

ASC X12C COMMUNICATIONS AND CONTROLS SUBCOMMITTEE

Interim Meeting Minutes

APRIL 9, 12 Noon – 1 pm EDT

Attendance—12 people, 8 members

1. Thursday, April 9

1.1. Administration

- 1.1.1. The March 2020 Standing Meeting Minutes will be consider approved today, barring any objections.

1.2. Pending Items

- 1.2.1. [The All Zeros Proposal](#)—waiting on a response from X12N.

1.3. RFI Database

- 1.3.1. [RFI 2400](#) “How are ST/SE errors reported”

- 1.3.1.1. Staff wrote to the submitter, but have not received a response.

- 1.3.1.2. The subcommittee’s position is that the trading partner should use the ISX segment and send the code 32 “Control Segments for One or More Included Transaction Sets were Syntactically Invalid” in data element 716, which is available in Version 007010.

- 1.3.1.3. X12N asked that the subcommittee make a recommendation on how to use the ISX.

- 1.3.1.4. The subcommittee has added an example to its response.

- 1.3.1.5. Motion to approved the response passed unanimously.

- 1.3.2. [RFI 2429](#) “Interpretation for Use of Code Set from a Later Version”

- 1.3.2.1. The submitter believes that the introduction of data elements ISX03 and ISX04 makes RFI #50 out-of-date and asked for an updated response.

- 1.3.2.2. Currently, X12 doesn’t allow for changes to RFIs, though P&P is working on revisions to ASC02 that would allow them. It was suggested that a good approach to maintaining history would be to allow an RFI to be deprecated with a reference to a correction RFI.

1.3.2.3. Motion to approve the following response passed unanimously: “This RFI is requesting a change to an approved RFI. X12 does not change final RFI’s.”

1.4. Active

1.4.1. MR [014120](#) “Add a new data element to the ST segment that will contain the value from data element ISX03.”

1.4.1.1. No subcommittees have reported to X12J about this MR.

1.4.1.2. X12N Management reviewed it and thought that it was unnecessary.

1.4.1.3. X12I and X12M are both against it.

1.4.1.4. Motion to disapprove the MR passed unanimously. The Chair will write a reason for disapproval.

1.4.2. CR [1685](#) “Request to modify two images in the Acknowledgment Reference Model.”

1.4.2.1. Recommendations for possible terminology changes to the 997 figure:

Change the X12 submitter’s first arrow from “X12 Message ()” to “Data Stream”

Change the X12 submitter’s second arrow from “X12 Message ()” to “Functional Group”

Change the X12 submitter’s third arrow from “X12 (or other Message) to “Transaction Set”

Leave the X12 submitter’s fourth arrow as “Data ()”

1.4.2.2. The subcommittee decided that it needs to examine the rest of the document to consider what changes might need to be made in the figures to improve consistency and clarity. Chair will propose something for the next meeting and will use nomenclature from the document where possible.

Meeting adjourned at 12:30 PM EDT