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Explosives

- (a) Seller will tag each deliverable unit prior to packaging and mark each unit package with the item's Department of Transportation (DOT) explosive class, storage compatibility code, DOT article shipping name, net weight of explosive, shelf life, and date of manufacture.
- (b) Seller's packing sheet will include, but is not limited to, the following information: Seller's name and address, the DoD explosive classification and DoD storage compatibility group, and the number of Seller's Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms (BATF) license or permit. A copy of the packing sheet will be affixed to the outside of, and another copy will be placed inside of, each shipping container. In addition, a properly completed Material Safety Data Sheet will accompany each shipment.
- (c) Fifteen days prior to the first shipment of explosives under this contract, Seller shall provide the following information to Buyer, in writing. (An appropriate fax number or email address can be obtained from Buyer's Authorized Procurement Representative.)
 - (1) manufacturer's name, address, and telephone number;
 - (2) part number;
 - (3) drawing number;
 - (4) item nomenclature;
 - (5) subcontract or purchase order number;
 - (6) lot number;
 - (7) item gross weight;
 - (8) net explosive weight;
 - (9) freight description;
 - (10) DOT or DoD shipping name if different from freight description;
 - (11) U.F.C. number;
 - (12) N.M.F.C. number;
 - (13) hazard classification;
 - (14) DOT shipping container specifications;
 - (15) federal and military shipping container specifications;
 - (16) DOT loading and storage group;
 - (17) MILAIR loading and storage group;
 - (18) DoD and DOT quantity distance classes;
 - (19) two copies of DOT – Bureau of Explosives or DoD component shipping authorization letter;
 - (20) environmental control requirements, if any;
 - (21) two copies of the applicable DOT exemption;
 - (22) two copies of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms (BATF) explosives license or permit;
 - (23) DOT storage compatibility group;
 - (24) shelf life and date of manufacture; and

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- (25) a copy of the DOT Competent Authority Approval Letter showing UN Proper Shipping Name, UN Number, UN Class, and Compatibility Group.
- (d) Prior to each shipment of explosive material, Seller shall fax or email the following information to the receiving organization at the destination: this contract number, date of shipment, name of carrier, and bill of lading number for each shipment. The appropriate fax number or email address can be obtained from Buyer's Authorized Procurement Representative.