

# ASC X12C COMMUNICATIONS AND CONTROLS SUBCOMMITTEE

## Interim Meeting Minutes

OCTOBER 10, 12 Noon – 1 pm EDT

Attendance—11 people, 8 members

### 1. Thursday, October 10

#### 1.1. Administration

- 1.1.1. The Fall Standing Meeting minutes are posted in the X12C iMeet Workspace and will be approved as of 10/24, barring suggested corrections.

#### 1.2. Pending Items

- 1.2.1. None

#### 1.3. RFI Database

- 1.3.1. RFI 2322 may have been forgotten by X12N. Stacey Barber will research.

- 1.3.2. RFI 2400 is new and concerns control segment errors.

- 1.3.2.1. Chair's notes: "RFI 1339 nearly mentions this scenario and goes on to recommend this: "ASC X12C will enter a DM to add codes to AK905 (Data Element 716) to account for this scenario." In version 007010 code value 32 was added to data element 716. The definition is: "Control Segments for One or More Included Transaction Sets were Syntactically Invalid." Although that gets part of the way there, the inability to report anything about an invalid ST remains an issue for the AK2.

- 1.3.2.2. Subcommittee agreed that the principle should be to go up a level and not use the AK2 loop at all.

- 1.3.2.3. The Chair will write up a draft response and circulate it.

#### 1.4. Active Items

- 1.4.1. [Change Request 1933](#), "X12 Version/Release Number in ISA12 Does Not Have to Match Value in GS08"

- 1.4.1.1. Submitter suggests a way to explain in TR3s in the ISA segment that you might be using the new elements in ISX.

- 1.4.1.2. Stacey will take this CR to X12N.

- 1.4.2. New X12C MR on reporting invalid data that would cause a syntax error in a 999 or TA1
  - 1.4.2.1. X12N decided during the Fall Standing Meeting that they will add a data element note on DE 724 in IK04 and TED07.
  - 1.4.2.2. The originating CR for this issue was [CR 1880](#).
  - 1.4.2.3. Pete Anderson is still considering an all 9s solution for invalid characters in these elements: AK101, AK102, AK103, AK201, AK202, AK203, CTX01-02.
  - 1.4.2.4. The subcommittee agreed that principle of going up a level works for these elements too. Instead of an all 9s solution, if an AK1 can't be created, then send a TA1, which is the top level. I18 has the code 024 "Invalid Interchange Content," which could be used. TR3s could have a front matter section that explains how to handle garbled data.
  - 1.4.2.5. Stacey will take these suggestions to X12N.

Meeting adjourned at 12:30 PM EDT