

**R98056**  
**Gas Industry Standards Board**  
**Request for Initiation of Standard for Electronic Business Transactions**  
**or**  
**Enhancement of an Existing GISB Standard for Electronic Business Transactions**

**1. Submitting Entity & Address:**

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**3. Description of Proposed Standard or Enhancement:**

TransCapacity requests two new datasets to accomplish the following purposes:

A dataset to upload a change of a service requesters name, address or D-U-N-S® Number to the Transportation Service Provider (Upload of SR Information).

A relevant quick response download to the upload of change of service requester information (Upload of SR Information Quick Response).

**4. Use of the Proposed Standard or Enhancement:**

The Upload of SR Information would be utilized as an electronic mechanism to convey any relevant changes in a service requesters name, address or D-U-N-S® Number to the Transportation Service Provider (TSP). (Note that it could also be used to change contact information, phone or facsimile number changes, etc.) In this manner, changes could be communicated electronically and automatically loaded into a TSP's back end system.

The Upload of SR Information Quick Response would be used to convey the acceptance of the uploaded document, or be used to transmit any relevant errors and/or warnings associated with the upload.

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

These datasets would allow an *electronic* method to communicate changes in service requesters information regarding common entity code, name, address etc. In this manner, the changes could be directly loaded into the TSP's back end database. This would eliminate and re-keying errors and would allow service requesters to avoid having to telephone in or write a letter to accomplish the same purpose.

The quick response "closes the loop" on the process and allows both parties to know that the changes have been accepted.

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

This request represents two new datasets. As such, there would be a one-time mapping costs associated with the datasets. Minor system change would also be necessary to accept and process these datasets and generate a quick response.

The variable transmission costs to exchange the information are inconsequential and in fact, approach zero.

**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**

TransCapacity is certainly willing and able to undertake testing with any party regarding this proposal.

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

N/A.

**10. Attachments**

None.