Request For Clarification Or Interpretation

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Clarification or interpretation request:
Standard 1.3.3 states: “In addition to making scheduled quantities information available by 4:30 PM, at the end of each day transportation service providers should also make available to shippers information concerning scheduled quantities, including scheduled intra-day nominations and any other scheduling changes.

Possible interpretations or clarifications, if known:
Part one: Does this standard mean that a new scheduled quantity is sent at the end of every gas day?

   It is our expectation that such an “End-of-Gas-day-Scheduled Quantity” would be sent by transportation service providers to service requesters after the end of each gas day.

Part two: Will the information contained in the “End-of-Gas-day-Scheduled Quantity” be comprised of only those transactions scheduled to flow on the previous day inclusive of intra-day nominations and intra-day scheduling changes regardless of when they were initially nominated and confirmed?

   It is our expectation that such an “End-of-Gas-day-Scheduled Quantity” would contain all transactions scheduled the previous day without regard to when they were initially nominated or confirmed.

Part three: Will an “End-of-Gas-day-Scheduled Quantity” be sent even when there are no changes
to the previously transmitted “End-of-Gas-day-Scheduled Quantity” other than the date?

   It is our expectation that the receiver can waive the obligation of the sender to send but that absent such waiver by the receiver, the “End-of-Gas-day-Scheduled Quantity” would be sent every day.

Part four: Will an “End-of-Gas-day-Scheduled Quantity” be sent even when there are no changes to the previously transmitted “Scheduled Quantity” (i.e., the 4:30 PM prior to gas flow transmittal)?

   It is our expectation that the receiver can waive the obligation of the sender to send but that, absent such waiver by the receiver, the “End-of-Gas-day-Scheduled Quantity” would be sent every day.