

**FIRST ARTICLE REQUIREMENTS**

1. DATE

12 Sep 03

(AFMCI 64-110, AFMCI 23-102 and FAR Part 9, Sub Part 9.3) (Additional Instructions on Page 3)

2. PIR/MIPR NUMBER _____	3. PART NUMBER 471992	4. NSN 2840-00-065-9047RV
5. FIRST ARTICLE QUANTITY THE FIRST ARTICLE IS _____ 3 _____ UNIT(S) OF LOT/ITEM _____ AND WILL BE: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PART OF PRODUCTION QUANTITY <input type="checkbox"/> IN ADDITION TO PRODUCTION QUANTITY		
6. ARTICLES <input type="checkbox"/> WILL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WILL NOT _____ SERVE AS A MANUFACTURING STANDARD	7. LONG LEAD TIME ITEMS <input type="checkbox"/> REQUIRED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NOT REQUIRED (See FAR 52.209-3 or -4, alternate II)	
8. SPECIAL REQUIREMENT/PRODUCTION FACILITIES (See FAR 52.209-3 or -4 Alternate I) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REQUIRED <input type="checkbox"/> NOT REQUIRED "The First Article offered must be manufactured at the facilities in which that item is to be produced under the contract, or if the First Article is a component not manufactured by the contractor, such component must be manufactured at the facilities in which the component is to be produced for the contract. A certification to this effect must accompany each First Article which is offered."		
9. TEST/INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS A. <input type="checkbox"/> CONTRACTOR TESTING <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GOVERNMENT TESTING Performance or other characteristics which the First Articles must meet are <u>ALL DRAWING AND SPEC REQUIREMENT</u> _____ B. The detailed technical requirements for First Article approval tests are contained in <u>SAME 9A</u> _____ (Cite Spec and Para number) C. <input type="checkbox"/> TEST PLAN REQUIRED (1) DD Form 1423 ELIN _____ (2) Delivery due _____ s from date of contract. (3) Number of days for government approval/disapproval _____ days. D. Contractor's notification to ACO and <u>LPARR</u> (Requesting Activity) of test time and location due da <u>30</u> of testing. E. <input type="checkbox"/> TEST REPORT REQUIRED (1) DD Form 1423 ELIN _____ (2) Due _____ s from date of contract. (3) Forwarded to _____ (4) Government written notice of approval/disapproval due _____ days after receipt of contractor's report.	F. FIRST ARTICLE DELIVERY: (1) Due within <u>180</u> calendar days from date contract. (2) Notify <u>30</u> calendar days prior to shipment. (3) Delivered to government at <u>SEE BLOCK 12 REMARK FOR FORM FIT AND FUNCTION CHECK</u> _____ (Set Forth Consignee and Address) (4) Government written notice of approval/disapproval within <u>90</u> days after receipt of first article package. G. Estimated cost of government testing/inspection evaluation. \$ _____	
10. DISPOSITION OF FIRST ARTICLES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approved First Articles will be forwarded to <u>USAF SUPPLY</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> _____ quantity first articles will be expended in testing. Residual components of disapproved first articles returned to the contractor/ <input type="checkbox"/> will be retained by _____ pending disposition instructions from the contractor. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> will be _____ pending disposition instructions from the contractor. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First articles will be installed on aircraft/equipment to determine proper fit/function. Approved article will remain on the aircraft/equipment and will not be forwarded to USAF Supply, but will be considered part of the contract quantity.		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Disapproved first articles will be returned to the contractor/ <input type="checkbox"/> will be retained by _____ pending disposition instructions from the contractor <input type="checkbox"/> On purchase requests designated as direct shipments the following disposition will apply. (NOTE: Always applicable on Foreign Military Sales (FMS)). a. Approved first articles will be returned to the contractor for shipment with production item. b. Disposition of disapproved first articles will remain the same as marked above. <input type="checkbox"/> Other Disposition: _____		

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11. CONDITION(S) FOR WAIVER OF FIRST ARTICLE APPROVAL

- a.  Offerors who have previously furnished production quantities of the same or similar article to the prime contractor for delivery to the \_\_\_\_\_ Government, \_\_\_\_\_ DoD, \_\_\_\_\_ Air Force.
- b.  Offerors currently in production of the same or similar article for a \_\_\_\_\_ Government, contract \_\_\_\_\_ ~~to be~~ rect \_\_\_\_\_ t Article approval under the existing contract.
- c.  Offerors who have previously furnished production quantities of the same or similar articles for a \_\_\_\_\_ Government, \_\_\_\_\_ DoD, Air Force provided articles thus furnished have exhibited satisfactory performance in service, in the opinion of the Air Force.
- d.  Provided not more than 36 elapsed since completion of the contract.
- e.  First Article testing will not be waived.
- f.  See Remarks in block 12 below.

**NOTE TO BUYER:** UNDER CONDITIONS A AND C ABOVE, THE COGNIZANT ENGINEERING ACTIVITY WILL DECIDE WHETHER OR NOT THE ITEM HAS EXHIBITED SATISFACTORY PERFORMANCE IN SERVICE AND PREPARE AND RETAIN SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION TO FULLY JUSTIFY THIS DECISION. THE BUYER MUST SOLICIT DUAL PRICES (That is, both with and without requirement for first article approval) AND MUST FURNISH THE COGNIZANT ENGINEERING ACTIVITY WITH THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ON THE PREVIOUSLY SUPPLIED ARTICLE:

A. PROCURING OFFICE

B. CONTRACT NUMBER

C. DATE OF CONTRACT

D. SPECIFICATION NUMBER AND REVISION

12. REMARKS

5. First Article shall include one complete unassembled item.

9. F. (3) DDOO-SOP (FIRST ARTICLE)  
 BLDG 18 DOOR 16, Phone (405) 739-7667  
 8080 PERIMETER RD  
 TINKER AFB, OK 73145-8000  
 DODAAC: FY2303

MARK FOR: FIRST ARTICLES  
 ATTN: DDOO-SOP  
 DO NOT POST, NON-ACCOUNTABLE  
 DO NOT PUT INTO SUPPLY  
 DODAAC: FY2303

In addition, please ensure the words "FIRST ARTICLE" are marked on the outside of the box in large red conspicuous letters.

FIRST ARTICLE INSPECTION JUSTIFICATION

This item is critical to the safe operation and use of the end item. The engineering data ( blue prints, technical data package, ect.) Contain close tolerances and complex processes and/or operations which require verification of a contractor's ability to produce this item. Conditions of first article waiver are as outlined in block 11 above.

CONDITIONS WAIVER OF FIRST ARTICLE INSPECTION:

Offerors who have previously furnished production quantities of the same articles for Government, DOD, or Air Force provided articles thus furnished have exhibited satisfactory performance in service, in the opinion of the Air Force .

13. COGNIZANT ENG ORGANIZATION RESPONSIBLE FOR CONDUCTING AND/OR APPROVING TEST (Name, Organization, Phone)

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 LPARR/ 736-3778

14. PR INITIATOR (Name, Organization, Phone)