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North American Energy Standards Board

Request for Initiation of a NAESB Standard for Electronic Business Transactions or Enhancement of an Existing NAESB Standard for Electronic Business Transactions

Date of Request: December 30, 2003

1. Submitting Entity & Address:

Williams Gas Pipeline 2800 Post Oak Boulevard P.O. Box 1396 Houston, TX 77251

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

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3. Description of Proposed Standard or Enhancement:

Williams Gas Pipeline (WGP) is requesting a new Mutually Agreeable data element be added in the Transportation / Sales Invoice – NAESB WGQ Std. 3.4.1

Discount Number

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):

This data element will provide WGP the ability to communicate the proprietary code assigned to the type of discount being applied.

WGP assigns the numbers within its accounting system that identifies the specific type of discount. It is reflected on its website and for EDI comparability, WGP is requesting that it be added to the Transportation / Sales Invoice – NAESB WGQ Std. 3.4.1. This is a reference number that is used by the accountants. This data element is for informational purposes only.

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

This is for informational purposes only.

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

Unknown

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 Standard 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):

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DATA DICTIONARY

Standard 3.4.1

Business Name (Abbreviation)	Definition	Model Data Group	EDI / FF Usage	Condition
Discount Number (Disc No)	Number identifying the discount, as assigned by the Payee.	TSDG	MA	

DATA GROUPS:

BEDG Business Entity Data Group
CDG Contracts Data Group
CurDG Currency Data Group
DDG Dates Data Group
DelDG Delivery Data Group
RecDG Receipt Data Group

SRLDG Service Requester Level Data Group
TSDG Transaction Specific Data Group