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TITLE: FLIGHT SAFETY PART SUPPLIER INTERFACE AND OVERSIGHT PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (USAAMCOM)

TEXT

This contract is for a Flight Safety part (FSP) and requires special controls as identified in Quality Engineering Standard (QE-STD-1). In addition to the QE-STD-1 requirements, the contractor shall comply with the following:

a. The Contractor shall prepare manufacturing planning documentation in accordance with paragraph 6.1 of QE-STD-1 and DI-MISC-80508A. Any Contractor recommended changes to the manufacturing planning documentation which affect critical characteristics shall be approved by the Government. The Contractor shall not implement any process changes which affect critical characteristics without prior Government approval.

b. Written notification shall be given to the Procurement Contracting Officer (PCO) as soon as possible but at least 30 days prior to first delivery indicating the time frame when the parts being procured under this contract will be actively in production in order that a Supplier Interface and Oversight Program (SIOP) on-site review can be scheduled if such a review is determined by the Government to be necessary. The Contractor will cooperate with and allow the Government to conduct a SIOP on-site review (1-3 days typically) while the parts are actively in production. This review may also require site visits to critical process subcontractors. The purpose of the SIOP on-site review is to thoroughly review manufacturing processes and documentation for FSP and provide feed-back and direction regarding the FSP program.

NOTE: Some of the personnel that support the SIOP program (e.g. evaluate manufacturing planning and participate in the SIOP on-site reviews) are employees of the U.S. Army Aviation and Missile Command (AMCOM) programmatic and technical services support contractors employed under the Omnibus 2000 contract. AMCOM's Directorate for Aviation Engineering (AMRDEC) will, within thirty days of contract award, identify the programmatic and technical services support contractors who may be involved with this contract and may require access to your company's proprietary data (e.g., frozen manufacturing planning) and facilities in performing their duties. Since these contractor personnel are not Federal employees, they will be allowed access only if a Non-Disclosure Agreement (NDA) between their employer and your company has been established. A standard NDA will accompany the AMRDEC notification. If a NDA with the identified support contractor has not been entered into by your company, sign and submit the NDA with the frozen manufacturing planning to the PCO within thirty days of contract award. If there are objections to the NDA or the terms or conditions thereof, contact, in writing, the PCO within 10 days of receipt of the AMRDEC notification so as to allow sufficient time for a mutually acceptable arrangement be reached.

(End of Clause)