**Change Request**

**for the update of ISO 20022 financial repository items**

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1. **Related messages:**

*Goods* block in *Baseline* in

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| **#** | **Message ID** | **Message Name** |
| 1 | tsmt.009.001.04 | BaselineAmendmentRequestV04 |
| 2 | tsmt.012.001.04 | BaselineReSubmissionV04 |
| 3 | tsmt.018.001.04 | FullPushThroughReportV04 |
| 4 | tsmt.019.001.04 | InitialBaselineSubmissionV04 |

1. **Description of the change request:**





Request change to the element *GoodsDescription* in *Goods* in *Baseline*

1. Change cardinality to make this element mandatory
2. Rename element to ‘Goods and/or service description’
3. Create new identifier element to allow the user to specify and select if the transaction involves an underlying ‘Good’ or ‘Service’. This identifier is not there at present.
4. Increase size of this element from 70 to 150 characters
5. **Purpose of the change:**

Trade has been identified as being high risk from the perspective of money laundering by regulators and industry associations around the world.

US alone, based on FINCEN’s advisory dated Feb 2010 that SAR reporting related to Trade based money laundering is increasing. Between Jan 2004 and May 2009, the reported transactions involved aggregated to over US$276billion

<http://www.fincen.gov/statutes_regs/guidance/pdf/fin-2010-a001.pdf>

In order to align with current and evolving regulatory demands in this area, the *tsmt* messages that support the BPO need to be enhanced to better ensure compliance with these demands.

1. **Urgency of the request:**

To be handled in accordance with the normal yearly maintenance cycle.

1. **Business examples:**

Documents such as Letters of Credit, Bills of Lading, and Invoices all provide for description of goods.

1. **SEG recommendation:**

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| **Consider** | X | **Timing** |
|  | - **Next yearly cycle: 2014/2015**(the change will be considered for implementation in the yearly maintenance cycle which starts in 2014 and completes with the publication of new message versions in the spring of 2015) | X |
|  | - **At the occasion of the next maintenance of the messages**(the change will be considered for implementation, but does not justify maintenance of the messages in its own right – will be pending until more critical change requests are received for the messages) |  |
|  | - **Urgent unscheduled**(the change justifies an urgent implementation outside of the normal yearly cycle) |  |  |
|  | - **Other timing:** |  |

Comments:

Agreed to:

1) Rename element to ‘Goods and/or service description’

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| **Reject** |  |

The Trade SEG rejected the following changes:

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4) Increase size of this element from 70 to 150 characters

Reason for rejection:

Goods description viewed as summary information of a general nature, not suited for automated screening. Detailed, structured information on the goods, can be found in *LineItemDetails*, and better supports matching to ensure compliance.