

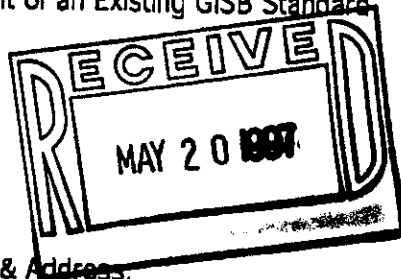
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Gas Industry Standards Board

Request for Initiation of a GISB Standard for Electronic Business Transactions

or

Enhancement of an Existing GISB Standard for Electronic Business Transactions

Date of Request: 5-19-97

1. Submitting Entity & Address:

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

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3. Description of Proposed Standard or Enhancement:

1.3.1 The standard time for GAS DAY SHOULD BE
9:00 AM + 9:00 AM Central standard time.

Changing to daylight savings for clock time is a
non-value added activity that is performed twice
per year. Changing to standard time from clock
time - As stated in 1.3.1 - minimizes errors
that occur in the frame of changing clocks and
minimized Audit questions associated with 23 &
25 hour gas days.

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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):

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

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

7. Description of Any Specific Legal or Other Considerations:

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

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):
