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Instructions:

1. Please fill out as much of the requested information as possible. It is mandatory to provide a contact name, phone number and fax number to which questions can be directed. If you have an electronic mailing address, please make that available as well.
2. Attach any information you believe is related to the request. The more complete your request is, the less time is required to review it.
3. Once completed, send your request to:
Rae McQuade
NAESB, Executive Director
1301 Fannin, Suite 2350
Houston, TX 77002

Phone: 713-356-0060
Fax: 713-356-0067

by either mail, fax, or to NAESB's email address, naesb@aol.com.

Once received, the request will be routed to the appropriate subcommittees for review.

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Date of Request: November 26, 2003

1. Submitting Entity & Address:

El Paso Eastern Pipelines
ANR Pipeline
P.O. Box 2511
Houston, TX 77252-2511

2. Contact Person, Phone #, Fax #, Electronic Mailing Address:

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3. Description of Proposed Standard or Enhancement:

Request to change the Nominations set data mapping to allow for the Model type to be sent at a detailed level.

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):

In remapping the nomination dataset, NAESB moved the Model type from the nomination level to the contract level. ANR has contracts that require customers to send in both a path nomination and a non-pathed nomination. The NAESB mapping change will cause customers to change their process where they will no longer be able to send in all of the nominations for a contract in a single file.

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

Providing a option to send in this data element at the detail level will significantly reduce the cost of EDI for ANR customers without impacting the cost for other TSP's.

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

N/A

7. Description of Any Specific Legal or Other Considerations:

N/A

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

N/A

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):