

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: February 3, 1999

R99006

1. Submitting Entity & Address:

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3. Description of Proposed Standard or Enhancement:

This request is a follow-up to GISB request R97124 submitted by TransCapacity, which indicated that there is currently no agreed upon manner to identify PO1 (detail) level errors from the Nomination in the Nomination Quick Response document. R97124 requested that a GISB data element be defined to take the place of the current ANSI X12 data element that identifies the contract level (PO1 01 data element) in the Nomination and the Nomination Quick Response datasets.

We request that a similar data element be defined to take the place of the current ANSI X12 data element that identifies the location level (POC 01 data element) in the Pre-determined Allocation and the Pre-determined Allocation—Quick Response datasets. This data element will facilitate response processing.

And we request that a similar data element be defined to take the place of the current ANSI X12 data element that identifies the location level (PO1 01 data element) in the Request for Confirmation, Confirmation Response, and Confirmation Response Quick Response datasets. This data element will facilitate response processing.

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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):

None

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

When this change is in place, the Pre-determined Allocation process will be more efficient, since response datasets will not need to repeat the descriptive information that was contained in the originating document. Similarly, the Confirmation process will be more efficient, since response datasets will not need to repeat the descriptive information that was contained in the originating document.

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 Standards or Enhancement (Corporations and contacts):

Unknown

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

Unknown

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