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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:

Modify the capacity release data sets to accommodate the Releasing Shipper's ability to specify whether Gas Transaction Points can be changed after the capacity has been awarded. This modification will affect the Offer Upload, Offer Download, Award Download and Offer Upload Notification data sets.

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):

Currently, releasing shippers are able to specify on-line whether these points can be changed. These modifications will provide the same capability to parties utilizing the EDI data sets.

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

Modification of the capacity release data sets will provide comparability between the on-line and EDI transactions.

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

7. Description of Any Specific Legal or Other Considerations:

8. If This Proposed Standard or Enhancement Is Not Tested Yet, List Trading Partners Willing to Test Standard or Enhancement:

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

10. Attachments (such as : further detailed proposals, transaction data descriptions, information flows, implementation guides, business process descriptions, examples of ASC ANSI X12 mapped transactions):