

Gas Industry Standards Board

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PROPOSED INTERPRETATION FOR REQUEST C96031

Request:

How does the PDA Quick Response distinguish specific errors when PDAs have been submitted for multiple locations?

Proposed Standard:

"Both the PDA dataset (GISB Standard 2.4.1, version 1.3) and the PDA Quick Response dataset (GISB Standard 2.4.2, version 1.3) contain the data element PDA Submitter's Tracking ID (mandatory in the PDA and conditional in the PDA Quick Reponse). The purpose of this data element in the PDA process is to provide a means of identifying each particular location within the PDA document with a PDA submitter supplied identifier in order that the PDA receiver may respond in the PDA Quick Response document with errors or warnings (if needed) and when doing so, identify the particular location at which the error or warning condition existed."

Explanatory Notes for Industry Comment:

Version of 1.2 of the GISB standards were published on July 31, 1997. The next published version of GISB standards, version 1.3, will be released on January 31, 1998. At that time, the modifications to the PDA dataset and PDA Quick Response dataset for PDA Submitter's Tracking ID data element will be added.

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