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cprocess name="orderService"
    targetNamespace="http://servicecomputing.org/bpel4ws/purchase"
    xmlns="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/ws/2003/03/business-process/"
    xmlns:lns="http://servicecomputing.org/wsdl/po"> 
<!--define partner links -->
                                                                 The namespace
  <partnerLinks>
                                                                 including WSDL
    <partnerLink name="purchasing"</pre>
                 partnerLinkType="lns:supplyLT"
                 myRole="purchaseService"/>
    <partnerLink name="payment"</pre>
                                                      The role that the
                 partnerLinkType="lns:paymentLT"
                                                      process play
                 myRole="paymentRequestor" 
                 partnerRole="paymentServiceRequestor"/>
    <partnerLink name="shipping"</pre>
                 partnerLinkType="lns:shippingLT"
                                                             The role that the
                 myRole="shippingtRequestor"
                                                             partner play
                 partnerRole="shippingServiceRequestor"/>
    </partnerLinks>
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<!--define process-->
  <sequence>
    <receive partnerLink="purchasing"</pre>
             portType="lns:purchaseOrderPT"
             operation="submitPurchaseOrder"
             variable="PurchaseOrder"> variables processing
    </receive>
                                         maybe om tted
    <invoke partnerLink="payment" <-</pre>
            portType="lns:paymentPT"
            operation="submitPayment"
            inputVariable="PaymentReques/t"
            outpurVariable="PaymentResponse">
    </invoke>
    <invoke partnerLink="shipping"</pre>
            portType="lns:shippingPT"
            operation="submitShipping"
            inputVariable="ShippingRequest"
            outpurVariable="ShippingtResponse">
    </invoke>
    <reply partnerLink="purchasing"</pre>
           portType="lns:purchaseOrderPT"
           operation="submitPurchaseOrder"
           variable="Result"/>
  </sequence>
</process>
```

Variables are used to maintain state data and process history