	Code Value
	Injection	A charge based on injections	INJ
	Withdrawal	A charge based on withdrawals	WTD
	Deliverability	A charge based on deliverability	DEL
	Authorized Overrun	A rate charged for Authorized Overrun	AOR