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Title: Can a Noun Form Be Created on the Basis of a Unary Verb Concept

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Summary:

The entry for Noun Form in SBVR is currently silent as to whether or not a noun form can be based on a unary verb concept.

\* If the answer is no, a Note should say as much.

\* If the answer is yes, an example should be given.

Resolution:

The answer is 'yes'; there is no restriction on the type of verb concept that a noun form is based on.

Revised Text:

In SBVR 1.4, Clause 12.3.2 (pg. 68), add the following Example at the end of the entry for “noun form”:

1. 'late shipment' for the unary verb concept 'shipment is late'. This form yields a shipment having the characteristic of being late.

In SBVR 1.4, Annex A.2 (pg. 272), add the following sentences to the end of the paragraph for “verb”:

A unary verb concept can have an implicit noun form that is usable in statements and definitions. For example, the implicit noun form of the verb concept 'shipment is late' is 'late shipment', meaning a shipment having the characteristic of being late.

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