

Request for Initiation of a GISB Standard for Electronic Business Transactions
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Gas Industry Standards Board
Request for Initiation of a GISB Standard for Electronic Business Transactions
or
Enhancement of an Existing GISB Standard for Electronic Business Transactions

Date of Request: November 11, 1998

1. Submitting Entity & Address:

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3. Description of Proposed Standard or Enhancement:

Add the following code value description and definition for the Charge Type data element in the Transportation/Sales Invoice (3.4.1)

<u>Code Value Description</u>	<u>Code Value Definition</u>
Voluntary GRI	A charge type to identify a voluntary contribution to GRI

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 additional code value will be used to identify charges on an Invoice that are the result of a Service Requester's voluntary election to contribute additional monies to GRI.

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

Provides for identification of charges on an Invoice.

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6. Estimate of Incremental Specific Costs to Implement Proposed Standard or Enhancement:

None

7. Description of Any Specific Legal or Other Considerations:

None

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

N/A

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

N/A

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

None