

PROPOSED DRAFT LETTER TO IETF EDIINT

EDI INT working group,

The North American Energy Standards Board (NAESB) Wholesale Gas Quadrant Electronic Delivery Mechanism (EDM) Subcommittee has been requested to review the status of Internet Engineering Taskforce (IETF) Electronic Data Interchange on the Internet (EDIINT) AS2 as it pertains to NAESB EDM (formally GISB EDM). We understand the recent changes to AS2 exclude the relevant GISB EDM specifications.

NAESB EDM has a broad installation base within the natural gas industry and is being considered within the electric industry, making it a potential energy industry standard. NAESB is interested in continuing the dialog with IETF EDIINT as it relates to AS2 and NAESB EDM.

Please advise NAESB of the current AS2 status and what steps NAESB should undertake to further this discussion by responding to me at the above address or by email at NAESB1@AOL.COM.

Best regards,

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cc: WGQ EDM Co-chairs