ASC X12C COMMUNICATIONS AND CONTROLS
SUBCOMMITTEE

Interim Meeting Minutes

SEPTEMBER 10, 12 Noon – 1 pm EDT

Attendance—13 people, 9 constituents

1. Thursday, September 10

1.1. Administration

1.1.1. Constituent attendance spreadsheet is posted in the X12C iMeet workspace.

1.2. Pending Items

1.2.1. The All Zeros Proposal—still pending

1.2.2. TR3 Change Request 1933—still pending

1.3. RFI Database

None

1.4. Active

1.4.1. CR 1685 “Request to modify two images in the Acknowledgment Reference Model.”

1.4.1.1. X12 is now converting all remaining change requests to maintenance requests. Once 1685 is converted to a MR, the subcommittee will resume its work on it.

1.4.2. MR 017220 “Modify section 2.3.8 in X12.61”

1.4.2.1. This was previously approved.

1.4.2.2. Examples 2.8 and 2.9 have been added to the draft document and are highlighted in red.

1.4.2.3. Chair has informed the MR submitter, Chris Hight, that the document has been updated.

1.4.3. MR 008318

1.4.3.1. This MR was approved in the 2020-07 ASC Technical Ballot, but had two technical disapproval comments, which X12J referred to this subcommittee.

1.4.3.2. Chair will report a technical problem concerning this ballot-approved MR to the ASC Chair and Vice-chair and recommend invalidating the ballot.

1.4.3.3. The subcommittee agreed on this revised C072 definition:
1.4.3.3.1. The loop ID given on the transaction set diagram are the values for C072-01 and C072-02. For example, the loop ID in the transaction set diagram for transaction set 100 is 10500. C072-01 is 1 and C072-02 is 0500. C072-03 is assigned by an implementation guide author. It can be, for example, like an X12 TR3 Loop ID suffix, simply AB, or a fuller expression, such as, 2010AB. It can also use a convention that displays the nesting of loops, such as: 2110-AK2/IK3/IK4.

1.4.3.4. The Chair noted that X12.6 Application Control Structures’ Section 3.8.3.2 “Loops of Data Segments” would need to have its BNF example revised as well. Its min and max values will need to be changed and the valid character set for characters 2 and after will need to be changed to the Basic Character Set. Max-Gerd Retzlaff volunteered to draft a revised BNF example.

1.4.3.5. The Chair will contact X12F to see if they are interested in these changes.

Meeting adjourned at 12:45 PM EDT