

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

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3. Description of Proposed Standard or Enhancement:

The addition of a new Transaction Type code: Title Transfer.

A title transfer has different processing requirements than other types of nominations (e.g. confirming that both parties have agreed to the transfer). We feel that having an explicit transaction type to identify title transfers is necessary to distinguish them for special processing. This assumes that the Business Process Subcommittee will find that the existing dataset for Nominations can be used for Title Transfer transactions.

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 profucois):

A service requester would specify a transaction type of Title Transfer on a nomination in which they are transferring title to or from another party.

Description of Any Tangible or Intanglible Benefits to the Use of the Proposed Standard or Enhancement:

The new transaction type would allow the service provider to distinguish this nomination and apply separate processing rules to it.

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

None.

Description of Any Specific Legal or Other Considerations:

None.

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

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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.