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AMENDMENT 0002

1. This is Amendment 0002.
2. This Amendment 0002 changes the packaging requirements. Special Packaging Instruction AK 13590727 has been removed from the Technical Data Package. Coded packaging data has been provided in lieu of the Special Packaging Instructions; see the clause titled PACKAGING REQUIREMENTS (SELECTIVE GROUP PACKAGING REQUIREMENTS) on the attached pages..
3. The closing date is extended to 9 Aug 04 at 1:00 PM.
4. All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

*** END OF NARRATIVE A 002 ***

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SECTION D - PACKAGING AND MARKING

<u>Status</u>	<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
D-1 CHANGED	52.211-4516 (TACOM)	PACKAGING REQUIREMENTS (SELECTIVE GROUP PACKAGING REQUIREMENTS)	JUN/2004

(a) Military preservation, packing, and marking for this contract shall be accomplished in accordance with the specific requirements identified below and all the applicable requirements of MIL-STD-2073-1, Revision D, Dated 15 Dec 1999 including Notice 1, Dated 10 May 2002.

- (1) LEVEL OF PRESERVATION: Military
- (2) LEVEL OF PACKING: A
- (3) QUANTITY PER UNIT PACKAGE: 001

(b) MIL-STD-2073-1, Appendix J establishes and defines codes used in describing military packaging methods and materials. The following codes from Appendix J apply:

- (1) Preservation Method Code: 43 (Table j.i. and j.ia.)
- (2) Cleaning Procedure Code: 1 (Table j.ii)
- (3) Preservative Material Code: 57 (Table j.iii)
- (4) Wrapping Material Code: GH (Table j.iv)
- (5) Cushioning and Dunnage Code: GA (Table j.v)
- (6) Thickness of Cushioning or Dunnage Code: A (Table j.vi)
- (7) Unit Container Code: FM (Table j.vii)
- (8) Intermediate Container Code: 00 (Table j.viii)
- (9) Quantity per Intermediate Container Code: AAA (Appendix J.4.11)
- (10) Packing Code: F (Table j.IX and J.IXa)
- (11) Special Marking Code: 17 (Table j.x)

(c) 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

(d) Marking:

(1) All unit packages, intermediate packs, exterior shipping containers, and, as applicable, unitized loads shall be marked in accordance with MIL-STD-129P(2), dated 10 Feb. 2004, 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 material will not identify the nature of the material.

(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. A Military Shipment Label (MSL) is required for all shipments except contractor to contractor. The MSL will include both linear and 2D bar codes per the standard. DVD shipment documentation must also be marked with additional bar codes. The DD Form 250 or the commercial packing list shall have additional issue/receipt 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.

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(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."

(4) Computer Automated Transportation Tool (CATT). The following website 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.asset-trak.com/catt/msl_irrd/mslirrdmain.htm> This program was developed by the Army and is free to those with government contracts. Commercial software is also available for compliance with the requirements of MIL-STD 129P and may be purchased by contractors for use in producing labels. Ensure that the ship to and mark for in-the-clear delivery address is complete including: consignees name, organization, department name, office, building, room, street address, city, state, country code, & DODAAC.

(e) Heat Treatment and Marking of Wood Packaging Materials: Boxes/pallets and any wood used as inner packaging made of non-manufactured wood shall be heat-treated. 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 traceability to the original source of heat treatment. Marking. Each box/pallet shall be marked to show the conformance to the International Plant Protection Convention Standard. 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.

(f) These packaging requirements are intended to provide protection against environmentally induced corrosion and deterioration, physical and mechanical damage, and other forms of degradation during storage, multiple handling, and shipment associated with the military distribution system. The Government encourages contractors to submit requests for changes that will result in savings or improve the packaging. Please submit request for changes in accordance with the RFD clause of the contract. Government reserves the right to require testing to validate alternate industrial preservation methods, materials, blocking, bracing, cushioning, and packing at contractors expense.

(g) Hazardous Materials(as applicable):

(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. (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.)

(2) Packaging and marking for hazardous material shall comply with the requirements herein 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).

(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. A Product Material Safety Data Sheets (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.

(h) SUPPLEMENTAL INSTRUCTIONS: APPLY PRESERVATIVE TO ALL UNPAINTED, UNPLATED EXTERIOR METALLIC SURFACES.

TOP OF CONTAINER SHALL BE SECURED WITH TO SIDES AND ENDS WITH WOOD SCREWS.

MARK TOP AND ONE SIDE OF CONTAINER WITH 1/2" HIGH BLACK LETTERS "REUSABLE CONTAINER AND CUSHIONING". ALSO, MARK TOP WITH 1/2 HIGH BLACK LETTERS "REMOVE SCREWS TO OPEN CONTAINER".

Unit container must meet the performance level requirements IAW ASTM D 4169 "Standard Practice for Performance Testing of Shipping Containers and Systems" for Acceptance Criteria 1, Assurance Level I, and Distribution Cycle 1. Unit container is exempt from test requirements under Section 5 "Test Specimen" and Section 6 "Conditioning".

[End of Clause]