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 15, 1999

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1. Submitting Entity & Address:

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3. Description of Proposed Standard or Enhancement:

Submitted in fulfillment of the following GISB Short Form Requests: WGP50, WGP87, and WGP143. Transco and Texas Gas request that GISB define a means of sending Capacity Release datasets relating to the Capacity Release “Want Ads.”

We request that GISB define a means of sending Capacity Release “Want Ads” to the Transportation Service Provider (TSP) to be posted.

We also request that GISB define a means of sending a request for the download of the Capacity Release “Want Ads,” and a companion dataset that communicates the contents of the Capacity Release “Want Ads.”
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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 request is satisfied, Williams Gas Pipeline will have a means of sending data that is now available on an EBB in an EDI and/or flat format.

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