**NIEM Conformance Assertion**

**Assertion:** This NIEM IEPD is certified to conform to the following NIEM specifications:

* Conformance v3.0, URI = <http://reference.niem.gov/niem/conformance/3.0/>
* Naming and Design Rules v3.0, URI = <http://reference.niem.gov/niem/specification/naming-and-design-rules/3.0/>
* Model Package Description v3.0, URI = <http://reference.niem.gov/niem/specification/model-package-description/3.0/>

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**Details of conformance verification**

1. How NIEM conformance was verified:
   1. Automatic (tool) checks were performed with NIEM-aware and XML Schema tools identified below.
   2. Manual (subjective) checks on conformance rules were performed by the author/certifier.
2. Tools employed:
   1. NIEM Schema Subset Generator (SSGT) (for NIEM 3.0) generated all subset schema documents.
   2. XMLSpy Professional 2014r2 SP1 was used for initial editing and validation of extension schema documents, constraint schema documents, and all other XML artifacts. This tool also validated a number of NIEM NDR rules.
3. Results:
   1. No known major issues remain.
   2. All XML artifacts are well-formed and valid.