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2. Contract No.	3. Solicitation No. W52H09-04-R-0160	4. Type of Solicitation Negotiated (RFP)	5. Date Issued 2004MAY05	6. Requisition/Purchase No. SEE SCHEDULE
7. Issued By TACOM-ROCK ISLAND AMSTA-LC-CSC-C ROCK ISLAND IL 61299-7630		Code W52H09	8. Address Offer To (If Other Than Item 7)	

SOLICITATION NOTE: In sealed bid solicitations 'offer' and 'offeror' mean 'bid' and 'bidder'.

9. Sealed offers in original and 1 signed copies for furnishing the supplies or services in the Schedule will be received at the place specified in item 8, or if handcarried, in the depository located in _____ until 03:45pm (hour) local time 2004JUN15 (Date).

Caution - Late Submissions, Modifications, and Withdrawals: See Section L, Provision No. 52.214-7 or 52.215-1. All offers are subject to all terms and conditions contained in this solicitation.

10. For Information Call:	Name ANN HAMERLINCK E-mail address: HAMERLINCKA@RIA.ARMY.MIL	Telephone No. (Include Area Code) (NO Collect Calls) (309)782-3946
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OFFER (Must be fully completed by offeror)

NOTE: Item 12 does not apply if the solicitation includes the provisions at 52.214-16, Minimum Bid Acceptance Period.

12. In compliance with the above, the undersigned agrees, if this offer is accepted within _____ calendar days (60 calendar days unless a different period is inserted by the offeror) from the date for receipt of offers specified above, to furnish any or all items upon which prices are offered at the price set opposite each item, delivered at the designated point(s), within the time specified in the schedule.

13. Discount For Prompt Payment (See Section I, Clause No. 52.232-8)

14. Acknowledgment of Amendments (The offeror acknowledges receipt of amendments to the Solicitation for offerors and related documents numbered and dated:	Amendment Number	Date	Amendment Number	Date

15A. Contractor/Offeror/Quoter	Code	Facility	16. Name and Title of Person Authorized to Sign Offer (Type or Print)
15B. Telephone Number (Include Area Code)	15C. Check if Remittance Address is Different From Blk 15A- Furnish Such Address In Offer	17. Signature	18. Offer Date
	<input type="checkbox"/>		

AWARD (To be completed by Government)

19. Accepted As To Items Numbered	20. Amount	21. Accounting And Appropriation	
22. Authority For Using Other Than Full And Open Competition: <input type="checkbox"/> 10 U.S.C. 2304(c)() <input type="checkbox"/> 41 U.S.C. 253(c)()		23. Submit Invoices To Address Shown In (4 copies unless otherwise specified)	Item
24. Administered By (If other than Item 7)	Code	25. Payment Will Be Made By	Code
SCD PAS ADP PT			
26. Name of Contracting Officer (Type or Print)		27. United States Of America _____ /SIGNED/ (Signature of Contracting Officer)	28. Award Date

IMPORTANT - Award will be made on this Form, or on Standard Form 26, or by other authorized official written notice.

Name of Offeror or Contractor:

SECTION A - SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1. THIS SOLICITATION REQUIRES ACCESS TO A CLASSIFIED SPECIFICATION. CONTRACTOR MUST HAVE A SECRET FACILITY CLEARANCE BEFORE THIS DOCUMENT IS RELEASED. SEE DD FORM 254 "DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE CONTRACT SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SPECIFICATION" FOR FURTHER GUIDANCE. (ATTACHMENT 002)

2. THIS SOLICITATION SEEKS PROPOSALS AND BID SAMPLES FOR THE AWARD OF A 5-YEAR FIRM FIXED PRICE INDEFINITE-DELIVERY INDEFINITE-QUANTITY CONTRACT FOR:

- (1) M25 STABILIZED BINOCULARS,
- (2) DEPOT LEVEL SUPPORT FOR M25 STABILIZED BINOCULARS, AND
- (3) SPARE AND REPAIR PARTS FOR M25 STABILIZED BINOCULARS

IT ALSO INCLUDES REQUIREMENTS FOR:

- (1) FIRST ARTICLE TEST AND HARDWARE,
- (2) CONFIRMATORY TEST HARDWARE AND SUPPORT, AND
- (3) ELECTRONIC ORDER PROCESSING (CAV)

THE FIRST ARTICLE TEST AND HARDWARE REQUIREMENT AND THE CONFIRMATORY TEST HARDWARE AND SUPPORT REQUIREMENT MAY BE WAIVED FOR OFFERORS WHO HAVE SUCCESSFULLY PRODUCED THIS ITEM UNDER GOVERNMENT SOURCE INSPECTION WITHIN THE LAST 12 MONTHS.

3. PROPOSALS SHALL BE SUBMITTED PURSUANT TO SECTION L OF THE SOLICITATION, THE AWARD DECISION WILL BE MADE PURSUANT TO SECTION M OF THE SOLICITATION. THE TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS ARE SET FORTH IN THE ATTACHED SCOPE OF WORK (SOW).

4. THE PROPOSED ORDERING PERIODS:

- ORDERING PERIOD (OP) 1: AWARD DATE - 30 SEP 05
- ORDERING PERIOD (OP) 2: 01 OCT 05 - 30 SEP 06
- ORDERING PERIOD (OP) 3: 01 OCT 06 - 30 SEP 07
- ORDERING PERIOD (OP) 4: 01 OCT 07 - 30 SEP 08
- ORDERING PERIOD (OP) 5: 01 OCT 08 - 30 SEP 09

5. MINIMUM GUARANTEED QUANTITIES. THE MINIMUM GUARANTEED QUANTITY TO BE AWARDED UNDER THIS SOLICITATION IS LISTED BELOW.

NOMENCLATURE	PER	PER	GUARANTEED MINIMUM QUANTITY	TOTAL ESTIMATED MAXIMUM CONTRACT QUANTITY
M25 STABILIZED BINOCULAR	STATEMENT OF WORK	PURCHASE DESCRIPTION	600	10,000
		AR-PD-121		

6. THE GUARANTEED MINIMUM QUANTITY LISTED ABOVE FOR THE M25 STABILIZED BINOCULAR WILL BE AWARDED, AS IT REPRESENTS THE GUARANTEED "MINIMUM" QUANTITY, DEFINED BY THE REFERENCED FAR AND DFARS CLAUSES CONTAINED WITHIN THIS SOLICITATION.

7. THE ORDERING RANGES, AS SHOWN ON THE PRICING CHART AT ATTACHMENT 001, IS PROVIDED SOLELY FOR THE PURPOSE OF ESTABLISHING REASONABLE RANGES OF QUANTITIES AGAINST WHICH TO PROVIDE PRICES, AND TO ESTABLISH ORDERING LIMITATIONS IN THE EVENT THAT ORDERS BEYOND THE INSTANT MINIMUM QUANTITY ARE EXECUTED.

8. THE STATED MINIMUM/MAXIMUM QUANTITY PER ORDERING RANGE, OTHER THAN THE GUARANTEED MINIMUM QUANTITY LISTED IN PARAGRAPH 5 ABOVE IS NOT GUARANTEED BUY QUANTITIES. AN AWARD UNDER THIS SOLICITATION IN NO WAY OBLIGATES THE GOVERNMENT TO PLACE ANY ADDITIONAL ORDERS BEYOND THE GUARANTEED MINIMUM QUANTITY.

9. ALL PRICES WILL BE SUBMITTED ON PRICING SHEET ATTACHMENT 001, SECTION B, AND OFFERORS PRICING SHEET AS

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SPECIFIED IN SECTIONS B AND L OF THE SOLICITATION. IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED, THE OFFEROR SHALL SUBMIT A PRICE FOR ALL ITEMS THAT ARE LISTED ON THE PRICING SHEET AND SECTIONS B AND L OF THE SOLICITATION.

10. ALL DELIVERY ORDERS WILL BE ISSUED UNILATERALLY BY THE GOVERNMENT WITH FIRM DELIVERY DATES AT THE UNIT PRICE CORRESPONDING TO THE ORDERING PERIOD.

11. AWARD WILL BE BASED ON A GO/NO GO EVALUATION OF BID SAMPLES AND TECHNICAL PROPOSALS AND AN INTEGRATED ASSESSMENT OF THE PRICE FACTORS AND NON-PRICE FACTORS OF EACH PROPOSAL HOWEVER, THE CLOSER THE OFFERORS EVALUATIONS ARE IN THE NON-PRICE FACTORS, THE MORE SIGNIFICANT THE FACTOR OF PRICE BECOMES IN THE DECISION.

*** END OF NARRATIVE A 002 ***

Regulatory Cite	Title	Date
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A-1	HQ, DA NOTICE TO OFFERORS - USE OF CLASS I OZONE-DEPLETING SUBSTANCES	JUL/1993
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(a) In accordance with Section 326 of P.L. 102-484, the Government is prohibited from awarding any contract which includes a specification or standard that requires the use of a Class I ozone-depleting substance (ODS) identified in Section 602(a) of the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. 7671a(a), or that can be met only through the use of such a substance unless such use has been approved, on an individual basis, by a senior acquisition official who determines that there is no suitable substitute available.

(b) To comply with this statute, the Government has conducted a best efforts screening of the specifications and standards associated with this acquisition to determine whether they contain any ODS requirements. To the extent that ODS requirements were revealed by this review they are identified in Section C with the disposition determined in each case.

(c) If offerors possess any special knowledge about any other ODSs required directly or indirectly at any level of contract performance, the U.S. Army would appreciate if such information was surfaced to the Contracting Officer for appropriate action. To preclude delay to the procurement, offerors should provide any information in accordance with FAR 52.214-6 or 52.215-14 as soon as possible after release of the solicitation and prior to the submission of offers to the extent practicable. It should be understood that there is no obligation on offerors to comply with this request and that no compensation can be provided for doing so.

(End of Clause)

(AA7020)

A-2	52.201-4501 NOTICE ABOUT TACOM-RI OMBUDSMAN TACOM-RI	APR/2002
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a. We have an Ombudsman Office here at TACOM-RI. Its purpose is to open another channel of communication with TACOM-RI contractors.

b. If you think that this solicitation:

1. has inappropriate requirements; or
2. needs streamlining; or
3. should be changed

you should first contact the buyer or the Procurement Contracting Officer (PCO).

c. The buyer's name, phone number and address are on the cover page of this solicitation.

d. If the buyer or PCO doesn't respond to the problem to your satisfaction, or if you want to make comments anonymously, you can contact the Ombudsman Office. The address and phone number are:

U.S. Army TACOM-RI
AMSTA-AQ-AR (OMBUDSMAN)
Rock Island IL 61299-7630

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Phone: (309) 782-3224

Electronic Mail Address: ombudsman@ria.army.mil

e. If you contact the Ombudsman, please provide him with the following information:

- (1) TACOM-RI solicitation number;
- (2) Name of PCO;
- (3) Problem description;
- (4) Summary of your discussions with the buyer/PCO.

(End of clause)

(AS7006)

A-3 52.204-4505 DISCLOSURE OF UNIT PRICE INFORMATION FEB/2003
TACOM-RI

This constitutes notification pursuant to Executive Order 12600, Pre-Disclosure Notification Procedures for Confidential Commercial Information (June 23,1987), of our intention to release unit prices of the awardee in response to any request under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 USC 552. Unit price is defined as the contract price per unit or item purchased. We consider any objection to be waived unless the contracting officer is notified of your objection to such release prior to submission of initial proposals.

(End of clause)

AS7909

A-4 52.204-4506 PUBLIC ACTIVITY INVOLVEMENT FEB/2003
TACOM-RI

Subcontract opportunities under this solicitation and any resulting contracts are open to competition between Department of Defense activities and private firms. In addition, Army Industrial Facilities are available to sell manufactured articles or to perform work at such Facilities on behalf of Offerors, in certain circumstances and as permitted by law. Rock Island Arsenal, Watervliet Arsenal, Anniston Army Depot, Sierra Army Depot, and Red river Army Depot have expressed interest in securing subcontracting opportunities under this RFP. For information related to the capabilities of these facilities, and Points of Contact, see www.gsie.army.mil

(End of Clause)

AS7005

A-5 52.210-4516 COMMERCIAL EQUIVALENT ITEM(S) JUN/1998
TACOM-RI

THE GOVERNMENT HAS A PREFERENCE TO SATISFY ITS NEEDS THROUGH THE ACQUISITION OF COMMERCIAL ITEMS. IF YOU KNOW OF ANY COMMERCIAL EQUIVALENT ITEM(S) FOR THOSE LISTED IN THIS SOLICITATION, PLEASE CONTACT THE CONTRACTING OFFICE. INFORMATION PROVIDED WILL BE CONSIDERED FOR FUTURE PROCUREMENTS.

(END OF CLAUSE)

(AS7003)

A-6 52.211-4506 INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING SUBSTITUTIONS FOR MILITARY AND FEDERAL DEC/1997
TACOM-RI SPECIFICATIONS AND STANDARDS

(a) Section I of this document contains DFARS clause 252.211-7005, Substitutions for Military Specifications and Standards, which allows bidders/quoters/offerors to propose Management Council approved Single Process Initiatives (SPIs) in their bids/quotes/offers, in lieu of military or Federal specifications and standards cited in this solicitation.

(b) An offeror proposing to use an SPI process under this solicitation shall identify the following for each proposed SPI as required by DFARS 252.211-7005 contained in Section I:

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SPI	MILITARY/FEDERAL SPEC/STANDARD	LOCATION OF REQUIREMENT	FACILITY	ACO
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

(c) An offeror proposing to use an SPI process under this solicitation shall also provide a copy of the Department of Defense acceptance for each SPI process proposed.

(d) In the event an offeror does not identify any SPI in paragraph (b) above, the Government shall conclude that the bidder/quoter/offeror submits its bid/quote/proposal in accordance with the requirements of this solicitation.

(e) The price that is provided by the offeror in the Schedule in Section B will be considered as follows:

(1) If an SPI is identified in paragraph (b) above, the Government will presume that the price is predicated on the use of the proposed SPI.

(2) If there is no SPI identified in paragraph (b) above, the Government will presume the price is predicated on the requirements as stated in the solicitation.

(f) Bidders/quoters/offerors are cautioned that there is always the possibility that the Government could make a determination at the Head of the Contracting (HCA)/Program Executive Officer (PEO) level that the proposed SPI is not acceptable for this procurement. If such a determination is made, and the bid/quote/offer only identifies a price predicated on use of proposed SPI, the bid/quote/offer will be determined nonresponsive. Bidders/quoters/offerors who propose SPI processes are encouraged to provide a price below to reflect their price for the item manufactured in accordance with the requirements as stated in this solicitation to preclude possibly being determined nonresponsive:

CLIN _____	PRICE \$ _____

(End of clause)

(AS7008)

A-7 52.215-4503 NOTICE TO OFFERORS - ELECTRONIC BID/OFFER RESPONSE REQUIRED FEB/2002
TACOM-RI

1. In accordance with Management Reform Memorandum (MRM) #2 from the Department of Defense (DoD), all Services are required to eliminate paper from their acquisition process by January 1, 2000 (see information at <http://www.acq.osd.mil/pcipt/>).

2. In response to this mandate, TACOM-RI has established the capability to receive bids, proposals, and quotes electronically. A hotlink from the TACOM-RI Solicitation Page has been activated to fully automate the response process (see <http://aais.ria.army.mil/aais/SOLINFO/index.htm>).

3. **IMPORTANT:** Bids/proposals/quotes in response to this solicitation are REQUIRED to be submitted in electronic format. Hard copy bids/offers/quotes WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

4. Your attention is drawn to the following clauses in Section L of this solicitation for instructions and additional information:

LS7011, Electronic Bids/Offers - TACOM-RI
(TACOM-RI 52.215-4510)

LS7013, Electronic Award Notice - TACOM-RI
(TACOM-RI 52.215-4511)

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ITEM NO	SUPPLIES/SERVICES	QUANTITY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
0001	<p>SECTION B - SUPPLIES OR SERVICES AND PRICES/COSTS</p> <p><u>PRODUCTION QUANTITY</u></p> <p>SECURITY CLASS: Unclassified</p> <p>NOUN: FIRST ARTICLE TEST AND HARDWARE</p> <p>Clin 0001 will be awarded as a 5 year IDIQ (Indefinite Delivery Indefinite Quantity) contract, Inaccoradance with FAR 52.216-22.</p> <p>If First Article is deemed necessary, the First Article Test Report will be due 270 days after issuance of delivery order. Production quantity will be required 360 days after First Article approval, at a monthly production rate of 150 each through quantity completion.</p> <p>If First Article is not required, the production quantity will be required 270 days after the issuance of delivery order, at a monthly rate of 150 each through quantity completion.</p> <p>PRICING IS REQUIRED ON ATTACHMENT SHEET 001</p> <p>(End of narrative B001)</p> <p>Packaging requirements are furnished in Section D and the Purchase Description of the solicitation.</p> <p>(End of narrative D001)</p>				
0002	<p><u>DATA ITEM</u></p> <p>NOUN: DD FORM 1423</p>			\$ ** NSP **	\$ ** NSP **

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ITEM NO	SUPPLIES/SERVICES	QUANTITY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
0003	SECURITY CLASS: Unclassified NO DD250'S REQUIRED (End of narrative B001) <u>Inspection and Acceptance</u> INSPECTION: Origin ACCEPTANCE: Origin <u>PRODUCTION QUANTITY</u> SECURITY CLASS: Unclassified CONFIRMATORY (OPERATIONAL/RELIABILITY) TEST HARDWARE AND SUPPLY PRICING SHEET ATTACHMENT 001 SEE SECTION L.5.2 (End of narrative B001)				
0004	<u>PRODUCTION QUANTITY</u> SECURITY CLASS: Unclassified DEPOT LEVEL MAINTENANCE SUPPORT PROVIDE PRICING ON YOUR OWN PRICING SHEET SEE SECTION L.5.4 (End of narrative B001)				
0005	<u>PRODUCTION QUANTITY</u> SECURITY CLASS: Unclassified				

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ITEM NO	SUPPLIES/SERVICES	QUANTITY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
0006	<p>SPARE PARTS/ACCESSORIES PROVIDE PRICING ON YOUR OWN PRICING SHEET</p> <p>SEE SECTION L.5.5.1</p> <p>(End of narrative B001)</p> <p><u>PRODUCTION QUANTITY</u></p> <p>SECURITY CLASS: Unclassified</p> <p>COMMERCIAL ASSET VISIBILITY (CAV) FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION FOR MAINTENANCE AND SPARE PARTS (SET-UP ELECTRONIC ORDER PROCESSING)</p> <p>PROVIDE PRICING ON PRICING SHEET ATTACHMENT SHEET 001</p> <p>SEE SECTION L.5.5.2</p> <p>(End of narrative B001)</p>				

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SECTION C - DESCRIPTION/SPECIFICATIONS/WORK STATEMENT

	<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
C-1	52.210-4511 TACOM-RI	STATEMENT OF WORK - OZONE DEPLETING CHEMICALS	MAR/1994

(a) (1) Specifications and standards, which identify ODCs among alternative substances for use, are part of this TDP/SOW as follows:

NONE

(2) The above specifications and standards allow the optional use of Ozone Depleting Substances (ODS) or Ozone Depleting Chemicals (ODC). Preference should be given to the Non-ODS/ODC choices in compliance with Executive Order 12843, dated April 21, 1993, 'Procurement Requirements and Policies for Federal Agencies for Ozone Depleting Substances'.

(b) Other specifications and standards containing ODS/ODC materials and included in this TDP/SOW for which a substitute is provided and must be used are as follows:

NONE

(c) Other specifications and standards included in this TDP/SOW that specify use of an ODS/ODC and have been approved for use are as follows:

NONE

(d) NOTE: Offerors are requested, although not obligated, to perform their own screening of the TDP specifications and standards or SOW and identify any additional potential ODS/ODC to the Contracting Officer.

(End of Clause)

(CS6191)

C-2	52.247-4503 TACOM-RI	STATEMENT OF WORK - TRANSPORTATION SECURITY REQUIREMENTS	MAY/1993
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Supplies procured under this contract are identified as -1-, requiring Transportation Protective Service (TPS) in accordance with DOD 5100.76M (Physical Security of Sensitive Conventional Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives) and AR 55-355/DLAR 4500.3 (Defense Traffic Management Regulation) as added to or amended by applicable military service policies in accordance with guidance provided by Defense Logistics Agency (DLA)/Defense Contract Management Command (DCMC) or other components assigned to provide contract administration services (CAS) within designated/delegated geographic areas as specified under DOD 4105.59H, DOD Directory of Contract Administration Service Components, dated January 1985, and subsequent issues thereof for offshore/OCONUS procurements.

(End of Statement of Work)

(CS6101)

C-3	52.247-4504 TACOM-RI	TRANSPORTATION SECURITY REQUIREMENTS FOR CONTRACTOR-TO-CONTRACTOR SHIPMENTS	MAY/1993
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(a) Supplies procured or furnished under this contract/subcontract, which are shipped between two or more contractors, and which are qualified as sensitive in accordance with DOD 5100.76M (Physical Security of Sensitive Conventional Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives), or are shipped as DOT Class A or B Explosives, require special Transportation Protective Service (TPS) during shipment from all points of origin to all destinations. TPS will be equivalent to the DOD security standard for the applicable sensitivity category or explosive class identified under DOD 5100.76M and AR 55-355/DLAR 4500.3 (Defense Traffic Management Regulation) as added to or amended by applicable military service policies in accordance with guidance provided by Defense Logistics Agency (DLA)/Defense Contract Management Command (DCMC).

(b) Shipper's Defense Contract Management District/Area Operations (DCMD/DCMAO) transportation offices will furnish assistance in providing the sensitive category of items to be shipped, determining the TPS required, and obtaining the TPS from commercial carriers as necessary.

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(c) This clause must be entered in all contracts/subcontracts at any tier.

(End of statement of work)

(CS7115)

C-4 52.248-4502 CONFIGURATION MANAGEMENT DOCUMENTATION JUL/2001
 TACOM RI

The contractor may submit Engineering Change Proposals (ECPs), Value Engineering change Proposals (VECPs), (Code V shall be assigned to an engineering change that will effect a net life cycle cost), including Notice of Revisions (NORs), and Request for Deviations (RFDs), for the documents in the Technical Data Package (TDP). The contractor shall prepare these documents in accordance with the Data Item Descriptions cited in block 04 on the enclosed DD Form 1423, Contract Data Requirements List.

Contractor ECPs/VECPs shall describe and justify all proposed changes and shall included NORs completely defining the change to be made. Contractors may also submit RFD, which define a temporary departure from the Technical Data package or other baseline documentation under Government control. The contractor shall not deliver any units incorporating any change/deviation to Government documentation until notified by the Government that the change/deviation has been approved and the change/deviation has been incorporated in the contract.

If the Government receives the same or substantially the same VECPs from two or more contractors, the contracts whose VECP is received first will be entitled to share with the Government in all instant, concurrent, future, and collateral savings under the terms of the VE clause in the contract.

Duplicate VECPs, which are received subsequently, will be returned to the contractor(s) without formal evaluation, regardless of whether or not the first VECP has been approved and accepted by the Government.

(End of Clause)

(CS7110)

Name of Offeror or Contractor:

SECTION D - PACKAGING AND MARKING

Regulatory Cite	Title	Date
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D-1	52.211-4500 PACKAGING REQUIREMENTS (SPECIFICATIONS/STANDARDS)	FEB/2004
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A. The preservation, packing, and marking requirements shall be accomplished in accordance with the requirements in the specification/standard defined below.

B. The following requirements shall apply:

Preservation: MILITARY
 Level of Packing: B
 Quantity Per Unit Package: 001
 Specification/Standard: PURCHASE DESCRIPTION 121

C. Marking: In addition to any special markings called out by the specification/standard above;

C.1. All unit packages, intermediate packs, exterior shipping containers, and, as applicable, unitized loads shall be marked in accordance with MIL-STD-129, Revision P, Change Notice 2, Date 10 Feb 04, including bar coding. The contractor is responsible for application of special markings as discussed in the Military Standard regardless of whether specified in the contract or not. Special markings include, but are not limited to, Shelf-life markings, structural markings, and transportation special handling markings. The marking of pilferable and sensitive materiel will not identify the nature of the materiel.

C.2. Contractors and vendors shall apply identification and address markings with bar codes in accordance with this standard. For shipments moving to overseas locations and for mobile deployable units, the in-the-clear address must also include the host country geographic address and the APO/FPO address. The MSL will include both linear and 2D bar codes per the standard. The DD Form 250 or the commercial packing list shall have bar coding applied as per Direct Vendor Delivery Shipments in the standard (except for deliveries to DLA Distribution Depots, e.g. New Cumberland, San Joaquin, Red River, Anniston). Packing lists are required in accordance with the standard, see paragraph 5.3.

C.3. Contractor to contractor shipments shall have the address markings applied to the identification marked side of the exterior shipping container or to the unitized load markings. The following shall be marked "FROM: name and address of consignor and TO: name and address of consignee".

C.4. Military Shipping Label. The following website (Computer Automated Transportation Tool, CAAT) provides detailed instructions for downloading and installing the Military Shipment Label/Issue Receipt Document (CATT MSL/IRRD) software that will generate a Military Shipping Label to include the required Code 39 and 2D(PDF417) bar codes on the label: http://www.assettrak.com/catt/msl_irrd/mslirrdmain.htm. This program was developed by the Army and is free to those with government contracts. Two contractors have introduced a version of the MSL software that can be purchased by contractors. Both programs produce labels that appear to be in compliance with the requirements of MIL-STD-129P. Contractors are MILPAC (<http://milpac.com>) and Easysoft Corporation (<http://easysoftcorp.com>). Insure that the "ship to" and "mark for" in-the-clear delivery address is complete including: consignee's name, organization, department name, office, building, room, street address, city, state, country code, & DODAAC.

D. Heat Treatment and Marking of Wood Packaging Materials: All non-manufactured wood used in packaging shall be heat treated to a core temperature of 56 degrees Celsius for a minimum of 30 minutes. The box/pallet manufacturer and the manufacturer of wood used as inner packaging shall be affiliated with an inspection agency accredited by the board of review of the American Lumber Standard Committee. The box/pallet manufacturer and the manufacturer of wood used as inner packaging shall ensure tractability to the original source of heat treatment. Each box/pallet shall be marked to show the conformance to the International Plant Protection Convention Standard. Boxes/pallets and any wood used as inner packaging made of non-manufactured wood shall be heat-treated. The quality mark shall be placed on both ends of the outer packaging, between the end cleats or end battens; on two sides of the pallet. Foreign manufacturers shall have the heat treatment of non-manufactured wood products verified in accordance with their National Plant Protection Organizations compliance program.

E. The specification/standard cited is intended to give a clear and accurate description of the technical packaging requirements for the item being procured, including the procedure by which it can be determined that the requirements have been met. Specific instructions and/or tailoring of the specification/standard is detailed in the supplemental instructions in paragraph G. below. Any design changes or changes in the method of preservation that provide a cost savings without degrading the method of preservation or packing and without affecting the serviceability of the item will be considered and responded to within 10 days of submission to PCO with copies to the ACO. The government reserves the right to require testing to validate alternate industrial preservation methods, materials, blocking, bracing, cushioning, and packing.

F. Hazardous Materials:

F.1. Hazardous Materials is defined as a substance, or waste which has been determined by the Secretary of Transportation to be capable of posing an unreasonable risk to health, safety, and property when transported in commerce and which has been so designated.

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(This includes all items listed as hazardous in Titles 29, 40 and 49 CFR and other applicable modal regulations effective at the time of shipment.

F.2 When applicable, packaging and marking for hazardous material shall comply with the requirements for the mode of transport and the applicable performance packaging contained in the following documents:

- International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations
- International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG)
- Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Title 29, Title 40 and Title 49
- Joint Service Regulation AFJMAN24-204/TM38-250/NAVSUPPUB 505/MCO P4030.19/DLAM 4145.3 (for military air shipments)

F.3. If the shipment originates from outside the continental United States, the shipment shall be prepared in accordance with the United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods in a manner acceptable to the Competent Authority of the nation of origin and in accordance with regulations of all applicable carriers.

F.4 A Product Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) is required to be included with every unit pack and intermediate container and shall be included with the packing list inside the sealed pouch attached to the outside of the package.

- G. SUPPLEMENTAL INSTRUCTIONS:
1. SERIAL NUMBER MARKING REQUIRED
 2. HCI MARKING REQUIRED
 3. ATTACH THE SPECIFIED DOCUMENTS TO THE FIBERBOARD BOXES AS SPECIFIED IN MIL-STD 129, PARAGRAPH 5.3
THE EXTERIOR SHIPPING CONTAINER SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ASTM D 5118, CLASS WEATHER RESISTANT
 4. UNITIZATION: SHIPMENTS OF IDENTICAL ITEMS GOING TO THE SAME DESTINATION SHALL BE PALLETIZED IF THEY HAVE A TOTAL CUBIC DISPLACEMENT OF 50 CUBIC FEET OR MORE UNLESS SKIDS OR OTHER FORKLIFT HANDLING FEATURES ARE INCLUDED ON THE CONTAINERS. PALLET LOADS MUST BE STABLE, AND TO THE GREATEST EXTENT POSSIBLE, PROVIDE A LEVEL TOP FOR EASE OF STACKING. A PALLETIZED LOAD SHALL BE OF A SIZE TO ALLOW FOR PLACEMENT OF TWO LOADS HIGH AND WIDE IN A CONVEYANCE. THE WEIGHT CAPACITY OF THE PALLET MUST BE ADEQUATE FOR THE LOAD. THE PREFERRED COMMERCIAL EXPENDABLE PALLET IS A 40 x 48 INCH, 4-WAY ENTRY PALLET ALTHOUGH VARIATIONS MAY BE PERMITTED AS DICTATED BY THE CHARACTERISTICS OF THE ITEMS BEING UNITIZED. THE LOAD SHALL BE CONTAINED IN A MANNER THAT WILL PERMIT SAFE HANDLING DURING SHIPMENT AND STORAGE.

(End of clause)

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SECTION E - INSPECTION AND ACCEPTANCE

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	<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
E-1	52.246-2	INSPECTION OF SUPPLIES - FIXED-PRICE	AUG/1996
E-2	52.246-16	RESPONSIBILITY FOR SUPPLIES	APR/1984
E-3	52.246-11	HIGHER-LEVEL CONTRACT QUALITY REQUIREMENT	FEB/1999

The Contractor shall comply with the higher-level quality standard selected below, (If more than one standard is listed, the offeror shall indicate its selection by checking the appropriate block.)

	Title	Number	Date	Tailoring
()	QUALITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS-REQUIREMENTS,	ISO 9001:2000	13 DEC 2000	UNTAILORED

(End of clause)

(EP6002)

E-4	52.209-4512 TACOM-RI	FIRST ARTICLE TEST (CONTRACTOR TESTING)	MAR/2001
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a. The first article shall consist of:

12 Each M25 Stabilized Binocular, completely assembled with attachments and accessories

6 Each Night Vision Eyepieces

which shall be examined and tested in accordance with contract requirements, the item specification(s), Quality Assurance Provisions (QAPs) and all drawings listed in the Technical Data Package.

b. The first article shall be representative of items to be manufactured using the same processes and procedures and at the same facility as contract production. All parts and materials, including packaging and packing, shall be obtained from the same source of supply as will be used during regular production. All components, subassemblies, and assemblies in the first article sample shall have been produced by the Contractor (including subcontractors) using the technical data package applicable to this procurement.

c. The first article shall be inspected and tested by the contractor for all requirements of the drawing(s), the QAPs, and specification(s) referenced thereon, except for:

(1) Inspections and tests contained in material specifications provided that the required inspection and tests have been performed previously and certificates of conformance are submitted with the First Article Test Report.

(2) Inspections and tests for Military Standard (MS) components and parts provided that inspection and tests have been performed previously and certifications for the components and parts are submitted with the First Article Test Report.

(3) Corrosion resistance tests over 10 days in length provided that a test specimen or sample representing the same process has successfully passed the same test within 30 days prior to processing the first article, and results of the tests are submitted with the First Article Test Report.

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E-6 52.246-4533 SURFACE QUALITY STANDARDS MAR/2001
TACOM-RI

a. Surface quality standards for optical elements (Scratch and Dig) per MIL-PRF-13830B, are required to perform acceptance inspection under this contract and are available as listed in Contract Reference: Appendix I of this contract. The standards will be furnished to the Contractor on a loan basis for use on this contract. The standards shall not be used on other contracts unless written authorization is received from the Contracting Officer. The Administering Contracting Officer (ACO) designated by the agency administering the contract, or the Contracting Officer (CO) if an ACO was not assigned shall submit the Contractor's request for equipment to Commander-ARDEC Attn: AMSRD-AAR-QEW, Picatinny Arsenal, NJ 07806-5000. Shipping costs shall be borne by the shipper.

b. The contractor shall hereby indicate the facility to which this Government Furnished Property should be shipped:

c. Upon receipt, the Contractor should retain shipping containers for return of the standards. All costs of packing, packaging, shipping, and insurance shall be borne by the Contractor.

d. The Contractor shall be responsible for shipping the surface quality standards to the Government for certification at 12 month intervals. Notification and shipping instructions shall be provided to the Contractor by Commander-ARDEC Attn: AMSRD-AAR-QEW, Picatinny Arsenal, NJ 07806-5000. The notification shall include the standard's serial number and will be sent 30 days prior to the actual due date for certification.

e. Within 30 calendar days after completion of delivery of all items on this contract requiring scratch and digs, the Contractor shall assure that the Government owned standards referenced in paragraph a above are in the same condition as when received. Upon verification by a Government representative that the standards are undamaged, the Contractor shall prepare the standards for delivery in accordance with best commercial practices. The Contractor shall ship the standards with a DD Form 1149 to Commander-ARDEC Attn: AMSRD-AAR-QEW, Picatinny Arsenal, NJ 07806-5000.

(End of Clause)

(ES6018)

E-7 52.246-4528 REWORK AND REPAIR OF NONCONFORMING MATERIAL MAY/1994
TACOM-RI

a. Rework and Repair are defined as follows:

(1) Rework - The reprocessing of nonconforming material to make it conform completely to the drawings, specifications or contract requirements.

(2) Repair - The reprocessing of nonconforming material in accordance with approved written procedures and operations to reduce, but not completely eliminate, the nonconformance. The purpose of repair is to bring nonconforming material into a usable condition. Repair is distinguished from rework in that the item after repair still does not completely conform to all of the applicable drawings, specifications or contract requirements.

b. Rework procedures along with the associated inspection procedures shall be documented by the Contractor and submitted to the Government Quality Assurance Representative (QAR) for review prior to implementation. Rework procedures are subject to the QAR's disapproval.

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c. Repair procedures shall be documented by the Contractor and submitted on a Request for Deviation/Waiver, to the Contracting Officer for review and written approval prior to implementation.

d. Whenever the Contractor submits a repair or rework procedure for Government review, the submission shall also include a description of the cause for the nonconformances and a description of the action taken or to be taken to prevent recurrence.

e. The rework or repair procedure shall also contain a provision for reinspection which will take precedence over the Technical Data Package requirements and shall, in addition, provide the Government assurance that the reworked or repaired items have met reprocessing requirements.

(End of Clause)

(ES7012)

E-8 52.246-4531 ACCEPTANCE INSPECTION EQUIPMENT (AIE) MAR/2001
TACOM-RI

(a) The contractor shall use a calibration system with traceability to a national or international standard for the AIE used on this contract.

(b) The contractor shall provide all AIE (except for any AIE listed as available in Section H or Appendix I) necessary to assure conformance of material to the contract requirements.

(c) AIE shall be available for use on the First Article (FA) submission, if FA is required, or prior to use for acceptance of production material on this contract.

(d) Contractor furnished AIE shall be made (i) to the AIE designs specified in Section C, or (ii) to any other design provided the contractor's proposed AIE design is approved by the Government. Contractor's proposed AIE design for inspection of characteristics listed as "Critical, Special or Major" shall be submitted to the Government for review and approval as directed on the Contract Data Requirements List, DD Form 1423. Government approval of AIE design shall not be considered to modify the contract requirements.

(e) When the contractor submits it's proposed AIE on commercial off the shelf equipment, the contractor shall include the manufacturer's name and model number, and sufficient information to show capability of the proposed AIE to perform the inspection required. When submitting proposed AIE design documentation on commercial computer controlled test and measuring equipment include information on (1) test program listing (2) flowcharts showing accept and reject limits and computer generated test stimuli (3) calibration program listing (4) sample of the printout of an actual test and calibration (5) test plan to verify accuracy of inspection and correctness of accept or reject decision (6) identification of the equipment by model name and number.

(f) Resubmission of the contractor's proposed AIE design for Government approval on a follow on Government contract is not required, provided the inspection characteristic parameters specified in the technical data package and the previously Government approved AIE designs have not changed. In this situation, the contractor shall provide written correspondence in the place of the AIE designs that indicates the prior Government approval and states that no changes have occurred.

(g) The Government reserves the right to disapprove, at any time during the performance of this contract, any AIE that is not accomplishing its intended use in verifying an inspection or test characteristic.

(h) If the contractor changes the design after the initial approval, the modified design must be submitted for approval prior to use.

(End of clause)

(ES7002)

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SECTION F - DELIVERIES OR PERFORMANCE

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(FA7001)

	<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
F-1	52.242-15	STOP-WORK ORDER	AUG/1989
F-2	52.242-17	GOVERNMENT DELAY OF WORK	APR/1984
F-3	52.247-34	F.O.B. DESTINATION	NOV/1991
F-4	52.247-48	F.O.B. DESTINATION - EVIDENCE OF SHIPMENT	FEB/1999
F-5	252.211-7003	ITEM IDENTIFICATION AND VALUATION	JAN/2004

[NOTE: The following clause requires unique item identification marking, or a DoD recognized unique identification equivalent, for all items delivered under the contract for which the Government's acquisition cost (as defined under 'Definitions' below) is \$5,000 or more. Unique item identification marking is also required for items listed in paragraphs (c)(1)(ii) of the clause. Unique item identification marking is required for embedded subassemblies, components, and parts if listed in paragraph (c)(1)(ii), or if listed elsewhere in the solicitation or resulting contract. In the event that the Government has not yet identified these items or embedded parts, paragraph (c)(1)(ii) will read "TBD" for "to be determined". If these items are identified by the Government before the time proposals are due, an amendment to the solicitation will be issued which identifies them. If not, award will be made on the basis of them not being identified; however, the contract may be later modified to include such identification marking. This clause also requires the contractor to report the Government's acquisition cost for each item delivered under the contract. Information concerning these requirements is available at <http://www.acq.osd.mil/uid>.]

(a) Definitions. As used in this clause--Automatic identification device means a device, such as a reader or interrogator, used to retrieve data encoded on machine-readable media.

Commonly accepted commercial marks means any system of marking products for identification that is in use generally throughout commercial industry or within commercial industry sectors. Some examples of commonly accepted commercial marks are: EAN.UCC Global Trade Item Number; Automotive Industry Action Group B-4 Parts Identification and Tracking Application Standard, and B-2 Vehicle Identification Number Bar Code Label Standard; American Trucking Association Vehicle Maintenance Reporting Standards; Electronic Industries Alliance EIA 802 Product Marking Standard; and Telecommunications Manufacturers Common Language Equipment Identification Code.

Concatenated unique item identifier means--

(1) For items that are serialized within the enterprise identifier, the linking together of the unique identifier data elements in order of the issuing agency code, enterprise identifier, and unique serial number within the enterprise identifier; or

(2) For items that are serialized within the original part number, the linking together of the unique identifier data elements in order of the issuing agency code, enterprise identifier, original part number, and serial number within the part number.

Data qualifier means a specified character (or string of characters) that immediately precedes a data field that defines the general category or intended use of the data that follows.

DoD recognized unique identification equivalent means a unique identification method that is in commercial use and has been recognized by DoD. All DoD recognized unique identification equivalents are listed at <http://www.acq.osd.mil/uid>.

DoD unique item identification means marking an item with a unique item identifier that has machine-readable data elements to distinguish it from all other like and unlike items. In addition--

(1) For items that are serialized within the enterprise identifier, the unique identifier shall include the data elements of issuing agency code, enterprise identifier, and a unique serial number.

(2) For items that are serialized within the part number within the enterprise identifier, the unique identifier shall include the data elements of issuing agency code, enterprise identifier, the original part number, and the serial number.

Enterprise means the entity (i.e., a manufacturer or vendor) responsible for assigning unique item identifiers to items.

Enterprise identifier means a code that is uniquely assigned to an enterprise by a registration (or controlling) authority.

Government's unit acquisition cost means--

(1) For fixed-price type line, subline, or exhibit line items, the unit price identified in the contract at the time of delivery; and
(2) For cost-type line, subline, or exhibit line items, the Contractor's estimated fully burdened unit cost to the Government for each item at the time of delivery.

Issuing agency code means a code that designates the registration (or controlling) authority.

Item means a single hardware article or unit formed by a grouping of subassemblies, components, or constituent parts required to be

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delivered in accordance with the terms and conditions of this contract.

Machine-readable means an automatic information technology media, such as bar codes, contact memory buttons, radio frequency identification, or optical memory cards.

Original part number means a combination of numbers or letters assigned by the enterprise at asset creation to a class of items with the same form, fit, function, and interface.

Registration (or controlling) authority means an organization responsible for assigning a non-repeatable identifier to an enterprise (i.e., Dun & Bradstreet's Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) Number, Uniform Code Council (UCC)/EAN International (EAN) Company Prefix, or Defense Logistics Information System (DLIS) Commercial and Government Entity (CAGE) Code).

Serial number within the enterprise identifier or unique serial number means a combination of numbers, letters, or symbols assigned by the enterprise to an item that provides for the differentiation of that item from any other like and unlike item and is never used again within the enterprise.

Serial number within the part number or serial number means a combination of numbers or letters assigned by the enterprise to an item that provides for the differentiation of that item from any other like item within a part number assignment.

Serialization within the enterprise identifier means each item produced is assigned a serial number that is unique among all the tangible items produced by the enterprise and is never used again.

The enterprise is responsible for ensuring unique serialization within the enterprise identifier.

Serialization within the part number means each item of a particular part number is assigned a unique serial number within that part number assignment. The enterprise is responsible for ensuring unique serialization within the part number within the enterprise identifier.

Unique item identification means marking an item with machine-readable data elements to distinguish it from all other like and unlike items.

Unique item identifier means a set of data marked on items that is globally unique, unambiguous, and robust enough to ensure data information quality throughout life and to support multi-faceted business applications and users.

Unique item identifier type means a designator to indicate which method of uniquely identifying a part has been used. The current list of accepted unique item identifier types is maintained at <http://www.acq.osd.mil/uid>.

(b) The Contractor shall deliver all items under a contract line, subline, or exhibit line item.

(c) Unique item identification.

(1) The Contractor shall provide DoD unique item identification, or a DoD recognized unique identification equivalent, for--

(i) All items for which the Government's unit acquisition cost is \$5,000 or more; and

(ii) The following items for which the Government's unit acquisition cost is less than \$5,000:

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(iii) Subassemblies, components, and parts embedded within items as specified in Exhibit Number A or Contract Data Requirements List Item Number N/A.

(2) The unique item identifier and the component data elements of the unique item identifier shall not change over the life of the item.

(3) Data syntax and semantics. The Contractor shall--

(i) Mark the encoded data elements (except issuing agency code) on the item using any of the following three types of data qualifiers, as specified elsewhere in the contract:

(A) Data Identifiers (DIs) (Format 06).

(B) Application Identifiers (AIs) (Format 05), in accordance with ISO/IEC International Standard 15418, Information Technology--EAN/UCC Application Identifiers and ASC MH 10 Data Identifiers and ASC MH 10 Data Identifiers and Maintenance.

(C) Text Element Identifiers (TEIs), in accordance with the DoD collaborative solution ``DD'' format for use until the final solution is approved by ISO JTC1/SC 31. The DoD collaborative solution is described in Appendix D of the DoD Guide to Uniquely Identifying Items, available at <http://www.acq.osd.mil/uid>.

(ii) Use high capacity automatic identification devices in unique identification that conform to ISO/IEC International Standard 15434, Information Technology--Syntax for High Capacity Automatic Data Capture Media.

(4) Marking items.

(i) Unless otherwise specified in the contract, data elements for unique identification (enterprise identifier, serial number, and, for serialization within the part number only, original part number) shall be placed on items requiring marking by paragraph (c)(1) of this clause in accordance with the version of MIL-STD-130, Identification Marking of U.S. Military Property, cited in the contract Schedule.

(ii) The issuing agency code--

(A) Shall not be placed on the item; and

(B) Shall be derived from the data qualifier for the enterprise identifier.

(d) Commonly accepted commercial marks. The Contractor shall provide commonly accepted commercial marks for items that are not required to have unique identification under paragraph (c) of this clause.

(e) Material Inspection and Receiving Report. The Contractor shall report at the time of delivery, as part of the Material Inspection and Receiving Report specified elsewhere in this contract, the following information:

(1) Description.*

(2) Unique identifier**, consisting of--

(i) Concatenated DoD unique item identifier; or

(ii) DoD recognized unique identification equivalent.

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- (3) Unique item identifier type.**
- (4) Issuing agency code (if DoD unique item identifier is used).**
- (5) Enterprise identifier (if DoD unique item identifier is used).**
- (6) Original part number.**
- (7) Serial number.**
- (8) Quantity shipped.*
- (9) Unit of measure.*
- (10) Government's unit acquisition cost.*
- (11) Ship-to code.
- (12) Shipment date.
- (13) Contractor's CAGE code or DUNS number.
- (14) Contract number.
- (15) Contract line, subline, or exhibit line item number.*
- (16) Acceptance code.

* Once per contract line, subline, or exhibit line item.

** Once per item.

(f) Material Inspection and Receiving Report for embedded subassemblies, components, and parts requiring unique item identification. The Contractor shall report at the time of delivery, as part of the Material Inspection and Receiving Report specified elsewhere in this contract, the following information:

(1) Unique item identifier of the item delivered under a contract line, subline, or exhibit line item that contains the embedded subassembly, component, or part.

(2) Unique item identifier of the embedded subassembly, component, or part, consisting of--

(i) Concatenated DoD unique item identifier; or

(ii) DoD recognized unique identification equivalent.

(3) Unique item identifier type.**

(4) Issuing agency code (if DoD unique item identifier is used).**

(5) Enterprise identifier (if DoD unique item identifier is used).**

(6) Original part number.**

(7) Serial number.**

(8) Unit of measure.

(9) Description.

** Once per item.

(g) The Contractor shall submit the information required by paragraphs (e) and (f) of this clause in accordance with the procedures at <http://www.acq.osd.mil.uid>.

(h) Subcontracts. If paragraph (c)(1)(iii) of this clause applies, the Contractor shall include this clause, including this paragraph (h), in all subcontracts issued under this contract.

(End of clause)

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F-6 52.247-4531 COGNIZANT TRANSPORTATION OFFICER
TACOM-RI

MAY/1993

(a) The contract administration office designated at the time of contract award, or the office servicing the point of shipment if subsequently designated by the original office, will be the contact point to which the contractor will:

(1) Submit, as necessary, DD Form 1659, Application for U.S. Government Bill(s) of Lading/Export Traffic Release, in triplicate at least ten days prior to date supplies will be available for shipment;

(2) Obtain shipping instructions as necessary for F.O.B. Destination delivery; and

(3) Furnish necessary information for MILSTRIP/MILSTAMP or other shipment documentation and movement control, including air and water terminal clearances.

(4) For FMS, at least 10 days in advance of actual shipping date the contractor should request verification of 'Ship to' and 'Notification' address from the appropriate DCMAO.

(b) The contract administration office will provide to the contractor data necessary for shipment marking and freight routing.

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(c) The contractor shall not ship directly to a Military air or water port terminal without authorization by the designated point of contact.

(End of Clause)

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G-1	52.232-4500 TACOM-RI	CONTRACT PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS	AUG/1997

The paying office shall ensure that the invoice/voucher is disbursed from each ACRN as indicated on the invoice/voucher.

(End of clause)

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SECTION H - SPECIAL CONTRACT REQUIREMENTS

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	<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
H-1	252.247-7023 DFARS	TRANSPORTATION OF SUPPLIES BY SEA	MAY/2002
H-2	252.247-7024 DFARS	NOTIFICATION OF TRANSPORTATION OF SUPPLIES BY SEA	MAR/2000
H-3	52.232-4506 TACOM-RI	PROGRESS PAYMENT LIMITATION	MAR/1988

Prior to first article approval, only costs incurred for the first article are allowable for progress payments; however, such payments shall not exceed ten percent (10 %) of the initial award value of the contract.

(End of Clause)

(HS6002)

H-4	52.246-4500 TACOM-RI	MATERIAL INSPECTION & RECEIVING REPORTS (DD FORM 250)	NOV/2001
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(a) Material Inspection and Receiving Report(s) (DD Form 250), are required to be prepared and furnished to the Government under the clause of this contract entitled 'Material Inspection and Receiving Report'. Distribution of reports to the Purchasing Office (in accordance with DoD FAR Supplement Appendix F) shall be accomplished electronically.

(b) Two copies of the DD Form 250 are required to be submitted to the Purchasing Office. To satisfy this submission requirement electronically, the completed documents may be transmitted via electronic mail, or data fax. The electronic mail address for submission is hamerlincka@ria.army.mil. The data fax number for submission is (309) 782-3813, ATTN: Ann Hamerlinck.

(c) Any additional copies required in accordance with Appendix F may be submitted to the addresses identified below via the U. S. Postal Service:

- (1) The FMS/MAP copies may be submitted to:
NONE

(End of Clause)

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H-5	DRAFT CLAUSE	CONTRACTOR DEPLOYMENT ON MILITARY OPERATIONS	FEB/2003
(a) Definitions			

As used in this Clause

- (1) Theater Support Contractors. Provides support to deployed operational forces pursuant to contracts arranged within the

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mission area of responsibility, or prearranged contracts through Host Nation (HN) and/or regional business and vendors. Contracting personnel deployed with the deployed force, working under the contracting authority of the theater or Joint Task Force (JTF) contracting chief, normally award and administers these contracts. Theater support contracts provide goods, services, and minor construction, usually from the local vendor base.

(2) External Support Contractors. Provides support for deployed operational forces working pursuant to contracts awarded under the command and procurement authority of supporting headquarters outside the theater. These may be US or third country businesses and vendors. These contracts are usually prearranged, but may be contracts awarded or modified during the mission based on the commanders' needs. Examples include the Army's Logistics Civil Augmentation Program (LOGCAP), the Air Force Civil Augmentation program (AFCAP), the Navy's Construction Capability (CONCAP), United States Transportation Command (USTRANSCOM) provision of Civil Reserve Air Fleet (CRAF), and war reserve materiel (WRM) contracts.

(3) System Contractors. Logistical support deployed with operational forces under prearranged contracts awarded by Service program managers or my Military Service component logistics commands. They support specific systems throughout their system's life cycle (including spare parts and maintenance), during peacetime, conflict, and war.

(4) Military Operations. The full spectrum of armed conflict and military operations other than war (MOOTW), both domestic and overseas, as directed by appropriate authority.

(b) General.

(1) This general guidance addresses the deployment of systems contractor personnel, and AMC external support contractor personnel, into a theater of operations in support of a contingency or exercise.

(2) The general guidance provided by this provision is not all-inclusive nor are all items required for all situations. Each contingency will evolve differently depending upon the theater commander's guidance impact on the deployments. The Contracting Officer may tailor these provisions as appropriate for individual contracts or task orders. The provisions of this clause shall apply unless tailored by the contracting Officer. The contractor is obligated to request any specific information needed at the time of deployment from the contracting officer.

(c) Management.

(1) When the performance of the contract requires the contractor to deploy personnel in support of a contingency, the contractor shall ensure that all personnel hired by or for the contractor (including subcontractors) will comply with all guidance, instructions, and general orders applicable to U.S. Armed Forces and DOD civilians as issued by the Theater Commander or his/her representative. This will include any and all guidance and instructions issued based upon the need to ensure mission accomplishment, force protection, and safety, unless directed otherwise in the contract document.

(2) The contractor shall comply, and shall ensure that all deployed prime contract employees, subcontractor employees, invitees and agents comply with pertinent Service and Department of Defense directive, policies, and procedures, as well as federal statutes, judicial interpretations and international agreements (e.g., Status of Forces Agreements, Host Nation Support Agreements, etc.) applicable to U.S. Armed Forces or U.S. citizens in the area of operations. Host Nation laws and existing Status of Forces Agreements may take precedence over contract requirements. The contacting officer will resolve disputes. The contractor shall provide the contracting office copies, if requested, or any documents relating to the dispute.

(3) The contractor shall at all times be responsible for the conduct of its employees and those of its subcontractors and invitees.

(4) The Contractor shall promptly resolve, to the satisfaction of the contracting officer, all contractor employee performance and conduct problems identified by the cognizant contracting officer or his/her designated representative.

(5) The contracting officer may direct the contractor, at the contractor's expense, to remove or replace any contractor employee failing to adhere to instructions and general orders issued by the Theater Commander or his/her designated representative.

(d) Logistics Support Element. The contractor and contractor employees shall report into the Army Materiel Command Logistics Support Element (AMC LSE) and provide necessary information to the AMC LSE on the contractor's deployments and activities in the area of operation (AOR) to facilitate the AMC LSE logistics integration function. Initial contact and coordination with the AMC LSE shall be conducted prior to deployment into the theater. Similar coordination and reporting to the AMC LSE shall occur prior to exiting the area of operation. Any additional coordination requirements with the AMC LSE shall be as defined by the Contracting Officer or Contracting Officer Representative (COR).

(e) Risk Assessment and Mitigation.

(1) The contractor will brief its employees regarding the potential danger, stress, physical hardships and field living conditions.

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(2) The contractor will require all its employees to acknowledge in writing that they understand the danger, stress, physical hardships and field living conditions that are possible if the employee deploys in support of military operations.

(3) The contractor will ensure that all deployable employees are medically and physically fit to endure the rigors of deployment in support of a military operation. If an employee is unable to perform, the contractor must replace the employee.

(4) If the contractor employee departs an area of operations without permission, the contractor will ensure continued performance in accordance with the terms and conditions of the contract. If the contractor replaces an employee who departs without permission, the replacement is at contractor expense and must be complete within 72 hours, unless otherwise direct by the contracting officer.

(5) The contractor will designate and provide contact information for a point of contract and back up for all its plans and operations and, if necessary, establish an operations center to plan and control the contractor deployment process and resolve operations issues with the deployed force.

(6) As required by the operational situation, the government may at its discretion relocate contractor personnel (who are citizens of the United States, aliens in resident in the United States or third country national, not resident in the host nation) to a safe area or evacuate them from the area of operations. The U.S. State Department has responsibility for evacuation on non-essential personnel.

(f) Force Protection. While performing duties in accordance with (IAW) the terms and conditions of the contract, the Service Theater Commander will provide force protection to contractor employees commensurate with that given to Service/Agency (e.g. Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, DLA) civilians in the operations area unless otherwise stated in the contract.

(g) Central Processing and Departure Point.

(1) For any contractor employee determined by the government at the deployment-processing site to be non-deployable for debilitating health problems or failure to have a security clearance when one is required, the contractor shall promptly remedy the problem. If the problem cannot be remedied in time for deployment, a replacement having equivalent qualifications and skills shall be provided in time for scheduled deployment.

(2) The contractor shall ensure that all deploying employees receive all required mission training and successfully complete the training.

(3) The government, when applicable, will provide the contractor employees with Chemical, Biological Nuclear, Radiological and High Yield Explosive (CBRNE) equipment. CBRNE familiarization training commensurate with the training provided to Department of Defense civilian employees.

(4) The contractor, when permitted by the Government, will have the flexibility to deploy its own employees. If authorization to deploy its own employees is provided, the contractor is responsible to ensure all deployment requirements are met, and shall ensure they have coordinated all deployment requirements with the Contracting Officer and the appropriate AMC LSE.

(h) Standard Identification Cards.

(1) The contracting officer or designee shall identify to the contractor all identification cards and tags required for deployment,

(2) The contracting officer or designee shall issue or shall inform the contractor where the identification cards and tags are to be issued.

(3) The contracting officer or designee shall coordinate for issuance of required identification cards and tags for all contractor employees not processing through a CONUS Replacement Center.

(4) The contractor shall ensure that all deploying individuals have the required identification tags and cards prior to deployment.

(5) Upon redeployment, the contractor will ensure that all issued controlled identification cards and tags are returned to the government.

(6) Upon arrival in theater contractor personnel may be required to obtain additional locally required identification cards. The government representative who has cognizance for these contractor personnel in theater will assist in the coordination of the issuance of these identification cards to contractor personnel.

(i) Medical.

(1) The contracting officer shall provide the contractor with all physical and medical requirements and standards necessary for

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deployment.

(2) The contractor shall be responsible for providing employees who meet the physical standards and medical requirements for job performance in the designated theater of operations.

(3) The government may require medical screening at the CONUS Replacement Center for Food and Drug Administration approved immunizations, which may include DNS sampling.

(4) For any deployed contractor employee determined by the government to be medically unfit, the contractor shall promptly remedy the problem. If the problem cannot be remedied, a replacement having equivalent qualifications and skills shall be provided as determined by the contracting officer.

(5) The government at its discretion may provide to contract employees deployed in the theater of operations, on a cost reimbursable basis, emergency medical and dental care commensurate with the care provided to Department of Defense civilians deployed in the theater of operations. This is subject to the availability of such medical and dental care. The providing of such care does not include local nationals under normal circumstances.

(6) Deploying civilian contractor personnel shall carry with them a minimum of a 90-day supply of any medication they require.

(j) Clothing and Equipment Issue.

(1) Contractor personnel accompanying the force are not authorized to wear military clothing, except for specific items required for safety and security. An individual's status as a contractor employee shall be conspicuously displayed on their clothing unless prohibited for operational reasons.

(2) If required, the government at its discretion may provide to the contractor all required military unique Organizational Clothing and Individual Equipment (OCIE). (Types of OCIE may include Nuclear, Biological, Chemical, Radiological, and High yield Explosive Equipment).

(3) Upon receipt of OCIE, the contractor shall assume responsibility and accountability for these items.

(4) The contractor or contractor employee shall sign for all issued OCIE, thus acknowledging receipt and acceptance of responsibility for the proper maintenance and accountability of issued organizational clothing and individual equipment.

(5) The contractor shall ensure that all OCIE are returned to the government, along with all pertinent documentation demonstrating the return of issued OCIE to government control.

(6) The contracting officer will require the contractor to reimburse the government for OCIE lost or damaged due to contractor negligence.

(k) Weapons and Training.

(1) Whether contractor personnel will be permitted to carry a government furnished weapon for self-defense purposes in the Area of Operations (AO) is at the discretion of the Theater Commander. However, Contractor personnel will not possess personally owned firearms in the AO. The government may at its discretion issue weapons and ammunition for self-defense to the contractor employees. Acceptance of weapons by contractor employees is at the discretion of the contractor and the contractor employees. If accepted the contractor will maintain a listing of employees possessing a government firearm and provide notification to the Contracting Officer. When accepted, the contractor employee is responsible for using the weapon in accordance with the rules of engagement issued by the Theater Commander. The contractor employee is legally liable for any use that is not in accordance with host nation law, international law, and the rules of engagement. Also, when accepted, only military issued ammunition may be used in the weapons.

(2) Prior to issuing any weapons to contractor employees, the government will provide the contractor employees with weapons familiarization training commensurate to training provided to Department of Defense civilian employees. The contractor shall not issue weapons to employees who have not had proper training.

(3) The contractor shall ensure that its employees adhere to all guidance and orders issued by the Theater Commander or his/her representative regarding possession, use safety, and accountability of weapons and ammunition, and shall comply with all related DOD regulations.

(4) Upon deployment or notification by the government, the contractor shall ensure that all government issued weapons and ammunition are returned to government control.

(5) Contractors will screen employees, and subcontractors, to ensure that employees may be issued a weapon in accordance with U.S. and applicable host nation laws. Evidence of screening will be presented to the contracting officer.

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(l) Vehicle and Equipment Operation.

(1) The contractor shall ensure that deployed employees possess the required civilian licenses to operate the equipment necessary to perform the contract in the theater of operations in accordance with the statement of work.

(2) Before operating any military owned or leased equipment, the contractor employee shall provide proof of license (issued by an appropriate governmental authority) to the unit or agency issuing the equipment.

(3) The government, at its discretion, may train and license contractor employees to operate military owned or leased equipment.

(4) All contractor owned motor vehicles shall meet required vehicle requirements within the AOR and be maintained in a safe operating condition and good appearance. All contractor owned motor vehicles used for transporting Government property shall be properly equipped and designed to ensure protection of the property. All contractor owned motor vehicles may, at the PCO direction, be required to conspicuously display the contractor's logo and/or name on both sides of the vehicle.

(m) Passports, Visas and Customs.

(1) The contractor is responsible for obtaining all passports, visas, or other documents necessary for contractor employees to enter and/or exit any area(s).

(2) Depending on the Status of Forces Agreement (SOFA) or other international agreements, all contractor employees may be subject to the customs, processing procedures, laws, agreements and duties of the country in which they are deploying to and the procedures, laws and duties of the United States upon re-entry. Contractor shall verify and comply with all requirements.

(3) Contractors are required to register all personnel with the appropriate U.S. Embassy or Consulate.

(n) Reception, Staging, Onward Movement and Integration.

(1) Upon arrival in the area of operations, contractor employees will receive Reception, Staging, Onward movement and Integration, as directed by the contracting officer or his/her designated representative, the AMC-Forward, or Theater Commander.

(2) The contractor should be prepared to move material and equipment using U.S. government transportation and comply with applicable transportation regulations, such as MILSTAMP for safety, packaging, and tie-down.

(o) Living under Field Conditions. The government at its discretion may provide to contractor employees deployed in the theater of operations the equivalent field living conditions, subsistence, emergency medical and dental care, sanitary facilities, mail delivery, laundry service, and other available support afforded to government employees and military personnel in the theater of operations, unless otherwise specified in the contract.

(p) Morale, Welfare, Recreation. The government will, when approved by the installation or Theater Commander and consistent with the authorization, terms and conditions specified elsewhere in the contract, provide to contractor employees deployed in the theater of operations; morale, welfare, and recreation services commensurate with that provided to Department of Defense civilians and military personnel deployed in the theater of operations. Some of these services may be limited to U. S. personnel only.

(q) Status of Forces Agreement and other Laws.

(1) Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary, the contractor shall adhere to all relevant provisions of the applicable Status of Forces Agreements (SOFA) and other similarly related agreements, and all applicable laws.

(2) The contractor is responsible for documenting technical expert status (for Germany) as required. The contractor shall coordinate with the German Labor Office prior to deployment to or traversing Germany.

(3) The contractor is responsible for providing the government with the required documentation to acquire invited contractor or technical expert status, if required by SOFA.

(r) Pay. In the event the contractor must pay additional compensation above that contemplated under the contract, to retain or obtain personnel to perform in a theater or operations during a declared contingency, the contractor must obtain prior approval from the Procurement Contracting Officer (PCO) before incurring any additional compensation costs. The contractor shall furnish proper data to the PCO to substantiate any adjustment to the contract.

(s) Tour of Duty/Hours of Work.

(1) The contracting officer shall provide the contractor with the anticipated duration of the deployment.

(2) The contractor may rotate contractor employees into and out of the theater provided there is no degradation in mission

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results. For employees who have deployed less than 179 days, the contractor may rotate personnel at his own expense, for employees who have deployed greater than 179 days may be rotated as an allowable cost under the contract. The contractor will coordinate personnel changes with the contracting officer.

(3) The contracting officer shall provide the contractor with anticipated work schedules.

(4) The contractor shall comply with all duty hours and tours of duty identified by the contracting officer or his/her designated representative.

(5) The contracting officer, or his/her designated representative, may modify the work schedule to ensure the government's ability to continue to execute its mission.

(t) On-Call Duty or Extended Hours.

(1) The contractor shall be available to work extended hours to perform mission essential tasks as directed by the contracting officer.

(2) The contractor shall be available to work "on-call" to perform mission essential tasks as directed by the contracting officer.

(3) The contracting officer, or his/her designated representative, will identify the parameters of "on-call" duty.

(4) If appropriate, the contracting officer may negotiate an equitable adjustment to the contract.

(u) Workman's Compensation, Health and Life Insurance. The contractor shall ensure that worker's compensation insurance under the Defense Base Act is consistent with FAR clauses 52.228-3 and 52.228-4. The contractor shall ensure that health and life insurance benefits provided to its deploying employees are in effect in the theater of operations.

(v) Next of Kin Notification. Before deployment, the contractor shall ensure that each contractor employee completed a DD Form 93, Record of Emergency Data Card, and returns the completed form to the designated government official.

(w) Return Procedures.

(1) Upon notification to the contractor of redeployment, the contracting officer at his/her discretion may authorize contractor employee travel from the theater of operations to the designated CONUS Replacement Center (CRC) or individual redeployment site.

(2) The contractor shall ensure that all government-issued clothing and equipment provided to the contractor or the contractor's employees are returned to government control upon completion of the deployment.

(3) The contractor shall provide the contracting officer with documentation, annotated by the receiving government official, of all clothing and equipment returns.

(x) Purchasing Resources. When the Theater Commander establishes a Commander-in-Chief Logistics Procurement Support Board (CLPSB), Joint Acquisition Review Board, or similar purchase review committee, the contractor will be required to coordinate purchases of items or labor designated as limited in the Theater of Operations. The Contractor shall not purchase any local procured item until the contractors have reviewed the Contracting Support Plan (CSP) issued by the Theater PARC for items that are restricted by the Theater Commander for mission success.

(y) Special legal. Public Law 106-523. Military Extraterritorial Jurisdiction Act of 2000: Amended Title 18, US Code, to establish Federal Jurisdiction over certain criminal offenses committed outside the United States by persons employed by or accompanying the Armed Forces, or by members of the Armed Forces who are released or separated from active duty prior to being identified and prosecuted for the commission of such offenses, and for other purposes applies to contractor employees deployed OCONUS.

(z) Security and Background Checks. The Contractor shall ensure all applicable security and backgrounds are performed on all personnel (to include subcontractor personnel) in support of this contract.

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PLACE OF CONTRACT SHIPPING POINT, RAIL INFORMATION

MAY/1993

The bidder/offeror is to fill in the 'Shipped From' address, if different from 'Place of Performance' indicated elsewhere in this section.

Shipped From:

For contracts involving F.O.B. Origin shipments furnish the following rail information:

Does Shipping Point have a private railroad siding? ____ YES ____ NO

If YES, give name of rail carrier serving it: _____

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If the clause requires additional or unique information, then that information is provided immediately after the clause title.

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	<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
I-1	52.202-1	DEFINITIONS	DEC/2001
I-2	52.203-3	GRATUITIES	APR/1984
I-3	52.203-5	COVENANT AGAINST CONTINGENT FEES	APR/1984
I-4	52.203-8	CANCELLATION, RESCISSION, AND RECOVERY OF FUNDS FOR ILLEGAL OR IMPROPER ACTIVITY	JAN/1997
I-5	52.203-10	PRICE OR FEE ADJUSTMENT FOR ILLEGAL OR IMPROPER ACTIVITY	JAN/1997
I-6	52.203-12	LIMITATION ON PAYMENTS TO INFLUENCE CERTAIN FEDERAL TRANSACTIONS	JUN/2003
I-7	52.204-2	SECURITY REQUIREMENTS	AUG/1996
I-8	52.204-4	PRINTED OR COPIED DOUBLE-SIDED ON RECYCLED PAPER	AUG/2000
I-9	52.204-7	CENTRAL CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION	OCT/2003
I-10	52.209-6	PROTECTING THE GOVERNMENTS INTEREST WHEN SUBCONTRACTING WITH CONTRACTORS DEBARRED, SUSPENDED, OR PROPOSED FOR DEBARMENT	JUL/1995
I-11	52.211-5	MATERIAL REQUIREMENTS	AUG/2000
I-12	52.211-15	DEFENSE PRIORITY AND ALLOCATION REQUIREMENTS	SEP/1990
I-13	52.215-2	AUDIT AND RECORDS - NEGOTIATION	JUN/1999
I-14	52.215-10	PRICE REDUCTION FOR DEFECTIVE COST OR PRICING DATA	OCT/1997
I-15	52.215-12	SUBCONTRACTOR COST OR PRICING DATA	OCT/1997
I-16	52.215-14	INTEGRITY OF UNIT PRICES	OCT/1997
I-17	52.215-15	PENSION ADJUSTMENTS AND ASSET REVERSIONS	JAN/2004
I-18	52.215-18	REVERSION OR ADJUSTMENT OF PLANS FOR POSTRETIREMENT BENEFITS (PRB) OTHER THAN PENSIONS	OCT/1997
I-19	52.215-19	NOTIFICATION OF OWNERSHIP CHANGES	OCT/1997
I-20	52.219-8	UTILIZATION OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERNS	OCT/2000
I-21	52.219-16	LIQUIDATED DAMAGES - SUBCONTRACTING PLAN	JAN/1999
I-22	52.222-19	CHILD LABOR - COOPERATION WITH AUTHORITIES AND REMEDIES	JAN/2004
I-23	52.222-21	PROHIBITION OF SEGREGATED FACILITIES	FEB/1999
I-24	52.222-26	EQUAL OPPORTUNITY	APR/2002
I-25	52.222-35	EQUAL OPPORTUNITY FOR SPECIAL DISABLED VETERANS, VETERANS OF THE VIETNAM ERA, AND OTHER ELIGIBLE VETERANS	DEC/2001
I-26	52.222-36	AFFIRMATIVE ACTION FOR WORKERS WITH DISABILITIES	JUN/1998
I-27	52.222-37	EMPLOYMENT REPORTS ON SPECIAL DISABLED VETERANS, VETERANS OF THE VIETNAM ERA, AND OTHER ELIGIBLE VETERANS	DEC/2001
I-28	52.223-6	DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE	MAY/2001
I-29	52.223-14	TOXIC CHEMICAL RELEASE REPORTING	AUG/2003
I-30	52.225-13	RESTRICTIONS ON CERTAIN FOREIGN PURCHASES (DEVIATION)	JAN/2004
I-31	52.227-2	NOTICE AND ASSISTANCE REGARDING PATENT AND COPYRIGHT INFRINGEMENT	AUG/1996
I-32	52.229-3	FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL TAXES	APR/2003
I-33	52.230-2	COST ACCOUNTING STANDARDS	APR/1998
I-34	52.230-6	ADMINISTRATION OF COST ACCOUNTING STANDARDS	NOV/1999
I-35	52.232-1	PAYMENTS	APR/1984
I-36	52.232-8	DISCOUNTS FOR PROMPT PAYMENT	FEB/2002
I-37	52.232-11	EXTRAS	APR/1984
I-38	52.232-17	INTEREST	JUN/1996
I-39	52.232-23	ASSIGNMENT OF CLAIMS - ALTERNATE I	APR/1984
I-40	52.232-25	PROMPT PAYMENT	OCT/2003
I-41	52.232-33	PAYMENT BY ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER - CENTRAL CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION	OCT/2003
I-42	52.233-1	DISPUTES	JUL/2002
I-43	52.233-3	PROTEST AFTER AWARD	AUG/1996
I-44	52.242-13	BANKRUPTCY	JUL/1995
I-45	52.243-1	CHANGES - FIXED PRICE	AUG/1987

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I-46	52.244-6	SUBCONTRACTS FOR COMMERCIAL ITEMS	JUN/2003
I-47	52.246-1	CONTRACTOR INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS	APR/1984
I-48	52.246-24	LIMITATION OF LIABILITY - HIGH-VALUE ITEMS	FEB/1997
I-49	52.247-63	PREFERENCE FOR U.S. - FLAG AIR CARRIERS	JUN/2003
I-50	52.248-1	VALUE ENGINEERING	FEB/2000
I-51	52.249-2	TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE OF THE GOVERNMENT (FIXED-PRICE)	MAY/2004
I-52	52.249-8	DEFAULT (FIXED-PRICE SUPPLY AND SERVICE)	APR/1984
I-53	52.253-1	COMPUTER GENERATED FORMS	JAN/1991
I-54	252.203-7001 DFARS	PROHIBITION ON PERSONS CONVICTED OF FRAUD OR OTHER DEFENSE-CONTRACT-RELATED FELONIES	MAR/1999
I-55	252.203-7002 DFARS	DISPLAY OF DOD HOTLINE POSTER	DEC/1991
I-56	252.204-7003 DFARS	CONTROL OF GOVERNMENT PERSONNEL WORK PRODUCT	APR/1992
I-57	252.204-7004 DFARS	CENTRAL CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION - ALTERNATE A	NOV/2003
I-58	252.205-7000 DFARS	PROVISION OF INFORMATION TO COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT HOLDERS	DEC/1991
I-59	252.209-7000 DFARS	ACQUISITION FROM SUBCONTRACTORS SUBJECT TO ON-SITE INSPECTION UNDER THE INTERMEDIATE-RANGE NUCLEAR FORCES (INF) TREATY	NOV/1995
I-60	252.215-7000 DFARS	PRICING ADJUSTMENTS	DEC/1991
I-61	252.215-7002 DFARS	COST ESTIMATING SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS	OCT/1998
I-62	252.219-7003 DFARS	SMALL, SMALL DISADVANTAGED, AND WOMEN-OWNED SMALL BUSINESS SUBCONTRACTING PLAN (DOD CONTRACTS)	APR/1996
I-63	252.223-7004 DFARS	DRUG-FREE WORK FORCE	SEP/1988
I-64	252.225-7001 DFARS	BUY AMERICAN ACT AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS PROGRAM	APR/2003
I-65	252.225-7002 DFARS	QUALIFYING COUNTRY SOURCES AS SUBCONTRACTORS	APR/2003
I-66	252.225-7004	REPORTING OF CONTRACT PERFORMANCE OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES	APR/2003
I-67	252.225-7012 DFARS	PREFERENCE FOR CERTAIN DOMESTIC COMMODITIES	FEB/2003
I-68	252.225-7013 DFARS	DUTY-FREE ENTRY	JAN/2004
I-69	252.225-7016 DFARS	RESTRICTION ON ACQUISITION OF BALL AND ROLLER BEARINGS	APR/2003
I-70	252.225-7025 DFARS	RESTRICTION ON ACQUISITION OF FORGINGS	APR/2003
I-71	252.226-7001 DFARS	UTILIZATION OF INDIAN ORGANIZATIONS, INDIAN-OWNED ECONOMIC ENTERPRISES, AND NATIVE HAWAIIAN SMALL BUSINESS CONCERNS (OCT 2003)	OCT/2003
I-72	252.231-7000 DFARS	SUPPLEMENTAL COST PRINCIPLES	DEC/1991
I-73	252.232-7003 DFARS	ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION OF PAYMENT REQUESTS	JAN/2004
I-74	252.232-7004 DFARS	DOD PROGRESS PAYMENT RATES	OCT/2001
I-75	252.242-7000 DFARS	POSTAWARD CONFERENCE	DEC/1991
I-76	252.242-7004 DFARS	MATERIAL MANAGEMENT AND ACCOUNTING SYSTEM	DEC/2000
I-77	252.243-7001 DFARS	PRICING OF CONTRACT MODIFICATIONS	DEC/1991
I-78	252.243-7002 DFARS	REQUESTS FOR EQUITABLE ADJUSTMENT	MAR/1998
I-79	252.244-7000 DFARS	SUBCONTRACTS FOR COMMERCIAL ITEMS AND COMMERCIAL COMPONENTS (DOD CONTRACTS)	MAR/2000
I-80	252.246-7000 DFARS	MATERIAL INSPECTION AND RECEIVING REPORT	MAR/2003

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I-81	52.213-4	TERMS AND CONDITIONS - SIMPLIFIED ACQUISITIONS (OTHER THAN COMMERCIAL ITEMS)	APR/2004

Paragraph (b)(1)(viii) is deleted from this clause.

Information to be inserted in Paragraph (c):

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I-82	52.216-18	ORDERING	OCT/1995
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(a) Any supplies and services to be furnished under this contract shall be ordered by issuance of delivery orders or task orders by the individuals or activities designated in the Schedule. Such orders may be issued from award through 30 September 2009.

(b) All delivery orders or task orders are subject to the terms and conditions of this contract. In the event of conflict between a delivery order or task order and this contract, the contract shall control.

(c) If mailed, a delivery order or task order is considered "issued" when the Government deposits the order in the mail. Orders may be issued orally, by facsimile, or by electronic commerce methods only if authorized in the Schedule.

(End of Clause)

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I-83	52.216-19	ORDER LIMITATIONS	OCT/1995
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(a) Minimum order. When the Government requires supplies or services covered by this contract in an amount of less than 1, the Government is not obligated to purchase, nor is the Contractor obligated to furnish, those supplies or services under the contract.

(b) Maximum order. The Contractor is not obligated to honor -

(1) Any order for a single item in excess of 2,500 ;

(2) Any order for a combination of items in excess of N/A; or

(3) A series of orders from the same ordering office within 30 days that together call for quantities exceeding the limitation in subparagraph (1) or (2) above.

(c) If this is a requirements contract (i.e., includes the Requirements clause at subsection 52.216-21 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR)), the Government is not required to order a part of any one requirement from the Contractor if that requirement exceeds the maximum-order limitations in paragraph (b) above.

(d) Notwithstanding paragraphs (b) and (c) above, the Contractor shall honor any order exceeding the maximum order limitations in paragraph (b), unless that order (or orders) is returned to the ordering office within 15 days after issuance, with written notice stating the Contractor's intent not to ship the item (or items) called for and the reasons. Upon receiving this notice, the Government may acquire the supplies or services from another source.

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I-84 52.216-22 INDEFINITE QUANTITY

OCT/1995

(a) This is an indefinite-quantity contract for the supplies or services specified, and effective for the period stated, in the Schedule. The quantities of supplies and services specified in the Schedule are estimates only and are not purchased by this contract.

(b) Delivery or performance shall be made only as authorized by orders issued in accordance with the Ordering clause. The Contractor shall furnish to the Government, when and if ordered, the supplies or services specified in the Schedule up to and including the quantity designated in the Schedule as the "maximum". The Government shall order at least the quantity of supplies or services designated in the Schedule as the "minimum".

(c) Except for any limitations on quantities in the Order Limitations clause or in the Schedule, there is no limit on the number of orders that may be issued. The Government may issue orders requiring delivery to multiple destinations or performance at multiple locations.

(d) Any order issued during the effective period of this contract and not completed within that period shall be completed by the Contractor within the time specified in the order. The contract shall govern the Contractor's and Government's rights and obligations with respect to that order to the same extent as if the order were completed during the contract's effective period; provided, that the Contractor shall not be required to make any deliveries under this contract after THE END OF ORDERING PERIOD 5.

(End of clause)

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I-85 52.232-16 PROGRESS PAYMENTS

APR/2003

The Government will make progress payments to the Contractor when requested as work progresses, but not more frequently than monthly in amount of \$2500 or more approved by the Contracting Officer, under the following conditions:

(a) Computation of amounts.

(1) Unless the Contractor requests a smaller amount, the Government will compute each progress payment as 80 percent of the Contractor's total costs incurred under this contract whether or not actually paid, plus financing payments to subcontractors (see paragraph (j) of this clause), less the sum of all previous progress payments made by the Government under this contract. The Contracting Officer will consider cost of money that would be allowable under FAR 31.205-10 as an incurred cost for progress payment purposes.

(2) The amount of financing and other payments for supplies and services purchased directly for the contract are limited to the amounts that have been paid by cash, check, or other forms of payment, or that are determined due and will be paid to subcontractors -

(i) In accordance with the terms and conditions of a subcontract of invoice; and

(ii) Ordinarily within 30 days of the submission of the Contractor's next payment request to the Government.

(3) The Government will exclude accrued costs of Contractor contributions under employee pension plans until actually paid unless -

(i) The Contractor's practice is to make contributions to the retirement fund quarterly or more frequently; and

(ii) The contribution does not remain unpaid 30 days after the end of the applicable quarter or shorter payment period (any contribution remaining unpaid shall be excluded from the Contractor's total costs for progress payments until paid).

(4) The Contractor shall not include the following in total costs for progress payment purposes in paragraph (a)(1) of this clause:

(i) Costs that are not reasonable, allocable to this contract, and consistent with sound and generally accepted accounting principles and practices.

(ii) Costs incurred by subcontractors or suppliers.

(iii) Costs ordinarily capitalized and subject to depreciation or amortization except for the properly depreciated or amortized portion of such costs.

(iv) Payments made or amounts payable to subcontractors or suppliers, except for--

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(A) Completed work, including partial deliveries, to which the Contractor has acquired title; and

(B) Work under cost-reimbursement or time-and-material subcontracts to which the Contractor has acquired title.

(5) The amount of unliquidated progress payments may exceed neither (i) the progress payments made against incomplete work (including allowable unliquidated progress payments to subcontractors) nor (ii) the value, for progress payment purposes, of the incomplete work. Incomplete work shall be considered to be the supplies and services required by this contract, for which delivery and invoicing by the Contractor and acceptance by the Government are incomplete.

(6) The total amount of progress payments shall not exceed eighty percent (80%) of the total contract price.

(7) If a progress payment or the unliquidated progress payment exceed the amounts permitted by subparagraphs (a)(4) or (a)(5) above, the Contractor shall repay the amount of such excess to the Government on demand.

(8) Notwithstanding any other terms of the contract, the Contractor agrees not to request progress payments in dollar amounts of less than \$2500. The Contracting Officer may make exceptions.

(b) Liquidation. Except as provided in the Termination for Convenience of the Government clause, all progress payments shall be liquidated by deducting from any payment under this contract, other than advance or progress payments, the unliquidated progress payments, or eighty percent (80%) of the amount invoiced, whichever is less. The Contractor shall repay to the Government any amounts required by a retroactive price reduction, after computing liquidations and payments on past invoices at the reduced prices and adjusting the unliquidated progress payments accordingly. The Government reserves the right to unilaterally change from the ordinary liquidation rate to an alternate rate when deemed appropriate for proper contract financing.

(c) Reduction or suspension. The Contracting Officer may reduce or suspend progress payments, increase the rate of liquidation, or take a combination of these actions, after finding on substantial evidence any of the following conditions:

(1) The Contractor failed to comply with any material requirement of this contract (which includes paragraphs (f) and (g) below).

(2) Performance of this contract is endangered by the Contractor's (i) failure to make progress or (ii) unsatisfactory financial condition.

(3) Inventory allocated to this contract substantially exceeds reasonable requirements.

(4) The Contractor is delinquent in payment of the costs of performing this contract in the ordinary course of business.

(5) The unliquidated progress payments exceed the fair value of the work accomplished on the undelivered portion of this contract.

(6) The Contractor is realizing less profit than that reflected in the establishment of any alternate liquidation rate in paragraph (b) above, and that rate is less than the progress payment rate stated in subparagraph (a)(1) above.

(d) Title.

(1) Title to the property described in this paragraph (d) shall vest in the Government. Vestiture shall be immediately upon the date of this contract, for property acquired or produced before that date. Otherwise, vestiture shall occur when the property is or should have been allocable or properly chargeable to this contract.

(2) "Property," as used in this clause, includes all of the below-described items acquired or produced by the Contractor that are or should be allocable or properly chargeable to this contract under sound and generally accepted accounting principles and practices.

(i) Parts, materials, inventories, and work in process;

(ii) Special tooling and special test equipment to which the Government is to acquire title under any other clause of this contract;

(iii) Nondurable (i.e., noncapital) tools, jigs, dies, fixtures, molds, patterns, taps, gauges, test equipment, and other similar manufacturing aids, title to which would not be obtained as special tooling under subparagraph (ii) above; and

(iv) Drawings and technical data, to the extent the Contractor or subcontractors are required to deliver them to the Government by other clauses of this contract.

(3) Although title to property is in the Government under this clause, other applicable clauses of this contract, e.g., the termination or special tooling clauses, shall determine the handling and disposition of the property.

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(4) The Contractor may sell any scrap resulting from production under this contract without requesting the Contracting Officer's approval, but the proceeds shall be credited against the costs of performance.

(5) To acquire for its own use or dispose of property to which title is vested in the Government under this clause, the Contractor must obtain the Contracting Officer's advance approval of the action and the terms. The Contractor shall (i) exclude the allocable cost of the property from the costs of contract performance, and (ii) repay to the Government any amount of unliquidated progress payments allocable to the property. Repayment may be by cash or credit memorandum.

(6) When the Contractor completes all of the obligations under this contract, including liquidation of all progress payments, title shall vest in the Contractor for all property (or the proceeds thereof) not--

(i) Delivered to, and accepted by, the Government under this contract; or

(ii) Incorporated in supplies delivered to, and accepted by, the Government under this contract and to which title is vested in the Government under this clause.

(7) The terms of this contract concerning liability for Government-furnished property shall not apply to property to which the Government acquired title solely under this clause.

(e) Risk of loss. Before delivery to and acceptance by the Government, the Contractor shall bear the risk of loss for property, the title to which vests in the Government under this clause, except to the extent the Government expressly assumes the risk. The Contractor shall repay the Government an amount equal to the unliquidated progress payments that are based on costs allocable to property that is damaged, lost, stolen, or destroyed.

(f) Control of costs and property. The Contractor shall maintain an accounting system and controls adequate for the proper administration of this clause.

(g) Reports and access to records. The Contractor shall promptly furnish reports, certificates, financial statements, and other pertinent information reasonably requested by the Contracting Officer for the administration of this clause. Also, the Contractor shall give the Government reasonable opportunity to examine and verify the Contractor's books, records, and accounts.

(h) Special terms regarding default. If this contract is terminated under the Default clause, (i) the Contractor shall, on demand, repay to the Government the amount of unliquidated progress payments and (ii) title shall vest in the Contractor, on full liquidation of progress payments, for all property for which the Government elects not to require delivery under the Default clause. The Government shall be liable for no payment except as provided by the Default clause.

(i) Reservations of rights.

(1) No payment or vesting of title under this clause shall (i) excuse the Contractor from performance of obligations under this contract or (ii) constitute a waiver of any of the rights or remedies of the parties under the contract.

(2) The Government's rights and remedies under this clause (i) shall not be exclusive but rather shall be in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or this contract and (ii) shall not be affected by delayed, partial, or omitted exercise of any right, remedy, power, or privilege, nor shall such exercise or any single exercise preclude or impair any further exercise under this clause or the exercise of any other right, power, or privilege of the Government.

(j) Financing payments to subcontractors. The financing payments to subcontractors mentioned in paragraphs (a)(1) and (a)(2) of this clause shall be all financing payments to subcontractors or division, if the following conditions are met:

(1) The amounts included are limited to -

(i) The unliquidated remainder of financing payments made; plus

(ii) any unpaid subcontractor requests for financing payments.

(2) The subcontract or interdivisional order is expected to involve a minimum of approximately 6 months between the beginning of work and the first delivery, or, if the subcontractor is a small business concern, 4 months.

(3) If the financing payments are in the form of progress payments, the terms of the subcontract or interdivisional order concerning progress payments -

(i) Are substantially similar to the terms of the clause for any subcontractor that is a large business concern, or that clause with its Alternate I for any subcontractor that is a small business concern;

(ii) Are at least as favorable to the Government as the terms of this clause;

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(iii) Are not more favorable to the subcontractor or division than the terms of this clause are to the Contractor;

(iv) Are in conformance with the requirements of FAR 32.504(e); and

(v) Subordinate all subcontractor rights concerning property to which the Government has title under the subcontract to the Government's right to require delivery of the property to the Government if (A) the Contractor defaults or (B) the subcontractor becomes bankrupt or insolvent.

(4) If the financing payments are in the form of performance-based payments, the terms of the subcontract or interdivisional order concerning payments -

(i) Are substantially similar to the Performance-Based Payments clause at FAR 52.232-32 and meet the criteria for, and definition of, performance-based payments in FAR Part 32;

(ii) Are in conformance with the requirements of FAR 32.504(f); and

(iii) Subordinate all subcontractor rights concerning property to which the Government has title under the subcontract to the Government's right to require delivery of the property to the Government if - (A) The Contractor defaults; or (B) The subcontractor becomes bankrupt or insolvent.

(5) If the financing payments are in the form of commercial item financing payments, the terms of the subcontract or interdivisional order concerning payments -

(i) Are constructed in accordance with FAR 32.206(c) and included in a subcontract for a commercial item purchase that meets the definition and standards for acquisition of commercial items in FAR Part 2 and 12;

(ii) Are in conformance with the requirements of FAR 32.504(g); and

(iii) Subordinate all subcontractor rights concerning property to which the Government has title under the subcontract to the Government's right to require delivery of the property to the Government if - (A) The Contractor defaults; or (B) The subcontractor becomes bankrupt or insolvent.

(6) If financing is in the form of progress payments, the progress payment rate in the subcontract is the customary rate used by the contracting agency, depending on whether the subcontractor is or is not a small business concern.

(7) Concerning any proceeds received by the Government for property to which title has vested in the Government under the subcontract terms, the parties agree that the proceeds shall be applied to reducing any unliquidated financing payments by the Government to the Contractor under this contract.

(8) If no unliquidated financing payments to the Contractor remain, but there are unliquidated financing payments that the Contractor's has made to any subcontractor, the Contractor shall be subrogated to all the rights the Government obtained through the terms required by this clause to be in any subcontract, as if all such rights had been assigned and transferred to the Contractor.

(9) To facilitate small business participation in subcontracting under this contract, the Contractor shall provide financing payments to small business concerns, in conformity with the standards for customary contract financing payments stated in Subpart 32.113. The Contractor shall not consider the need for such financing payments as a handicap or adverse factor in the award of subcontracts.

(k) Limitations on Unfinalized Contract Actions. Notwithstanding any other progress payment provision in this contract, progress payments may not exceed eighty percent (80%) of costs incurred on work accomplished under unfinalized contract actions. A "contract action" is any action resulting in a contract, as defined in Subpart 2.1, including contract modifications for additional supplies or services, but not including contract modifications that are within the scope and under the terms of the contract, such as contract modifications issued pursuant to the Changes clause, or funding and other administrative changes. This limitation shall apply to the costs incurred, as computed in accordance with paragraph (a) of this clause, and shall remain in effect until the contract action is finalized. Costs incurred which are subject to this limitation shall be segregated on contractor progress payment requests and invoices from those costs eligible for higher progress payment rates. For purposes of progress payment liquidation, as described in paragraph (b) of this clause, progress payments for unfinalized contract actions shall be liquidated at eighty percent (80%) of the amount invoiced for work performed under the unfinalized contract action as long as the contract action remains unfinalized. The amount of unliquidated progress payments for unfinalized contract actions shall not exceed eighty percent (80%) of the maximum liability of the Government under the unfinalized contract action or such lower limit specified elsewhere in the contract. Separate limits may be specified for separate actions.

(l) Due date. The designated payment office will make progress payments on the 30th date after the designated billing office receives a proper progress payment request. In the event that the Government requires an audit or other review of a specific progress payment

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request to ensure compliance with the terms and conditions of the contract, the designated payment office is not compelled to make payment by the specified due date. Progress payments are considered contract financing and are not subject to the interest penalty provision of the Prompt Payment Act.

(m) Progress payments under indefinite-delivery contracts. The contractor shall account for and submit progress payment requests under individual orders as if the order constituted a separate contract, unless otherwise specified in this contract.

(End of Clause)

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WARRANTY OF SUPPLIES OF A NONCOMPLEX NATURE

JUN/2003

(a) Definitions. As used in this clause -

Acceptance means the act of an authorized representative of the Government by which the Government assumes for itself, or an agent of another, ownership of existing supplies, or approves specific services as partial or complete performance of the contract.

Supplies means the end item furnished by the Contractor and related services required under the contract. The word does not include "data."

(b) Contractor's obligations. (1) Notwithstanding inspection and acceptance by the Government of supplies furnished under this contract or any provision of this contract concerning the conclusiveness thereof, the contractor warrants that for 1 YEAR, the supplies delivered under this contract shall:

(i) Conform to material and workmanship requirements delineated in this contract or in any modification of this contract in effect at the time of acceptance;

(ii) Conform to all drawings and specifications and all design and manufacturing requirements as furnished or identified by the Government specifically in this contract or incorporated by reference in this contract; and

(iii) The preservation, packaging, packing, and marking, and the preparation for, and method of, shipment of such supplies will conform with the requirements of this contract.

(2) When return, correction, or replacement is required, transportation charges and responsibility for the supplies while in transit shall be borne by the Contractor. However, the Contractor's liability for the transportation charges shall not exceed an amount equal to the cost of transportation by the usual commercial method of shipment between the place of delivery specified in this contract and the Contractor's plant, and return.

(3) Any supplies or parts thereof, corrected or furnished in replacement under this clause, shall also be subject to the terms of this clause to the same extent as supplies initially delivered. The warranty, with respect to supplies or parts thereof, shall be equal in duration to that in paragraph (b)(1) of this clause and shall run from the date of delivery of the corrected or replaced supplies.

(4) All implied warranties of merchantability and "fitness for a particular purpose" are excluded from any obligation contained in this contract.

(c) Remedies available to the Government. (1) The Contracting Officer shall give written notice to the Contractor of any breach of warranties in paragraph (b)(1) of this clause within 365 days after discovery of the defect(s).

(2) Within a reasonable time after the notice, the Contracting Officer may either-

(i) Require, by written notice, the prompt correction or replacement of any supplies or parts thereof (including preservation, packaging, packing, and marking) that do not conform with the requirements of this contract within the meaning of paragraph (b)(1) of this clause; or

(ii) Retain such supplies and reduce the contract price by an amount equitable under the circumstances.

(3) (i) If the contract provides for inspection of supplies by sampling procedures, conformance of supplies or components subject to warranty action shall be determined by the applicable sampling procedures in the contract. The Contracting Officer-

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(A) May, for sampling purposes, group any supplies delivered under this contract;

(B) Shall require the size of the sample to be that required by sampling procedures specified in the contract for the quantity of supplies on which warranty action is proposed;

(C) May project warranty sampling results over supplies in the same shipment or other supplies contained in other shipments even though all of such supplies are not present at the point of reinspection; provided, that the supplies remaining are reasonably representative of the quantity on which warranty action is proposed; and

(D) Need not use the same lot size as on original inspection or reconstitute the original inspection lots.

(ii) Within a reasonable time after notice of any breach of the warranties specified in paragraph (b)(1) of this clause, the Contracting Officer may exercise one or more of the following options:

(A) Require an equitable adjustment in the contract price for any group of supplies.

(B) Screen the supplies grouped for warranty action under this clause at the Contractor's expense and return all nonconforming supplies to the Contractor for correction or replacement.

(C) Require the Contractor to screen the supplies at locations designated by the Government within the contiguous United States and to correct or replace all nonconforming supplies.

(D) Return the supplies grouped for warranty action under this clause to the Contractor (irrespective of the f.o.b. point or the point of acceptance) for screening and correction or replacement.

(4) (i) The Contracting Officer may, by contract or otherwise, correct or replace the nonconforming supplies with similar supplies from another source and charge to the Contractor the cost occasioned to the Government thereby if the Contractor-

(A) Fails to make redelivery of the corrected or replaced supplies within the time established for their return; or

(B) Fails either to accept return of the nonconforming supplies or fails to make progress after their return to correct or replace them so as to endanger performance of the delivery schedule, and in either of these circumstances does not cure such failure within a period of 10 days (or such longer period as the Contracting Officer may authorize in writing) after receipt of notice from the Contracting Officer specifying such failure.

(ii) Instead of correction or replacement by the Government, the Contracting Officer may require an equitable adjustment of the contract price. In addition, if the Contractor fails to furnish timely disposition instructions, the Contracting Officer may dispose of the nonconforming supplies for the Contractor's account in a reasonable manner. The Government is entitled to reimbursement from the Contractor, or from the proceeds of such disposal, for the reasonable expenses of the care and disposition of the nonconforming supplies, as well as for excess costs incurred or to be incurred.

(5) The rights and remedies of the Government provided in this clause are in addition to and do not limit any rights afforded to the Government by any other clause of this contract.

(d) Whenever a request for waiver, or deviation, or other change to a requirement in the contract is approved, Contractor responsibilities arising out of provisions of this clause are relieved only to the extent of the terms and conditions specified in the approval.

(e) For purpose of identifying warranted material to facilities receiving it, the following instructions will apply:

(1) For a quantity of warranted material which has been accepted at origin by the Government, the pertinent DD Form 250 (and the pertinent Ammunition Data Card if the card is contractually required) shall bear the following annotation:

"The warranty period of the quantity stated hereon of lot (enter the item serial/lot number) begins on (enter the date of acceptance of the quantity) and ends on (enter the date of the end of the warranty period for the quantity)".

(2) For a quantity of warranted material which has not been accepted at origin by the Government, the pertinent DD Form 250 (and the pertinent Ammunition Data Card if the card is contractually required) shall bear the following annotation:

"The warranty period for the quantity stated hereon of lot (enter the item serial/lot number) begins on the date of the acceptance of the lot and ends (enter the length of the warranty period) days later."

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I-87 52.203-6 RESTRICTIONS ON SUBCONTRACTOR SALES TO THE GOVERNMENT JUL/1995

(a) Except as provided in (b) below, the Contractor shall not enter into any agreement with an actual or prospective subcontractor, nor otherwise act in any manner, which has or may have the effect of restricting sales by such subcontractors directly to the Government of any item or process (including computer software) made or furnished by the subcontractor under this contract or under any follow-on production contract.

(b) The prohibition in (a) above does not preclude the Contractor from asserting rights that are otherwise authorized by law or regulation.

(c) The Contractor agrees to incorporate the substance of this clause, including this paragraph (c), in all subcontracts under this contract which exceed \$100,000.

(End of Clause)

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I-88 52.203-7 ANTI-KICKBACK PROCEDURES JUL/1995

(a) Definitions.

Kickback, as used in this clause, means any money, fee, commission, credit, gift, gratuity, thing of value, or compensation of any kind which is provided, directly or indirectly, to any prime Contractor, prime Contractor employee, subcontractor, or subcontractor employee for the purpose of improperly obtaining or rewarding favorable treatment in connection with a prime contract or in connection with a subcontract relating to a prime contract.

Person, as used in this clause, means a corporation, partnership, business association of any kind, trust, joint-stock company, or individual.

Prime contract, as used in this clause, means a contract or contractual action entered into by the United States for the purpose of obtaining supplies, materials, equipment, or services of any kind.

Prime Contractor, as used in this clause, means a person who has entered into a prime contract with the United States.

Prime Contractor employee, as used in this clause, means any officer, partner, employee, or agent of a prime Contractor.

Subcontract, as used in this clause, means a contract or contractual action entered into by a prime Contractor or subcontractor for the purpose of obtaining supplies, materials, equipment, or services of any kind under a prime contract.

Subcontractor, as used in this clause (1) means any person, other than the prime Contractor, who offers to furnish or furnishes any supplies, materials, equipment, or services of any kind under a prime contract or a subcontract entered into in connection with such prime contract, and (2) includes any person who offers to furnish or furnishes general supplies to the prime Contractor or a higher tier subcontractor.

Subcontractor employee, as used in this clause, means any officer, partner, employee, or agent of a subcontractor.

(b) The Anti-Kickback of 1986 (41 U.S.C. 51.58) (the Act), prohibits any person from--

(1) Providing or attempting to provide or offering to provide any kickback;

(2) Soliciting, accepting, or attempting to accept any kickback; or

(3) Including, directly or indirectly, the amount of any kickback in the contract price charged by a prime Contractor to the United States or in the contract price charged by a subcontractor to a prime Contractor or higher tier subcontractor.

(c)(1) The Contractor shall have in place and follow reasonable procedures designed to prevent and detect possible violations described in paragraph (b) of this clause in its own operations and direct business relationships.

(2) When the Contractor has reasonable grounds to believe that a violation described in paragraph (b) of this clause may have occurred, the Contractor shall promptly report in writing the possible violation. Such reports shall be made to the inspector general

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of the contracting agency, the head of the contracting agency if the agency does not have an inspector general, or the Department of Justice.

(3) The Contractor shall cooperate fully with any Federal agency investigating a possible violation described in paragraph (b) of this clause.

(4) The Contracting Officer may (i) offset the amount of the kickback against any monies owed by the United States under the prime contract and/or (ii) direct that Prime Contractor withhold from sums owed a subcontractor under the prime contract the amount of the kickback. The Contracting Officer may order that monies withheld under subdivision (c)(4)(ii) of this clause be paid over to the Government unless the Government has already offset those monies under subdivision (c)(4)(i) of this clause. In either case, the Prime Contractor shall notify the Contracting Officer when the monies are withheld.

(5) The Contractor agrees to incorporate the substance of this clause, including subparagraph (c)(5) but excepting subparagraph (c)(1), in all subcontracts under this contract which exceed \$100,000.

(End of Clause)

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I-89 52.209-3 FIRST ARTICLE APPROVAL-CONTRACTOR TESTING, ALTERNATE I AND ALTERNATE JAN/1997
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(a) The Contractor shall test * unit(s) of Lot/Item * as specified in this contract. At least fifteen (15) calendar days before the beginning of first article tests, the Contractor shall notify the Contracting Officer, in writing, of the time and location of the testing so that the Government may witness the tests.

(b) The Contractor shall submit the first article test report within ** calendar days from the date of this contract to * marked 'FIRST ARTICLE TEST REPORT: Contract No.____,Lot/Item No.____.' Within thirty (30) calendar days after the Government receives the test report, the Contracting Officer shall notify the Contractor, in writing, of the conditional approval, approval, or disapproval of the first article. The notice of conditional approval or approval shall not relieve the Contractor from complying with all requirements of the specifications and all other terms and conditions of this contract. A notice of conditional approval shall state any further action required of the Contractor. A notice of disapproval shall cite reasons for the disapproval.

(c) If the first article is disapproved, the Contractor, upon Government request, shall repeat any or all first article tests. After each request for additional tests, the Contractor shall make any necessary changes, modifications, or repairs to the first article or select another first article for testing. All costs related to these tests are to be borne by the Contractor, including any and all costs for additional tests following a disapproval. The Contractor shall then conduct the tests and deliver another report to the Government under the terms and conditions and within the time specified by the Government. The Government shall take action on this report within the time specified in paragraph (b) above. The Government reserves the right to require an equitable adjustment of the contract price for any extension of the delivery schedule, or for any additional costs to the Government related to these tests.

(d) If the Contractor fails to deliver any first article report on time, or the Contracting Officer disapproves any first article, the Contractor shall be deemed to have failed to make delivery within the meaning of the Default clause of this contract.

(e) Unless otherwise provided in the contract, and if the approved first article is not consumed or destroyed in testing, the Contractor may deliver the approved first article as part of the contract quantity if it meets all contract requirements for acceptance.

(f) If the Government does not act within the time specified in paragraph (b) or (c) above, the Contracting Officer shall, upon timely written request from the Contractor, equitably adjust under the Changes clause of this contract the delivery or performance dates and/or the contract price, and any other contractual term affected by the delay.

(g) Before first article approval, the Contracting Officer may, by written authorization, authorize the Contractor to acquire specific materials or components or to commence production to the extent essential to meet the delivery schedules. Until first article approval is granted, only costs for the first article and costs incurred under this authorization are allocable to this contract for (1) progress payments, or (2) termination settlements if the contract is terminated for the convenience of the Government. If first article tests reveal deviations from contract requirements, the Contractor shall, at the location designated by the Government, make the required changes or replace all items produced under this contract at no change in the contract price.

(h) The Government may waive the requirement for first article approval test where supplies identical or similar to those called for in the schedule have been previously furnished by the Offeror/Contractor and have been accepted by the Government. The Offeror/Contractor may request a waiver.

(i) The Contractor shall produce both the first article and the production quantity at the same facility.

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* (See instructions regarding submission of First Article clause)

** (See Schedule B)

(End of Clause)

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I-90 52.215-8 ORDER OF PRECEDENCE - UNIFORM CONTRACT FORMAT OCT/1997

Any inconsistency in this solicitation or contract shall be resolved by giving precedence in the following order: (a) the Schedule (excluding the specifications); (b) representations and other instructions; (c) contract clauses; (d) other documents, exhibits, and attachments; and (e) the specifications.

NOTE: The Order of Precedence within the specifications (paragraph (e) above) is: (1) Detailed specifications (including gage designs) for item(s) being procured; (2) Detailed specifications for material or operations; (3) General Specifications for class or items, and (4) General Specifications for class of materials.

(End of Clause)

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I-91 52.219-4 NOTICE OF PRICE EVALUATION PREFERENCE FOR HUBZONE SMALL BUSINESS CONCERNS. JAN/1999

(a) Definition. HUBZone small business concern, as used in this clause, means a small business concern that appears on the List of Qualified HUBZone Small Business concerns maintained by the Small Business Administration.

(b) Evaluation preference.

(1) Offers will be evaluated by adding a factor of 10 percent to the price of all offers except--

(i) Offers from HUBZone small business concerns that have not waived the evaluation preference.

(ii) Otherwise successful offers from small business concerns.

(iii) Otherwise successful offers of eligible products under the Trade Agreements Act when the dollar threshold for application of the Act is exceeded (see 25.402 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR)); and

(iv) Otherwise successful offers where application of the factor would be inconsistent with a Memorandum of Understanding or other international agreement with a foreign government.

(2) The factor of 10 percent shall be applied on a line item basis or to any group of items on which award may be made. Other evaluation factors described in the solicitation shall be applied before application of the factor.

(3) A concern that is both a HUBZone small business concern and a small disadvantaged business concern will receive the benefit of both the HUBZone small business price evaluation preference and the small disadvantaged business price evaluation adjustment (see FAR clause 52.219-23). Each applicable price evaluation preference or adjustment shall be calculated independently against an offeror's base offer. These individual preference amounts shall be added together to arrive at the total evaluated price for that offer.

(c) Waiver of evaluation preference. A HUBZone small business concern may elect to waive the evaluation preference, in which case the factor will be added to its offer for evaluation purposes. The agreements in paragraph (d) of this clause do not apply if the offeror has waived the evaluation preference.

____ Offeror elects to waive the evaluation preference.

(d) Agreement. A HUBZone small business concern agrees that in the performance of the contract, in the case of a contract for

(1) Services (except construction), at least 50 percent of the cost of personnel for contract performance will be spent for employees of the concern or employees of other HUBZone small business concerns;

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(2) Supplies (other than procurement from a nonmanufacturer of such supplies), at least 50 percent of the cost of manufacturing, excluding the cost of materials, will be performed by the concern or other HUBZone small business concerns;

(3) General construction, at least 15 percent of the cost of the contract performance incurred for personnel will be spent on the concern's employees or the employees of other HUBZone small business concerns; or

(4) Construction by special trade contractors, at least 25 percent of the cost of the contract performance incurred for personnel will be spent on the concern's employees or the employees of other HUBZone small business concerns.

(e) A HUBZone joint venture agrees that in the performance of the contract, the applicable percentage specified in paragraph (d) of this clause will be performed by the HUBZone small business participant or participants.

(f) A HUBZone small business concern nonmanufacturer agrees to furnish in performing this contract only end items manufactured or produced by HUBZone small business manufacturer concerns. This paragraph does not apply in connection with construction or service contracts.

(End of clause)

(IF7004)

I-92 52.222-20 WALSH-HEALEY PUBLIC CONTRACTS ACT DEC/1996

(a) All stipulations required by the Act and regulations issued by the Secretary of Labor (41 CFR Chapter 50) are incorporated by reference. These stipulations are subject to all applicable rulings and interpretations of the Secretary of Labor that are now, or may hereafter, be in effect.

(b) All employees whose work relates to this contract shall be paid not less than the minimum wage prescribed by regulations issued by the Secretary of Labor (41 CFR 50-202.2). Learners, student learners, apprentices, and handicapped workers may be employed at less than the prescribed minimum wage (see 41 CFR 50-202.3) to the same extent that such employment is permitted under Section 14 of the Fair Labor Standards Act (41 U.S.C. 40).

(End of clause)

(IF7114)

I-93 52.227-1 AUTHORIZATION AND CONSENT JUL/1995

(a) The Government authorizes and consents to all use and manufacture, in performing this contract or any subcontract at any tier, of any invention described in and covered by a United States patent (1) embodied in the structure or composition of any article the delivery of which is accepted by the Government under this contract or (2) used in machinery, tools, or methods whose use necessarily results from compliance by the Contractor or a subcontractor with (i) specifications or written provisions forming a part of this contract or (ii) specific written instructions given by the Contracting Officer directing the manner of performance. The entire liability to the Government for infringement of a patent of the United States shall be determined solely by the provisions of the indemnity clause, if any, included in this contract or any subcontract hereunder (including any lower-tier subcontract), and the Government assumes liability for all other infringement to the extent of the authorization and consent hereinabove granted.

(b) The Contractor agrees to include, and require inclusion of, this clause, suitably modified to identify the parties, in all subcontracts at any tier for supplies or services (including construction, architect-engineer services, and materials, supplies, models, samples, and design or testing services expected to exceed the simplified acquisition threshold); however, omission of this clause from any subcontract, including those at or below the simplified acquisition threshold, does not affect this authorization and consent.

(End of Clause)

(IF7220)

I-94 52.245-9 USE AND CHARGES (DEVIATION) APR/1984

Name of Offeror or Contractor:(a) Definitions.

As used this clause -

Acquisition cost means the acquisition cost recorded in the Contractor's property control system or, in the absence of such record, the value attributed by the Government to a government property item for purposes of determining a reasonable rental charge.

Government property means property owned or leased by the Government.

Real property means land and rights in land, ground improvements, utility distribution systems, and buildings and other structures. It does not include foundations and other work necessary for installing special tooling, special test equipment, or equipment.

Rental period means the calendar period during which government property is made available for commercial purposes.

Rental time means the number of hours, to the nearest whole hour, rented property is actually used for commercial purposes. It includes time to set up the property for such purposes, perform required maintenance, and restore the property to its condition prior to rental (less normal wear and tear).

(b) General.

(1) Rental requests must be submitted to the administrative Contracting Officer, identify the property for which rental is requested, propose a rental period, and calculate an estimated rental charge by using the Contractor's best estimate of rental times in the formulae described in paragraph (c) of this clause.

(2) The contractor shall not use government property for commercial purposes, including Independent research and Development, until a rental charge for real property, or estimated rental charge for other property, is agreed upon. Rented property shall be used only on a non-interference basis.

(c) Rental charge.(1) Real property and associated fixtures.

(1) The Contractor shall obtain, at its expense, a property appraisal from an independent licensed, accredited, or certified appraiser that computes a monthly, daily, or hourly rental rate for comparable commercial property. The appraisal may be used to compute rentals under this clause throughout its effective period or, if an effective period is not stated in the appraisal, for one year following the date the appraisal was performed. The contractor shall submit the appraisal to the administrative Contracting Officer at least 30 days prior to the date the property is needed for commercial use. Except as provided in paragraph (c)(1)(iii) of this clause, the administrative contracting Officer shall use the appraisal rental rate to determine a reasonable rental charge.

(ii) Rental charges shall be determined by multiplying the rental time by the appraisal rental rate expressed as a rate per hour. Monthly or daily appraisal rental rates shall be divided by 720 or 24, respectively, to determine an hourly rental rate.

(iii) When the administrative Contracting Officer has reason to believe the appraisal rental rate is not reasonable, he or she shall promptly notify the Contractor and provide his or her rationale. The parties may agree on an alternate means for computing a reasonable rental charge.

(2) Other government property. the Contractor may elect to calculate the final rental charge using the appraisal method described in paragraph (c)(1) of this clause subject to the constraints therein or the following formula in which rental time shall be expressed in increments of not less than one hour with portions of hours rounded to the next higher hour -

$$\text{Rental charge} = \frac{(\text{Rental Time in hours}) (.02 \text{ per hour}) (\text{Acquisition cost})}{720 \text{ hours per month}}$$

(3) Alternate methodology. The Contractor may request consideration of an alternate basis for computing the rental charge if it considers the monthly rental rate or a time-based rental unreasonable or impractical.

(d) Rental payments.

(1) Rent is due at the time and place specified by the Contracting Officer. If a time is not specified, the rental is due 60 days following completion of the rental period. The Contractor shall calculate the rental due, and furnish records or other supporting data in sufficient detail to permit the administrative Contracting Officer to verify the rental time and computation. Unless otherwise permitted by law, payment shall be made by check payable to the Treasurer of the United States and sent to the contract administration office identified in this contract or by electronic funds transfer to that office.

(2) Interest will be charged if payment is not made by the specified payment date or, in the absence of a specified date, the 61st day following completion of the rental period. Interest will accrue at the "Renegotiation Board Interest Rate" (published in the

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Federal Register semiannually on or about January 1st and July 1st) for the period in which the rent is due.

(3) The Government's acceptance of any rental payment under this clause, in whole or in part, shall not be construed as a waiver or relinquishment of any rights it may have against the Contractor stemming from the Contractor's unauthorized use of government property or any other failure to perform this contract according to its terms.

(e) Use revocation. At any time during the rental period, the Government may revoke commercial use authorization and require the Contractor, at the Contractor's expense, to return the property to the Government, restore the property to its pre-rental condition (less normal wear and tear), or both.

(f) Unauthorized use. The unauthorized use of government property can subject a person to fines, imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 641.

(End of clause)

(IF7121)

I-95 52.252-6 AUTHORIZED DEVIATIONS IN CLAUSES APR/1984

(a) The use in this solicitation or contract of any Federal Acquisition Regulation (48 CFR Chapter 1) clause with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of '(DEVIATION)' after the date of the clause.

(b) The use in this solicitation or contract of any DOD FAR SUPPLEMENT (48 CFR Chapter 2) clause with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of '(DEVIATION)' after the name of the regulation.

(End of clause)

(IF7016)

I-96 252.211-7005 SUBSTITUTIONS FOR MILITARY OR FEDERAL SPECIFICATIONS AND STANDARDS FEB/2003
DFARS

(a) Definition. 'SPI process,' as used in this clause, means a management or manufacturing process that has been accepted previously by the department of defense under the Single Process Initiative (SPI) for use in lieu of specific military or Federal specification or standard at specific facilities. Under SPI, these processes are reviewed and accepted by a Management Council, which includes representatives from the Defense Contract Management Agency, the Defense Contract Audit Agency, and the military departments.

(b) Offerors are encouraged to propose SPI process in lieu of military or Federal specifications and standards cited in the solicitation. A listing of SPI process accepted at specific facilities is available via the Internet in Excel format at <http://www.dcmi.mil/onebook/7.0/7.2/7.2.6/reports/modified.xls>

(c) An offeror proposing to use an SPI process in lieu of military or Federal specifications or standard cited in the solicitation shall--

(1) Identify the specific military or Federal specification or standard for which the SPI process has been accepted,

(2) identify each facility at which the offeror proposed to use the specific SPI process in lieu of military or Federal specifications or standards cited in the solicitation;

(3) Identify the contract line items, subline items, components, or elements affected by the SPI process; and

(4) If the proposed SPI process has been accepted at the facility at which it is proposed for use, but is not yet listed at the Internet site specified in paragraph (b) of this clause, submit documentation of Department of Defense acceptance of the SPI process.

(d) Absent a determination that an SPI process is not acceptable for this procurement, the Contractor shall use the following SPI processes in lieu of military or Federal specifications or standards:

(Offeror insert information for each SPI process)

SPI Process: _____

Facility: _____

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Military or Federal Specification or Standard: _____

Affected Contract Line Item Number, Subline Item Number, Component, or Element: _____

(e) If a prospective offeror wishes to obtain, prior to the time specified for receipt of offers, verification that an SPI process is an acceptable replacement for military or Federal specifications or standards required by the solicitation, the prospective offeror -

(1) May submit the information required by paragraph (d) of this clause to the Contracting Officer prior to submission of an offer;but

(2) Must submit the information to the Contracting Officer at least 10 working days prior to the date specified for receipt of offers.

(End of Clause)

(IA7009)

I-97 252.229-7001 TAX RELIEF
 DFARS

JUN/1997

(a) Prices set forth in this contract are exclusive of all taxes and duties from which the United States Government is exempt by virtue of tax agreements between the United States Government and the Contractor's government. The following taxes or duties have been excluded from the contract price:

NAME OF TAX: _____ RATE PERCENTAGE): _____

(b) The Contractor's invoice shall list separately the gross price, amount of tax deducted, and net price charged.

(c) When items manufactured to United States Government specifications are being acquired, the Contractor shall identify the materials or components intended to be imported in order to ensure that relief from import duties is obtained. If the Contractor intends to use imported products from inventories on hand, the price of which includes a factor for import duties, the Contractor shall ensure the United States Government's exemption from these taxes. The Contractor may obtain a refund of the import duties from its government or request the duty-free import of an amount of supplies or components corresponding to that used from inventory for this contract.

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The following documents are hereby attached by reference and form a part of this acquisition. These documents are available in electronic format on the internet at <https://aais.ria.army.mil/aais/SOLINFO/index.htm>. Vendors should ensure that they have the correct revisions in their possession prior to submitting a bid proposal/quote.

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SECTION K - REPRESENTATIONS, CERTIFICATIONS, AND OTHER STATEMENTS OF OFFERORS

This document incorporates one or more provisions by reference, with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the Contracting Officer will make their full text available. Also, the full text of a provision may be accessed electronically at these addresses:

<http://www.arnet.gov/far/> or www.acq.osd.mil/dp/dars

If the provision requires additional or unique information, then that information is provided immediately after the provision title.

(KA7001)

	<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
K-1	52.203-11	CERTIFICATION AND DISCLOSURE REGARDING PAYMENTS TO INFLUENCE CERTAIN FEDERAL TRANSACTIONS	APR/1991
K-2	52.204-6	DATA UNIVERSAL NUMBERING SYSTEM (DUNS) NUMBER	OCT/2003
K-3	252.209-7001	DISCLOSURE OF OWNERSHIP OR CONTROL BY THE GOVERNMENT OF A TERRORIST COUNTRY	MAR/1998
K-4	252.209-7004	SUBCONTRACTING WITH FIRMS THAT ARE OWNED OR CONTROLLED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF A TERRORIST COUNTRY	MAR/1998
K-5	252.225-7031	SECONDARY ARAB BOYCOTT OF ISRAEL	APR/2003
K-6	52.219-1	SMALL BUSINESS PROGRAM REPRESENTATIONS - ALTERNATE I	APR/2002
	(a)(1)	The North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code for this acquisition is 333314.	
	(2)	The small business size standard is 500.	
	(3)	The small business size standard for a concern which submits an offer in its own name, other than on a construction or service contract, but which proposes to furnish a product which it did not itself manufacture, is 500 employees.	
	(b)	Representations. (1) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it _____ is, _____ is not a small business concern.	
	(2)	(Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it _____ is, _____ is not a small disadvantaged business concern as defined in 13 CFR 124.1002.	
	(3)	(Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it _____ is, _____ is not a women-owned small business concern.	
	(4)	(Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that -	
	(i)	it _____ is _____ is not a veteran-owned small business concern.	
	(5)	(Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a veteran-owned small business concern in paragraph (b)(4) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it _____ is _____ is not a service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern.	
	(6)	(Complete only if offeror represented itself as small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision). The offeror represents, as part of its offer, that -	
	(i)	it _____ is _____ is not a HUBZone small business concern listed, on the date of this representation, on the List of Qualified HUBZone Small Business Concerns maintained by the Small Business Administration, and no material change in ownership and control, principal place, or HUBZone employee percentage has occurred since it was certified by the Small Business Administration in accordance with 13 CFR part 126; and	
	(ii)	it	

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___ is

___ is not

a joint venture that complies with the requirements of 13 CFR part 126, and the representations in paragraph (b)(4)(i) of this provision is accurate for the HUBZone small business concern, or concerns that are participating in the joint venture. [The offeror shall enter the name or name of the HUBZone small business concern or concerns that are participating in the joint venture:_____.] Each HUBZone small business concern participating in the joint venture shall submit a separate signed copy of the HUBZone representation.

(7) (Complete if the offeror represented itself as disadvantaged in paragraph (b)(2) of this provision). [The offeror shall check the category in which its ownership falls]:

_____ Black American.

_____ Hispanic American.

_____ Native American (American Indians, Eskimos, Aleuts, or Native Hawaiians).

_____ Asian-Pacific American) persons with origins from Burma, Thailand, Malaysia, Indonesia, Singapore, Brunei, Japan, China, Taiwan, Laos, Cambodia (Kampuchea), Vietnam, Korea, The Philippines, U.S. Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, (Republic of Palau, Republic of the Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, Guam, Samoa, Macao, Hong Kong, Fiji, Tonga, Kiribati, Tuvalu, or Nauru).

_____ Subcontinent Asian (Asian-Indian) American (persons with origins from India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, Bhutan, the Maldives Islands, or Nepal).

_____ Individual/concern, other than one of the preceding.

(c) Definitions. As used in this provision -

"Service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern" -

(1) Means a small business concern -

(i) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans, or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans; and

(ii) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more service-disabled veterans, or, in the case of a veteran with permanent and severe disability, the spouse or permanent caregiver of such veteran.

(2) Service-disabled veteran means a veteran, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(2), with a disability that is service-connected, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(16).

"Small business concern," as used in this provision, means a concern, including its affiliates, that is independently owned and operated, not dominant in the field of operation in which it is bidding on Government contracts, and qualified as a small business under the criteria in 13 CFR Part 121 and the size standard in paragraph (a) of this provision.

"Veteran-owned small business concern" means a small business concern -

(1) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more veteran (as defined at 38 U.S.C. 101(2)) or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more veterans; and

(2) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more veterans.

"Women-owned small business concern," as used in this provision, means a small business concern--

(1) That is at least 51 percent owned by one or more women; or, in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more women; and

(2) Whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women.

(d) Notice. (1) If this solicitation is for supplies and has been set aside, in whole or in part, for small business concerns, then the clause in this solicitation providing notice of the set-aside contains restrictions on the source of the end items to be furnished.

(2) Under 15 U.S.C. 645(d), any person who misrepresents a firm's status as a small, small disadvantaged, or women-owned small

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business concern in order to obtain a contract to be awarded under the preference programs established pursuant to sections 8(a), 8(d), 9, or 15 of the Small Business Act or any other provision of Federal law that specifically references section 8(d) for a definition of program eligibility, shall--

- (i) Be punished by imposition of fine, imprisonment, or both;
- (ii) Be subject to administrative remedies, including suspension and debarment; and
- (iii) Be ineligible for participation in programs conducted under the authority of the Act.

(End of provision)

(KF6014)

K-7 52.203-2 CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT PRICE DETERMINATION APR/1985

(a) The offeror certifies that-

(1) The prices in this offer have been arrived at independently, without, for the purpose of restricting competition, any consultation, communication, or agreement with any other offeror or competitor relating to (i) those prices, (ii) the intention to submit an offer, or (iii) the methods or factors used to calculate the prices offered;

(2) The prices in this offer have not been and will not knowingly be disclosed by the offeror, directly or indirectly, to any other offeror or competitor before bid opening (in the case of a sealed bid solicitation) or contract award (in the case of a negotiated solicitation) unless otherwise required by law; and

(3) No attempt has been made or will be made by the offeror to induce any other concern to submit or not to submit an offer for the purpose of restricting competition.

(b) Each signature on the offer is considered to be a certification by the signatory that the signatory-

(1) Is the person in the offeror's organization responsible for determining the prices being offered in this bid or proposal, and that the signatory has not participated and will not participate in any action contrary to subparagraph (a)(1) through (a)(3) above; or

(2) (i) Has been authorized, in writing, to act as agent for the following principals in certifying those principals have not participated, and will not participate in any action contrary to subparagraphs (a)(1) through (a)(3) above _____ (insert full name of person(s) in the offeror's organization responsible for determining the prices offered in this bid or proposal, and the title of his or her position in the offeror's organization);

(ii) As an authorized agent, does certify that the principals named in subdivision (b)(2)(i) above have not participated, and will not participate, in any action contrary to subparagraph (a)(1) through (a)(3) above; and

(iii) As an agent, has not personally participated, and will not participate, in any action contrary to subparagraphs (a)(1) through (a)(3) above.

(c) If the offeror deletes or modifies subparagraph (a)(2) above, the offeror must furnish with its offer a signed statement setting forth in detail the circumstances of the disclosure.

(End of Provision)

(KF7005)

K-8 52.204-3 TAXPAYER IDENTIFICATION OCT/1998

(a) Definitions.

"Common parent", as used in this solicitation provision, means that corporate entity that owns or controls an affiliated group of corporations that files its Federal income tax returns on a consolidated basis, and of which the offeror is a member.

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"Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)", as used in this solicitation provision, means the number required by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) to be used by the offeror in reporting income tax and other returns. The TIN may be either a Social Security Number or an Employer Identification Number.

(b) All Offerors are required to submit the information required in paragraphs (d) through (f) of this solicitation provision to comply with debt collection requirements of 31 U.S.C 7701(c) and 3325(d), reporting requirements of 26 U.S.C. 6041, 6041A and 6050M and implementing regulations issued by the IRS. If the resulting contract is subject to the payment reporting requirements described in Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR)4.904, the failure or refusal by the offeror to furnish the information may result in a 31 percent reduction of payments otherwise due under the contract.

(c) The TIN may be used by the Government to collect and report on any delinquent amounts arising out of the offeror's relationship with the Government (31 U.S.C. 7701(c)(3)). If the resulting contract is subject to the payment reporting requirements described in FAR 4.904, the TIN provided hereunder may be matched with IRS records to verify the accuracy of the offeror's TIN.

(d) Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN).

() TIN: _____

() TIN has been applied for.

() TIN is not required because:

() Offeror is a nonresident alien, foreign corporation or foreign partnership that does not have income effectively connected with the conduct of a trade or business in the United States and does not have an office or place of business or a fiscal paying agent in the United States;

() Offeror is an agency or instrumentality of a foreign government;

() Offeror is an agency or instrumentality of the Federal Government.

(e) Type of organization.

() Sole proprietorship;

() Partnership;

() Corporate entity (not tax-exempt);

() Government entity (Federal, State, or local);

() Foreign government;

() International organization per 26 CFR 1.6049-4;

() Other. _____

(f) Common Parent. _____

() Offeror is not owned or controlled by a common parent as defined in paragraph (a) of this provision.

() Name and TIN of common parent:

NAME: _____

TIN: _____

(End of provision)

(KF7044)

K-9 52.204-5 WOMEN-OWNED BUSINESS (OTHER THAN SMALL BUSINESS) MAY/1999

(a) Definition. "Women-owned business concern," as used in this provision, means a concern which is at least 51 percent owned by one or more women; or in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more women; and whose management and daily business operations are controlled by on or more women.

(b) Representation. The offeror represents that it _____is,_____is not a women-owned business concern.

(End of provision)

(KF7064)

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has not (), within a 3-year period preceding this offer, had one or more contracts terminated for default by any Federal agency.

(2) "Principals," for the purposes of this certification, means officers; directors; owners; partners; and, persons having primary management or supervisory responsibilities within a business entity (e.g., general manager, plant manager, head of a subsidiary, division, or business segment, and similar positions).

This certification concerns a matter within the jurisdiction of an agency of the United States and the making of a false, fictitious or fraudulent certification may render the subject to prosecution under section 1001 title 18 United States Code.

(b) The Offeror shall provide immediate written notice to the Contracting Officer if, at any time prior to contract award, the Offeror learns that its certification was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.

(c) A certification that any of the items in paragraph (a) of this provision exists will not necessarily result in withholding of an award under this solicitation. However, the certification will be considered in connection with a determination of the Offeror's responsibility. Failure of the Offeror to furnish a certification or provide such additional information as requested by the Contracting Officer may render the Offeror nonresponsible.

(d) Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render, in good faith, the certification required by paragraph (a) of this provision. The knowledge and information of an Offeror is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.

(e) The certification in paragraph (a) of this provision is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when making award. If it is later determined that the Offeror knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Government, the Contracting Officer may terminate the contract resulting from this solicitation for default.

(End of Provision)

(KF7038)

K-12 52.215-6 PLACE OF PERFORMANCE OCT/1997

- (a) The offeror or respondent, in the performance of any contract resulting from this solicitation,
- () intends,
 () does not intend
 (check applicable block)

to use one or more plants or facilities located at a different address from the address of the offeror or respondent as indicated in this proposal or response to request for information.

(b) If the offeror or respondent checks ''intends'' in paragraph (a) of this provision, it shall insert in the spaces provided below the required information:

Place of Performance (Street
 Address, City, State, County, Zip
 Code)

Name and Address of Owner and
 Operator of the Plant or Facility if
 Other Than Offeror or Respondent

Name of Offeror or Contractor:

(End of Provision)

(KF7023)

K-13 52.222-18 CERTIFICATION REGARDING KNOWLEDGE OF CHILD LABOR FOR LISTED END PRODUCTS FEB/2001

(a) Definition. Forced or indentured child labor means all work or service -

(1) Exacted from any person under the age of 18 under the menace of any penalty for its nonperformance and for which the worker does not offer himself voluntarily; or

(2) Performed by any person under the age of 18 pursuant to a contract the enforcement of which can be accomplished by process or penalties.

(b) Listed end products. The following end product(s) being acquired under this solicitation is (are) included in the List of Products Requiring Contractor Certification as to Forced or Indentured Child Labor, identified by their country of origin. There is a reasonable basis to believe that listed end products from the listed countries of origin may have been mined, produced, or manufactured by forced or indentured child labor.

Listed End Product

Listed Countries of Origin

(c) Certification. The Government will not make award to an offeror unless the offeror, by checking the appropriate block, certifies to either paragraph (c)(1) or paragraph (c)(2) of this provision.

_____ (1) The offeror will not supply any end product listed in paragraph (b) of this provision that was mined, produced, or manufactured in a corresponding country as listed for that end product.

_____ (2) The offeror may supply an end product listed in paragraph (b) of this provision that was mined, produced, or manufactured in the corresponding country as listed for that product. The offeror certifies that it has made a good faith effort to determine whether forced or indentured child labor was used to mine, produce, or manufacture such end product. On the basis of those efforts, the offeror certifies that it is not aware of any such use of child labor.

(End of Provision)

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K-14 52.222-22 PREVIOUS CONTRACTS AND COMPLIANCE REPORTS FEB/1999

The offeror represents that -

(a) It () has, () has not participated in a previous contract or subcontract subject to the Equal Opportunity clause of this solicitation;

(b) It () has, () has not, filed all required compliance reports; and

(c) Representations indicating submission of required compliance reports, signed by subcontractors, will be obtained before subcontract awards.

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K-15 52.222-25 AFFIRMATIVE ACTION COMPLIANCE APR/1984

The offeror represents that (a) it
 has developed and has on file,
 has not developed and does not have on file,
at each establishment, affirmative action programs required by the rules and regulations of the Secretary of Labor (41 CFR 60-1 and 60-2), or (b) it
 has not previously had contracts subject to the written affirmative action programs requirement of the rules and regulations of the Secretary of Labor.

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K-16 52.223-13 CERTIFICATION OF TOXIC CHEMICAL RELEASE REPORTING AUG/2003

(a) Executive Order 13148, of April 21, 2000, Greening the Government through Leadership in Environmental Management, requires submission of this certification as a prerequisite for contact award.

(b) By signing this offer, the offeror certifies that -

(1) As the owner or operator of facilities that will be used in the performance of this contract that are subject to the filing and reporting requirements described in section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986 (EPCRA)(42 U.S.C. 11023) and section 6607 of the Pollution Prevention Act of 1990 (PPA)(42 U.S.C. 13106), the offeror will file and continue to file for such facilities for the life of the contract the Toxic Chemical Release Inventory Form (Form R) as described in section 313(a) and (g) of EPCRA and section 6607 of PPA; or

(2) None of its owned or operated facilities to be used in the performance of this contract is subject to the Form R filing and reporting requirements because each such facility is exempt for at least one of the following reasons:

(Note: The offeror must check the appropriate paragraph(s).)

_____ (i) The facility does not manufacture, process, or otherwise use any toxic chemicals listed in 40 CFR 372.65;

_____ (ii) The facility does not have 10 or more full-time employees as specified in section 313(b)(1)(A) of EPCRA, 42 U.S.C. 11023(b)(1)(A);

_____ (iii) The facility does not meet the reporting thresholds of toxic chemicals established under section 313(f) of EPCRA, 42 U.S.C. 11023(f) (including the alternate thresholds at 40 CFR 372.27, provided an appropriate certification form has been filed with EPA);

_____ (iv) The facility does not fall within the following Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Codes or their corresponding North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) sectors:

(A) Major group code 10 (except 1011, 1081, and 1094).

(B) Major group code 12 (except 1241).

(C) Major group codes 20 through 39.

(D) Industry code 4911, 4931, or 4939 (limited to facilities that combust coal and/or oil for the purpose of generating power for distribution in commerce).

(E) Industry code 4953 (limited to facilities regulated under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, Subtitle C (42 U.S.C. 6921, et seq.), 5169, 5171, or 7389 (limited to facilities primarily engaged in solvent recovery services on a contract or fee basis); or

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(v) The facility is not located in the United States or its outlying areas.

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K-17 52.230-1 COST ACCOUNTING STANDARDS NOTICES AND CERTIFICATION JUN/2000

Note:

This notice does not apply to small businesses or foreign governments. This notice is in three parts, identified by Roman numerals I through III.

Offerors shall examine each part and provide the requested information in order to determine Cost Accounting Standards (CAS) requirements applicable to any resultant contract.

If the offeror is an educational institution, Part II does not apply unless the contemplated contract will be subject to full or modified CAS coverage pursuant to 48 CFR 9903.201-2(c)(5) or 9903.201-2(c)(6), respectively.

I. DISCLOSURE STATEMENT - COST ACCOUNTING PRACTICES AND CERTIFICATION.

(a) Any contract in excess of \$500,000 resulting from this solicitation, will be subject to the requirements of the Cost Accounting Standards Board (48 CFR Chapter 99), except for those contracts which are exempt as specified in 48 CFR 9903.201-1.

(b) Any offeror submitting a proposal which, if accepted, will result in a contract subject to the requirements of 48 CFR Chapter 99 must, as a condition of contracting, submit a Disclosure Statement as required by 48 CFR, 9903.202. When required, the Disclosure Statement must be submitted as a part of the offeror's proposal under this solicitation unless the offeror has already submitted a Disclosure Statement disclosing the practices used in connection with the pricing of this proposal. If an applicable Disclosure Statement has already been submitted, the offeror may satisfy the requirement for submission by providing the information requested in paragraph (c) of Part I of this provision.

CAUTION: In the absence of specific regulations or agreement, a practice disclosed in a Disclosure Statement shall not, by virtue of such disclosure, be deemed to be a proper, approved, or agreed-to practice for pricing proposals or accumulating and reporting contract performance cost data.

(c) Check the appropriate box below:

(1) Certificate of Concurrent Submission of Disclosure Statement.

The offeror hereby certifies that, as a part of the offer, copies of the Disclosure Statement have been submitted as follows: (i) Original and one copy to the cognizant Administrative Contracting Officer (ACO) or cognizant Federal agency official authorized to act in that capacity (Federal official), as applicable, and (ii) one copy to the cognizant Federal auditor.

(Disclosure must be on Form No. CASB DS-1 or CASB DS-2, as applicable, Forms may be obtained from the cognizant ACO or Federal official and/or from the loose-leaf version of the Federal Acquisition Regulation)

Date of Disclosure Statement:

Name and Address of Cognizant ACO or Federal Official Where Filed:

The offeror further certifies that the practices used in estimating costs in pricing this proposal are consistent with the cost accounting practices disclosed in the Disclosure Statement.

(2) Certificate of Previously Submitted Disclosure Statement.

The offeror hereby certifies that the required Disclosure Statement was filed as follows:

Date of Disclosure Statement:

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The offeror further certifies that the practices used in estimating costs in pricing this proposal are consistent with the cost accounting practices disclosed in the applicable Disclosure Statement.

() (3) Certificate of Monetary Exemption.

The offeror hereby certifies that the offeror, together with all divisions, subsidiaries, and affiliates under common control, did not receive net awards of negotiated prime contracts and subcontracts subject to CAS totaling \$50 million or more in the cost accounting period immediately preceding the period in which this proposal was submitted. The offeror further certifies that if such status changes before an award resulting from this proposal, the offeror will advise the Contracting Officer immediately.

() (4) Certificate of Interim Exemption.

The offeror hereby certifies that (i) the offeror first exceeded the monetary exemption for disclosure, as defined in (3) of this subsection, in the cost accounting period immediately preceding the period in which this offer was submitted and (ii) in accordance with 48 CFR 9903.202-1, the offeror is not yet required to submit a Disclosure Statement. The offeror further certifies that if an award resulting from this proposal has not been made within 90 days after the end of that period, the offeror will immediately submit a review certificate to the Contracting Officer, in the form specified under subparagraph (c)(1) or (c)(2) of Part I of this provision, as appropriate, to verify submission of a completed Disclosure Statement.

CAUTION: Offerors currently required to disclose because they were awarded a CAS-covered prime contract or subcontract of \$50 million or more in the current cost accounting period may not claim this exemption(4). Further, the exemption applies only in connection with proposals submitted before expiration of the 90-day period following the cost accounting period in which the monetary exemption was exceeded.

II. COST ACCOUNTING STANDARDS - ELIGIBILITY FOR MODIFIED CONTRACT COVERAGE.

If the offeror is eligible to use the modified provisions of 48 CFR 9903.201-2(b) and elects to do so, the offeror shall indicate by checking the box below. Checking the box below shall mean that the resultant contract is subject to the Disclosure and Consistency of Cost Accounting Practices clause in lieu of the Cost Accounting Standards clause.

The offeror hereby claims an exemption from the Cost Accounting Standards clause under the provisions of 48 CFR Subpart 9903.201-2(b) and certifies that the offeror is eligible for use of the Disclosure and Consistency of Cost Accounting Practices clause because during the cost accounting period immediately preceding the period in which this proposal was submitted, the offeror received less than \$50 million in awards of CAS-covered prime contracts and subcontracts. The offeror further certifies that if such status changes before an award resulting from this proposal, the offeror will advise the Contracting Officer immediately.

CAUTION: An offeror may not claim the above eligibility for modified contract coverage if this proposal is expected to result in the award of a CAS-covered contract of \$50 million or more or if, during its current cost accounting period, the offeror has been awarded a single CAS-covered prime contract or subcontract of \$50 million or more.

III. ADDITIONAL COST ACCOUNTING STANDARDS APPLICABLE TO EXISTING CONTRACTS

The offeror shall indicate below whether award of the contemplated contract would, in accordance with subparagraph (a)(3) of the Cost Accounting Standards clause, require a change in established cost accounting practices affecting existing contracts and subcontracts.

() YES () NO

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K-18 252.225-7035 BUY AMERICAN ACT--FREE TRADE AGREEMENTS--BALANCE OF PAYMENTS PROGRAM JAN/2004
CERTIFICATE

(a) Definitions. Domestic end product, foreign end product, Free Trade Agreement country end product, qualifying country end product, and United States have the meanings given in the Buy American Act--Free Trade Agreements--Balance of Payments Program clause of this solicitation.

(b) Evaluation. The Government -

(1) Will evaluate offers in accordance with the policies and procedures of Part 225 of the Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; and

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(2) For line items subject to Free Trade Agreements, will evaluate offers of qualifying country end products or Free Trade Agreement country end products without regard to the restrictions of the Buy American Act or the Balance of Payments Program.

(c) Certifications and identification of country of origin.

(1) For all line items subject to the Buy American Act--Free Trade Agreements--Balance of Payments Program clause of this solicitation, the offeror certifies that -

(i) Each end product, except the end products listed in paragraph (c)(2) of this provision is a domestic end product; and

(ii) Components of unknown origin are considered to have been mined, produced, or manufactured outside the United States or a qualifying country.

(2) The Offeror must identify all end products that are not domestic end products.

(i) The Offeror certifies that the following supplies are qualifying country (except Canadian) end products:

_____	_____
(insert line item number)	(insert country of origin)

(ii) The Offeror certifies that the following supplies Free Trade Agreement country end products:

_____	_____
(insert line item number)	(insert country of origin)

(iii) The following supplies are other foreign end products, including end products manufactured in the United States that do not qualify as domestic end products.

_____	_____
(insert line item number)	(insert country of origin (if known))

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K-19	252.247-7022	REPRESENTATION OF EXTENT OF TRANSPORTATION BY SEA	AUG/1992
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(a) The Offeror shall indicate by checking the appropriate blank in paragraph (b) of this provision whether transportation of supplies by sea is anticipated under the resultant contract. The term "supplies" is defined in the Transportation of Supplies by Sea clause of this solicitation.

(b) Representation.

The Offeror represents that it--

_____ Does anticipate that supplies will be transported by sea in the performance of any contract or subcontract resulting from this solicitation.

_____ Does not anticipate that supplies will be transported by sea in the performance of any contract or subcontract resulting from this solicitation.

(c) Any contract resulting from this solicitation will include the Transportation of Supplies by Sea clause. If the Offeror represents that it will not use ocean transportation, the resulting contract will also include the Defense Far Supplement clause at 252.247-7024, Notification of Transportation of Supplies by Sea.

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SECTION L - INSTRUCTIONS, CONDITIONS, AND NOTICES TO OFFERORS
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L.1 Submission of Information

Proposals shall be submitted in accordance with this section. Proposals should be specific, complete, and state clearly how you will meet the requirements of the solicitation. Sufficient substantiation should be submitted to permit the Government to determine that your offer meets all the requirements of the solicitation. The following factors will be evaluated to determine the best overall proposal: Bid Samples and Technical proposals (Go/No Go), Past Performance, Small Business Participation, and Price. Failure to provide the required supporting documentation may result in your offer being rejected.

This solicitation requires access to a secret specification for the laser filter. The classified Laser Protection Performance Specification is restricted to U.S. firms ONLY. Offerors that do not meet the requirement cited in Attachment 002 (DD254, Department of Defense Contract Security Classification Specification) cannot receive the secret specifications for the laser filter and will not be eligible to submit a proposal or bid samples. Any bid samples or proposals received from an ineligible offeror will be returned without evaluation.

L.2 BID SAMPLES

The offeror shall submit three identical M25 Stabilized Binocular bid samples each of which must meet all of the requirements referenced in section M.2.1. If the offeror has successfully produced M25 Binoculars under Government source inspection within the last 12 months, separate bid samples need not be submitted. Bid samples will be evaluated on a Go/No Go basis as outlined in Section M. Bid samples shall be shipped at the offeror's expense to: TACOM-Rock Island, Attn: AMSTA-LC-CSC-C/Ms. Ann Hamerlinck, Rock Island, IL 61299-7630. Bid samples from unsuccessful offerors will be returned at the Government's expense. Offerors shall provide three copies of any available literature, operator and maintenance manuals, warranty information, and parts listings, along with the bid samples. Bid samples must include at least one pair of night vision eyepieces. Bid samples do not require laser filters, lens covers, reticles, mounting holes, external power cords, vehicle adapters, arctic kits, nor anti-reflection devices.

L.3 TECHNICAL PROPOSALS

Technical proposals will be evaluated on a go/no go basis as specified in Section M.2.2. Any proposal failing to meet any of the below Technical requirements will not be considered for award.

L.3.1 GENERAL. Offeror shall provide a written description of the technical approach proposed to assure the production quantities will meet the requirements referenced in section M.2.2. The written description shall address each one of the following nine elements:

1. Laser Eye Protection and Optical Characteristics (see also L.3.2.1)
2. Stabilization
3. Environmental (see also L.3.2.2)
4. Physical Characteristics
5. Design and Construction
6. Components
7. Power Requirements
8. Reliability/Supportability
9. Quality Assurance

The total narrative shall be limited to 60 pages. It shall be the offerors responsibility to address any differences between the proposal narrative and any other supplied information (e.g., bid samples, manuals, brochures, etc.). The Government reserves the right to base its decision on the proposal narrative, but may also consider additional information. An optical schematic of the M25 Stabilized Binocular system shall be provided, not for separate evaluation but as an aid in the evaluation of the above elements.

L.3.1.1 Each of the nine above elements shall be defined as a separate section of the Technical proposal. The offerors Technical proposal shall present the required material in the same order as listed above. Responses to each of the nine elements shall start on a new page. Where an element refers to a section in the purchase description with multiple sub-paragraphs, each sub-paragraph shall be addressed separately and the paragraph number from Purchase Description AR-PD-121 shall be noted. The narrative shall be written in a clear, concise fashion describing how the offeror will accomplish the work with data to be included that confirms his capability to do so.

L.3.1.2 For each element, offeror shall state whether their current technical approach (as represented by the submitted bid samples or recent Government source inspected production) meets or does not meet the applicable requirements as referenced in section M.2.2. Any apparent inconsistencies between the claimed current capabilities and bid sample or recent Government source inspected production shall be clearly explained. The Government reserves the right to perform additional tests on the

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bid samples or recent Government source inspected production samples to confirm claimed capabilities.

L.3.1.3 If a specific requirement is not currently met, offeror shall address modifications to their technical approach that will enable their production quantities to meet those requirements. The proposal should include a list of parts to be replaced or modified, and the nomenclature, drawing(s), specifications and composition of the part(s) being substituted. The proposal should also include a detailed summary of the replacement or modification procedure, the extent of the modification, and a schedule detailing how the replacement or modification will be accomplished within the delivery schedule (work break down structure).

L.3.2 SPECIFIC. Within the written descriptions for the elements (L.3.1) the following additional specific information shall be provided.

L.3.2.1 Laser Filter Array. When addressing the Laser Eye Protection and Optical Characteristics element, in addition to the requirements in L.3.1 above the offeror shall provide within the technical proposal the following specific information in unclassified terms:

The unclassified terms in PD Addendum B (Classified at the Secret level) that include: Band 1, Band 2, Band 3, Lambda 1 and Lambda 2 are provided for your convenience to report and document in unclassified formats. There shall be no mention of specific wavelength bands, laser wavelengths, rejection levels, optical densities, specific test lasers and/or laser makes and models. Photopic and Scotopic transmission curves shall not include any wavelength scale. Failure to follow these guidelines may result in a breach of security and appropriate Government action against the offeror.

Each offeror shall propose to meet all requirements for the Laser Filter and shall describe the specific filter technology planned to design and manufacture the laser filter optical element. This proposal shall include a description of: The optical laser filter facility/subcontractor where the laser filters will be designed and manufactured; any facility planned for special filter testing (laser damage, optical density etc.); the manufacturing capability and equipment that will be used to meet the delivery schedules; and a general design type and a planned manufacturing process. The manufacturing process shall include accuracy/monitor control techniques necessary to achieve the required high spectral performance of the Laser Filter. The offeror shall also describe the experience of the facilities/personnel in the design, manufacture and testing of similar laser filters (manufactured to classified specifications issued by TACOM-ARDEC/RI) to protect fire control optical instruments.

The specific technology that will provide binocular laser rejection levels and throughput levels specified in the classified addendum shall be described. The following specific areas shall be addressed in sufficient detail that demonstrates a complete technical understanding of the following:

(a) General filter designs for Rejection Bands 1, 2, and 3 and their relationship to Photopic and Scotopic transmission requirements of the binocular.

(b) The angle of incidence at each location. The angle of incidence must be related to the optical density performance of the filters.

(c) Consideration of each rejection band on the performance of the night vision capability (image intensifying eyepieces). This must address the relationship of each rejection band, plus higher order interference bands (if any), to the sensitivity of the intensifying tube. Information must identify components of the laser filter hardening array that will be integrated into the removable day eyepiece assembly and filters that will be integrated into the main body assembly.

(d) The laser hardening proposal must demonstrate that all laser hardening coatings and filter glass will be protected from humidity and abrasion (addendum paragraph 10).

Technical proposals that only mention a similar Army laser filter and assume the Government evaluator has specific performance knowledge of that similar filter will be unacceptable.

L.3.2.2 When addressing the Environmental element, in addition to the requirements in L.3.1 above the offeror should provide certificates of conformance where their current product meets the individual environmental requirement of the purchase description.

L.4 PAST PERFORMANCE.

Contract References: The offeror shall submit with its initial proposal contract references representing its recent, relevant performance under Government and/or commercial contracts. The offeror shall submit no more than five contract references.

"Recent" means any contract under which any performance, delivery, or corrective action has taken place within the last 3 years of the issuance of this solicitation.

"Relevant" means performance that demonstrates the offeror has successfully manufactured or provided the M25 Stabilized Binocular or

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similar optical devices.

The following information is required with respect to each contract reference:

- a. Contract number and award date
- b. Items(s) and/or service(s) provided, including national stock number (NSN), product description, part number, if applicable.
- c. A brief explanation of the contract's relevance to the current procurement.
- d. Contract dollar value
- e. Quantity and monthly delivery rate if applicable
- f. Original performance schedule, actual performance dates
- g. Describe technical innovations or engineering changes that improved the quality of performance aspects of the delivered product, or any significant achievements associated with contract performance
- h. Buying activity or company, and mailing address
- i. Point(s) of contact, including names, job titles, telephone and fax numbers, and email addresses.

Offerors that are newly formed entities may reference contracts performed by predecessor companies or contracts performed or supported by key personnel. Offerors supplying such information shall describe how it is relevant to the performance of this effort.

Other Contracts: In addition to the above contract references, the offeror shall identify every recent and relevant contract it was awarded that:

- experienced any delivery/performance delays;
- experienced any quality problems;

and every recent contract that was terminated, or cancelled for any reason, in whole or in part.

For any contract falling under the descriptions above, provide all of the information listed in the preceding paragraph, plus-

list each time the delivery schedule was revised

provide an explanation of why the revision was necessary

provide a copy of any cure notices or show cause letters received

identify reason for any termination

state any corrective actions taken to avoid recurrence

describe the extent to which the corrective action has been successful, identifying points of contact who can confirm the success of the corrective measures

Describe in detail any quality or technical performance problems, including:

- rejection or failure of vendor parts
- internal/external customer complaints,
- FATR/first piece disapprovals /failures
- lot rejections
- types of failure analysis conducted
- types of corrective action applied
- audit findings classified as major
- quality deficiency reports
- warranty claims

The number of contract references provided in response to this paragraph is unlimited. A form is provided at Attachment 004 for the offeror's convenience.

If there are no recent relevant contracts meeting the description above, the offeror must so state that.

L.5 PRICE. The offeror shall provide costs for all of the CLINS (Contract Line Item Numbers) listed below. Offerors who condition their proposal to specific ordering quantities, clins, or ordering periods may be rejected as unacceptable.

L.5.1 FIRST ARTICLE TEST AND HARDWARE. The offeror shall provide a price for the completion of all provisions of the SOW (Statement of Work) section C.3.2.1. on the Price Evaluation Spreadsheet, Attachment 001.

L.5.2 CONFIRMATORY (OPERATIONAL/RELIABILITY) TEST HARDWARE AND SUPPORT. The offeror shall provide a price on the Price Evaluation Spreadsheet, Attachment 001, for the completion of all provisions of SOW section C.3.2.2 This price shall include the cost of all

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accessories and test support (SOW C.3.2.2.1, SOW C.3.2.2.3 - C.3.2.2.7) but not the cost of the 20 production representative M25's which will be selected from the initial production quantity per SOW C.3.2.2.2. The price for this CLIN with \$75,000.00 added for estimated Government test costs will be used for overall price evaluation purposes.

L.5.3 PRODUCTION QUANTITIES. The offeror shall provide prices for meeting all the provisions of section C.3.2.3.

L.5.3.1. Attachment 001 is the Price Evaluation Spreadsheet.

L.5.3.2. This will be an all or none procurement. Contractors failing to bid on all years, and all ranges may be disqualified.

L.5.3.3. Offerors are to fill in the blocks under the column Unit Price.

L.5.3.4. Cost for meetings (SOW C.3.2.3.1 & C 3.2.3.2), Commercial Manuals and Manuals Support (SOW C.3.2.3.5.), Safety Assessment Report (SOW C.3.2.3.6), and Provisioning Data (SOW C.3.2.3.7) shall be amortized into Production Quantity unit prices.

L.5.4 DEPOT LEVEL MAINTENANCE SUPPORT.

L.5.4.1 The offeror shall provide on its own pricing sheet firm fixed unit prices and turn around times for each ordering period for external repair work to be accomplished pursuant to paragraph C.3.2.4.1 of the SOW. The prices shall cover all work necessary to bring the unit into compliance with all requirements of the SOW section C.3.2.4 of this solicitation and shall not include matters covered under warranty. The turn around time shall be stated in terms of time of receipt to time of return, which shall not exceed 14 days.

L.5.4.2 The offeror shall provide on its own pricing sheet firm fixed unit prices and turn around times for each ordering period for internal repair work to be accomplished pursuant to paragraph C.3.2.4.2 of the SOW. The prices shall cover all work necessary to bring the unit into compliance with all requirement of the SOW section C.3.2.4 of this solicitation and shall not include matters covered under warranty. The turn around time shall be stated in terms of time of receipt to time of return, which shall not exceed 30 days.

L.5.5 SPARE PARTS/ACCESSORIES.

L.5.5.1 The offeror shall provide on its own price sheet firm fixed unit prices and delivery rates for all field replaceable spare parts and accessories (at a minimum those listed in SOW section C.3.2.5.1 or for a previous supplier of M25's to the Government, those spare parts previously stocked) for each ordering period. The pricing shall be provided in matrix form and shall indicate any price breaks for quantity orders (for example, separate pricing for the following quantity ranges: 1-10; 11-25; 26-50; 51-100; 101+; more reasonable price break points may be selected by the offeror). The price shall include meeting all provisions of SOW section C.3.2.5 (e.g., stocking, processing, and shipping) except the set-up and implementation cost for the electronic inventory management system, SOW paragraph C.3.2.5.3.

L.5.5.2 The offeror shall provide a price on the Price Evaluation Spreadsheet, Attachment 001 for set-up and implementation of an electronic inventory management, tracking, and order processing system (CAV) per SOW paragraph C.3.2.5.3.

L.6 SMALL BUSINESS PARTICIPATION: All offerors are to identify the extent to which small businesses (SBs), veteran-owned small businesses (VOSBs), service-disabled veteran-owned small businesses (SDVOSBs), historically underutilized business zone (HUBZone) small businesses, small disadvantaged businesses (SDBs), woman-owned small businesses (WOSBs), historically black colleges/universities or minority institutions (HBCUs/MIs) would be utilized in the performance of this proposed contract. For small businesses, as defined by the North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS) Code applicable to this solicitation, the offeror's own participation as a SB, VOSB, SDVOSE, HUBZone SB, SDB, WOSB, or HBCU/MI is to be identified, and will be considered in evaluating small business participation. The offeror is to address the following factors in detail:

a. All offerors are to provide:

1. The names of SBs, VOSBs, SDVOSBs, HUBZone SBs, SDBs, WOSBs, and HBCU/MIs who would participate in the proposed contract, identifying specific components to be produced or services to be performed by them, and the estimated total dollars of such work;

2. A description of the offeror's performance over the past three calendar years in complying with the requirements of FAR 52.219-8, Utilization of Small Business Concerns, including a description and available documentation of the methods employed to promote small business participation and the internal methods used to monitor such participation. Offerors who have never held a contract incorporating 52.219-8 shall so state.

b. In addition, offerors who are large businesses as defined by the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Code applicable to this solicitation, are to provide a description of their performance over the past three calendar years in complying with the requirements of FAR 52.219-9, including documentation of their accomplishment of the goals established under Subcontracting Plans of prior contracts. Large businesses that have never held a contract incorporating 52.219-9 will so state.

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NOTE TO OFFERORS: Offerors, both Small and Large Business, are required to submit Small Business Participation Proposals and may use the format "Proposal Submission Small Business Participation provided as attachment 003.

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This document incorporates one or more provisions by reference, with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the Contracting Officer will make their full text available. Also, the full text of a provision may be accessed electronically at these addresses:

<http://www.arnet.gov/far/> or www.acq.osd.mil/dp/dars

If the provision requires additional or unique information, then that information is provided immediately after the provision title.

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Any contract awarded as a result of this solicitation will be a DO-A5 rated order certified for national defense use under the Defense Priorities and Allocations System (DPAS)(15 CFR 700), and the Contractor will be required to follow all of the requirements of this regulation.

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L-11	52.215-20	REQUIREMENTS FOR COST OR PRICING DATA OR INFORMATION OTHER THAN COST OR PRICING DATA, ALTERNATE III	OCT/1997
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(a) Exceptions from cost or pricing data.

(1) In lieu of submitting cost or pricing data, offerors may submit a written request for exception by submitting the information described in the following subparagraphs. The Contracting Officer may require additional supporting information, but only to the extent necessary to determine whether an exception should be granted, and whether the price is fair and reasonable.

(i) Identification of the law or regulation establishing the price offered. If the price is controlled under law by periodic rulings, reviews, or similar actions of a governmental body, attach a copy of the controlling document, unless it was previously submitted to the contracting office.

(ii) Commercial item exception. For a commercial item exception, the offeror shall submit, at a minimum, information on prices at which the same item or similar items have previously been sold in the commercial marketplace that is adequate for evaluating the reasonableness of the price for this acquisition. Such information may include--

(A) For catalog items, a copy of or identification of the catalog and its date, or the appropriate pages for the offered items, or a statement that the catalog is on file in the buying office to which the proposal is being submitted. Provide a copy or describe current discount policies and price lists (published or unpublished), e.g., wholesale, original equipment manufacturer, or reseller. Also explain the basis of each offered price and its relationship to the established catalog price, including how the proposed price relates to the price of recent sales in quantities similar to the proposed quantities.

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(B) For market-priced items, the source and date or period of the market quotation or other basis for market price, the base amount, and applicable discounts. In addition, describe the nature of the market.

(C) For items included on an active Federal Supply Service Multiple Award Schedule contract, proof that an exception has been granted for the schedule item.

(2) The offeror grants the Contracting Officer or an authorized representative the right to examine, at any time before award, books, records, documents, or other directly pertinent records to verify any request for an exception under this provision, and the reasonableness of price. For items priced using catalog or market prices, or law or regulation, access does not extend to cost or profit information or other data relevant solely to the offeror's determination of the prices to be offered in the catalog or marketplace.

(b) Requirements for cost or pricing data. If the offeror is not granted an exception from the requirement to submit cost or pricing data, the following applies:

(1) The offeror shall submit cost or pricing data and supporting attachments in accordance with Table 15-2 of FAR 15.408.

(2) As soon as practicable after agreement on price, but before contract award (except for unpriced actions such as letter contracts), the offeror shall submit a Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing Data, as prescribed in Far 15.406-2.

(c) Submit the cost portion of the proposal via the following electronic media -1-

(End of provision)

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L-12 52.216-1 TYPE OF CONTRACT APR/1984

The Government contemplates award of a Firm Fixed Price Indefinite Delivery Indefinite Quantity contract resulting from this solicitation.

(End of Provision)

(LF6008)

L-13 52.233-2 SERVICE OF PROTEST AUG/1996

(a) Protests, as defined in section 33.101 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation, that are filed directly with an agency, and copies of any protests that are filed with the General Accounting Office (GAO), shall be served on the Contracting Officer (addressed as follows) by obtaining written and dated acknowledgment of receipt from TACOM-Rock Island, AMSTA-LC-CSC-C/ATTN:Jerry Yowell, Rock Island, Il 61299-7630. A protest to be filed with HQ, AMC, in accordance with the clause in Section A entitled HQ, AMC-Level Protest Program, shall be addressed to: HQ, Army Materiel Command, Office of Command Counsel, ATTN: AMCCC-PL, 5001 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22333-0001. (Facsimile number (703) 617-5680/617-4999.)

(b) The copy of any protest shall be received in the office designated above within one day of filing a protest with the GAO.

(End of Provision)

(LF6255)

L-14 52.252-5 AUTHORIZED DEVIATIONS IN PROVISIONS APR/1984

(a) The use in this solicitation of any Federal Acquisition Regulation (48 CFR Chapter 1) provision with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of '(DEVIATION)' after the date of the clause.

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(b) The use in this solicitation of any DOD FAR SUPPLEMENT (48 CFR Chapter 2) provision with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of '(DEVIATION)' after the name of the regulation.

(End of Provision)

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L-15 52.215-4510 ELECTRONIC BIDS/OFFERS NOV/2001
TACOM-RI

1. Bids/offers and Quotes to the government shall be signed by a MEMBER OF THE FIRM AUTHORIZED TO BIND THE COMPANY. This requirement is in accordance with (IAW) Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 4.102.

2. Bidders/Offerors/Quoters are required to submit their bids/offers/quotes for this solicitation via electronic response on the TACOM-RI Business Opportunities, open Solicitations web page, or via facsimile (datafax) to 309/782-2047.

NOTE: ELECTRONIC RESPONSES: You may submit multiple files against a solicitation. However, all the files must only pertain to the one solicitation. Each complete quote/bid/proposal in response to a solicitation must be submitted individually/separately and must be properly identified.

FACSIMILE RESPONSES: Facsimile bids or offers should only be sent to our secure facsimile machine at Area Code 309 782-2047. Each complete quote/bid/proposal in response to a solicitation must be submitted individually/separately against that solicitation, and must be properly identified.

TACOM-RI will not be responsible for electronic or facsimile responses that are not submitted correctly and/or are improperly identified.

3. Prior to submission of your bid/offer and quotes, read the latest electronic bid/proposal instructions at web page:

<https://aaisbids.ria.army.mil> and click on the icon for additional information.

4. Assuming that your bid/proposal/quote was transmitted successfully electronically, you will receive the following message:

"A directory for your Cage Code, XXXX was created under Solicitation DAAE20XXXXXXX, and your file was moved to it. If you have any other files to send, use the "Back" arrow on your browser. IF YOU EXPERIENCE ANY PROBLEMS WITH THIS PROCESS, CONTACT THE CONTRACT SPECIALIST LISTED ON THE OPEN SOLICITATION PAGE.

<https://aais.ria.army.mil/aais/Padds_web/index.html>."

5. If you receive an error message of any type, your bid/proposal/quote was not transmitted and must be resubmitted if you wish it to be considered for award. You may resubmit by repeating the steps for electronic submittal or by data-faxing your bid/proposal/quote to Area Code (309)782-2047.

6. Bids/Proposals/Quotes must arrive in their entirety by the time specified in the solicitation. Bidders/Offerors/Quoters bear the responsibility of timely transmission of their bids/offers/quotes to ensure the availability of an open transmission line and to take into consideration the length of time required to complete the required upload transaction prior to the time established in the solicitation.

(End of Provision)

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L-16 52.215-4511 ELECTRONIC AWARD NOTICE FEB/2002
TACOM RI

a. Any contract awarded as result of this solicitation will be posted to the Internet for downloading and paper copies will not be distributed. This is a material condition of the solicitation and by submission of a bid or proposal, the vendor agrees to accept an electronic award transmitted in the manner described above.

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b. Notice of award to the awardee will be issued only via electronic mail. Venders who wish to be notified if they receive an award as a result of this solicitation must provide their electronic mail address in the space provided below. If the vendor fails to provide an electronic mail address, then a separate notice of award will not be provided and it shall be the sole responsibility of the vendor to periodically check the Internet to determine if he/she has received an award. In this event, the vendor's failure to check the Internet and download a copy of the award in a timely manner shall not be an excuse for failure to perform or grounds for a delivery schedule extension.

c. Notice of award to unsuccessful offerors shall be issued only via the Federal Business Opportunities (FedBusOpps) or electronic mail. Vendors who wish to receive an electronic mail notice if they are unsuccessful must provide an electronic mail address in the space provided below. If the vendor fails to provide an electronic mail address, then a separate notice will not be provided, and it shall be the sole responsibility of the vendor to periodically check the FedBusOpps to determine if an award has been made. In this event, the vendor's failure to check the FedBusOpps to determine if an award has been made shall not constitute grounds for an extension of the ten (10) day protest period allow in regulation.

Vendor's Electronic Mail Address:

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- 3/9/04 - incorporating Cindy Petermans and Brian Rays post meeting comments
3/10/04 - second round of Cindy Peterman changes
3/15/04 - third round of Cindy Peterman changes
3/29/04 - Consolidating Manuals, Safety, And Provisioning Into Unit Price And Making Confirmatory Units Not Separately Priced.

SECTION M

EVALUATION FACTORS FOR AWARD OF M25

STABILIZED BINOCULAR CONTRACT

M.1 BASIS FOR AWARD: Award will be based on the Governments assessment of which proposal(s) offer the best value based on the evaluation criteria stated below. However, any proposal which is unrealistic in terms of technical or schedule commitments or unrealistically high or low in cost, may be deemed reflective of an inherent lack of technical competence or indicative of a failure to comprehend the complexity and risks of the governments requirements and may be grounds for rejection of the proposal. Similarly, any significant inconsistency between proposed performance and cost, if unexplained, may be grounds for rejection of the proposal. Proposals that fail to meet the established criteria for the bid samples and technical proposals Go / No Go will not be evaluated any further and will not be considered for award. Only those proposals that are determined a Go in the bid samples and technical Proposal areas will be further evaluated in the Past Performance, Small Business Participation, and Price factors. The Government reserves the right to award the contract to other than the lowest priced offer. The offeror shall not hold the Government liable for damage to bid samples that occurs as part of the evaluation.

M.2 EVALUATION SEQUENCE RELATIVE ORDER OF IMPORTANCE: The Evaluation Sequence contains eight Go / No Go criteria. The bid samples, (or recent Government source inspected production M25s, see L.2), must meet all eight of the criteria in order for the proposal to be further considered. If the bid sample fails any of the Go / No Go criteria the proposal will be considered unacceptable and no further evaluation will be performed. After passing the Go / No Go criteria, the price factors and non-price factors of each proposal will be evaluated however, the closer the offerors evaluations are in the non-price factors, the more significant the factor of price becomes in the decision. Past Performance is more important than Small Business Participation. Past Performance and Small Business Participation combined are more important than Price. Notwithstanding the fact that the price factor is not the most important consideration it may be controlling when: 1. two or more proposals are otherwise considered equal; 2. an otherwise superior proposal is unaffordable; 3. the advantages of a higher rated, higher price proposal are not considered to be worth the cost premium.

M.2.1 BID SAMPLE EVALUATION. If bid samples are required (see L.2) they will be evaluated as follows, otherwise the evaluation will continue with the Technical Evaluation, M.2.2. The bid samples will be evaluated for compliance with the following requirements. All three bid samples must meet all of the elements in order for the proposal to be further considered. If the bid sample fails any of these Go / No Go elements the proposal will be considered unacceptable and no further evaluation will be performed.

M.2.1.1 Binocular. The bid sample optic must consist of two parallel telescopes, each with its own objective and eyepiece, Paragraph 3.1 of the Purchase Description (AR-PD-121).

M.2.1.2 Internally Image Stabilized. The bid sample binocular must have an internal means of image stabilization, Paragraph 3.1 of the Purchase Description.

M.2.1.3 Weight. The bid sample stabilized binoculars weight must be equal to or less than 2.5 Kg (5.5 lbs), as defined by the Purchase Description (3.2.1.1).

M.2.1.4 Size. The bid sample stabilized binoculars size must be equal to or less than 12 inches long, 8 inches wide, and 4 inches high as defined by the Purchase Description (3.2.1.2).

M.2.1.5 Bid Sample Resolution. The bid sample stabilized binoculars resolution must be 4.3 arc seconds (per line pair) or better in the caged mode and 6.0 arc seconds (per line pair) or better in the stabilized mode, paragraph 3.7.10 of the Purchase Description (AR-PD-121).

M.2.1.6 Night Vision Capability. The bid sample stabilized binocular must be provided with 2 night vision eyepieces that meet the requirements of sec. 3.3.6 of the Purchase Description.

M.2.1.7 Drop. The bid sample stabilized binocular will be subjected to and must survive drop testing per the requirements in paragraph 3.8.3 of the Purchase Description (AR-PD-121).

M.2.1.8 Watertightness. The bid sample stabilized binocular will be subjected to and must survive immersion testing per the requirements in paragraph 3.8.7 of the Purchase Description (AR-PD-121).

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M.2.2 TECHNICAL EVALUATION. The Technical Proposal Evaluation will only be conducted on offerors meeting all of the above Bid Sample Evaluation requirements.

This area will be evaluated on the ability of the offeror to meet the specific requirements of the SOW and the Purchase Description as detailed below. This area will be evaluated from the offeror's written description of capabilities (L.3), and at the Government's discretion, from results of bid sample (or existing Government source inspected production) examination and/or other literature provided. Where the current configuration does not meet the requirement, a thorough explanation of proposed modifications which are needed to enable it to meet the requirements in time for delivery of test and production hardware must be provided. Apparent inconsistencies between the claimed current capabilities and the bid sample or other literature will be investigated.

All elements within the Technical Evaluation section will be rated on a Go/No Go basis. An offeror's proposal must demonstrate that it will meet all elements and provide a thorough explanation of modifications to be made, work break down structures, and time frames in order to be further considered. If the written proposal fails to demonstrate that it will meet any of the requirements listed below the proposal will be assigned a No Go rating and the offeror will no longer be considered for award.

M.2.2.1 Laser Eye Protection and Optical Characteristics. The offeror's description of the technical approach ensures that each of the specific requirements in section 3.7 of the Purchase Description (AR-PD-121) will be met.

M.2.2.2 Stabilization. The offeror's description of the technical approach ensures that each of the specific requirements in section 3.6 of the Purchase Description (AR-PD-121) will be met.

M.2.2.3 Environmental. The offeror's description of the technical approach ensures that each of the specific requirements in section 3.8 of the Purchase Description (AR-PD-121) will be met.

M.2.2.4 Physical Characteristics. The offeror's description of the technical approach ensures that each of the specific requirements in section 3.2 of the Purchase Description (AR-PD-121) will be met.

M.2.2.5 Design and Construction. The offeror's description of the technical approach ensures that each of the specific requirements in section 3.3 of the Purchase Description (AR-PD-121) will be met.

M.2.2.6 Components. The offeror's description of the technical approach ensures that each of the specific requirements in section 3.4 of the Purchase Description (AR-PD-121) will be met.

M.2.2.7 Power Requirements. The offeror's description of the technical approach ensures that each of the specific requirements in section 3.5 of the Purchase Description (AR-PD-121) will be met.

M.2.2.8 Reliability/Supportability. The offeror's description of the technical approach ensures that each of the specific requirements in section 3.9 of the Purchase Description (AR-PD-121) will be met. The device is conservative of logistics resources. There is at most a small impact on the existing U.S. Army structure. There is no need for: new Military Occupational Specialties to operate or maintain the M25; new support equipment; nor new facilities. There is small usage of expendable or shelf life items. There is a small training burden; low safety risk; adequate, contractor format manuals and technical drawings; acceptable, commercial packaging for parts and end-items; and parts, supplies and tools standardized with existing U.S. Army assets.

M.2.2.9 Quality Assurance. The offeror's description of the technical approach ensures that the requirements in section 4 of the Purchase Description (AR-PD-121) and section C.3.3 of the Statement of Work will be met.

M.2.3 PAST PERFORMANCE. Past performance information is evaluated as a predictor of future contract performance. Using past performance information for each offeror, the Government will assess the probability that the instant requirement will be successfully completed in accordance with contract terms.

In evaluating performance history, the Government may review the offeror's current and prior performance record of complying with all aspects of its contractual agreement: conformance to technical requirements; timeliness of deliveries/performance and quality of performance. In conducting the past performance evaluation, the Government may use information obtained from other sources. The Government may consider the currency, degree of relevance, source and context of the past performance information it evaluates as well as general trends in performance, and demonstrated corrective actions. A significant achievement, problem/problem resolution or lack of relevant data in any element can become an important consideration in the selection process. A negative finding in any element may result in an overall high-risk rating. The Government may also consider past performance information regarding predecessor companies, key personnel, other corporate entities or subcontractors where such information is relevant to this acquisition.

Offerors' past performance will be rated as follows:

Very Low Risk: Based on the offeror's past performance, very little doubt exists that the offeror will successfully perform the required effort.

Low Risk: Based on the offeror's past performance, little doubt exists that the offeror will successfully perform the required effort.

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Moderate Risk: Based on the offeror's past performance, some doubt exists that the offeror will successfully perform the required effort.

High Risk: Based on the offeror's past performance, significant doubt exists that the offeror will successfully perform the required effort.

Unknown Risk: The offeror had little or no recent/relevant past performance upon which to base a meaningful performance risk prediction.

The Government is not required to interview all points of contact identified by offerors. It is the responsibility of the offeror to provide complete past performance information and thorough explanations as required by Section L. The Government is not obliged to make another request for the required information.

M.2.4 PRICE. The Government reserves the right to award based on a better value to the Government rather than lowest price and hence may award to other than the lowest priced offeror.

For evaluation purposes, the Government has weighted the ranges based on the likelihood that if an order is placed, it will be placed in that particular range. The offeror will be evaluated based on the proposal's total evaluation price to the Government and on reasonableness. The price evaluation will consist of the following:

M.2.4.1 An evaluation price for each year will be calculated by multiplying the sum of the offered unit prices (including warranty cost), by their respective weights and maximum quantities for each range and adding them together.

M.2.4.2 The First Article Test (L.5.1); Confirmatory Test and Governments Internal Confirmatory Test Estimate of \$75,000.00 (L.5.2); and Setup (implementation) of Depot Level Maintenance Support (L.5.4) and Spare Parts/Accessories (L.5.5) costs will be added to the combined Production Weighted Total Prices as part of the Total Evaluated Price, if appropriate. Confirmatory Test Costs will most likely not be appropriate for a recent supplier of M25s.

M.2.4.3 Depot Level Maintenance Support and Spare Parts costs and delivery times will be evaluated for reasonableness.

M.2.4.4 A total evaluation price will be determined by adding the adjusted totals of all years; FAT, Confirmatory Test Support, Internal Confirmatory Test Estimate, and Setup (implementation) of Depot Level Maintenance Support and Spare Parts/Accessories, costs (as appropriate).

M.2.4.5 If a FAT and/or Confirmatory test is required, or any non-Production Quantities CLINs are exercised the associated costs may be added to the delivery order price, when issued; and amortized into the unit price.

M.2.4.6 Spare parts prices will be evaluated for reasonableness in comparison with the offered production CLIN unit price(s), and to determine that they are not materially imbalanced.

M.2.4.7 Total maintenance costs as outlined in C.3.2.4 will be evaluated for reasonableness.

M.2.5 SMALL BUSINESS PARTICIPATION.

The Government will evaluate the extent to which offerors identify, and commit to utilizing SBs, VOSBs, SDVOSBs, HUBZone SBs, SDBs, WOSBs, and HBCU/MIs in the performance of the contract; such utilization may be as the prime contractor or subcontractor, or as a member of a joint venture or teaming arrangement. The Government will also evaluate the extent of the offeror's past compliance with FAR 52.219-8, Utilization of Small Business Concerns, and FAR52.219-9, and Small Business Subcontracting Plan. Evaluation will consider the following:

a. The extent to which the proposal specifically identifies SBs, VOSBs, SDVOSBs, HUBZone SBs, SDBs, WOSBs, and HBCUs/MIs; identifying the specific components to be produced or services to be performed by them and the estimated total dollars of such work for all years.

b. The items/services to be furnished by SBs, VOSBs, SDVOSBs, HUBZone SBs, SDBs, WOSBs, and HBCUs/MIs;

c. The extent of participation of such concerns in terms of the value of the total contract amount; and

d. An assessment of the risk, based upon performance, of the offeror actually achieving the involvement of small business concerns as proposed. Such assessment will include:

- For all offerors, an evaluation of performance over the past three calendar years in complying with the requirements of FAR 52.219-8, Utilization of Small Business Concerns;

- For offerors who are large business as defined by the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Code

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applicable to this solicitation, an additional evaluation of past performance over the last three calendar years in complying with the requirements of FAR 52.219-9, Small Business Subcontracting Plan. Where a large business has not held a contract that included 52.219-9, its prior performance will be evaluated against 52.219-8 only.

e. The extent of substantive evidence indicating the level of past compliance with the requirements of FAR 52.219-8 and FAR 52.219-9.

Adjectival Ratings

The element of Small Business Participation will be evaluated in accordance with the following. Apply the adjectival rating for the definition that most closely meets the evaluation conclusion.

ADJECTIVAL / DEFINITION AND CRITERIA

Excellent

Proposal includes a substantial portion of the work, in terms of dollar value (more than 20%) to be performed in Small Business (SB), Veteran-Owned Small Business (VOSB), HUBZone Small Business (HUBZone SB), Small Disadvantaged Business (SDB), Women-Owned Small Business (WOSB), and Historically Black Colleges and University/Minority Institution (HBCU/MI) sector by the prime (if so qualified) and/or as subcontractors or team members. Offeror has substantive evidence suggesting prior achievement of subcontracting plans or policy goals. Based on the proposal and past performance history, the offeror's proposed goals and/or actions are substantial and are considered very realistic (very low risk). There is significant substantive evidence indicating past compliance with the requirements of FAR 52.219-8 and FAR 52.219-9.

Good

Proposal includes a significant portion of the work in terms of dollar value (more than 15%) to be performed in the Small Business (SB), Veteran-Owned Small Business (VOSB), Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business (SDVOSB), HUBZone Small Business (HUBZone SB), Small Disadvantaged Business (SDB), Women-Owned Small Business (WOSB), and Historically Black Colleges and University/Minority Institution (HBCU/MI) sector by the prime (if so qualified) and/or as subcontractors or team members. Offeror has evidence suggesting prior achievement of most subcontracting plan or policy goals. Based on the offeror's proposal and past performance history, the offeror's proposed goals and/or actions are significant and are considered realistic (low risk). There is substantive evidence indicating past compliance with the requirements of FAR 52.219-8 and FAR 52.219-9.

Adequate

Proposal includes a reasonable portion of the work in terms of dollar value (more than 10%) to be performed in the Small Business (SB), Veteran-Owned Small Business (VOSB), Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business (SDVOSB), HUBZone Small Business (HUBZone SB), Small Disadvantaged Business (SDB), Women-Owned Small Business (WOSB), and Historically Black Colleges and University/Minority Institution (HBCU/MI) sector by the prime (if so qualified) and/or as subcontractors or team members. Offeror has evidence suggesting prior achievement of some subcontracting plan or policy goals. Based on the offeror's proposal and past performance history, the offeror's proposed goals and/or actions are adequate and could be met if the offeror focuses attention on them (moderate risk). There is reasonable substantive evidence indicating past compliance with the requirements of FAR 52.219-8 and FAR 52.219-9.

Marginal

Proposal includes a minimal portion of the work in terms of dollar value (less than 10%) to be performed in the Small Business (SB), Veteran-Owned Small Business (VOSB), Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business (SDVOSB), HUBZone Small Business (HUBZone SB), Small Disadvantaged Business (SDB), Women-Owned Small Business (WOSB), and Historically Black Colleges and University/Minority Institution (HBCU/MI) sector by the prime (if so qualified) and/or as subcontractors or team members. Based on the offeror's proposal and/or past performance history, there is little likelihood that more than a minimal portion of the work will be performed in this sector. (High Risk) There is minimal substantive evidence indicating past compliance with the requirements of FAR 52.219-8 and FAR 52.219-9.

Poor

Offeror demonstrates little or no commitment to using SBs, VOSBs, SDVOSBs, HUBZone SBs, SDBs, WOSB and HBCU/MIs. There is no evidence that the offeror met his prior goals and/or shows no serious commitment and did not provide adequate justification for not doing so. Based on the proposal and/or past performance history, there is negligible likelihood that anything other than a token portion of the work will be performed in this sector. (Very High Risk) There is little or no substantive evidence indicating past compliance with the requirements of FAR 52.219-8 and 52.219-9.

Neutral

Foreign firm (offeror) has held no past Government contract(s) subject to FAR 52.219-8 and 52.219-9. Foreign firm (offeror) indicates no opportunity for using SBs, SDBs, HUBZone SBs, SDBs, WOSBs and HBCU/MIs as all contract work will be performed completely outside the

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United States or no meaningful subcontract opportunities exist.

*Offerors are required to address two areas in their SB Participation response: (1) "Proposed" SB usage in performance of the potential contract, and (2) "Past" usage of SBs in contract performance. The Government will evaluate both areas to develop one overall rating.

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M-2	15.304 FAR	EVALUATION FACTORS FOR AWARD (BASIS FOR AWARD, FACTORS AND SUBFACTORS TO BE EVALUATED, EVALUATION APPROACH)	DEC/1997

The following are the evaluation factors for award:

Bid Samples and Technical Proposals, Past Performance, Small Business Participation and Price

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