FIRST ARTICLE REQUIREMENTS

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

1. DATE: 10 Jun 02

2. PR/MIPR NUMBER:

3. PART NUMBER: 578C966G2

4. NSN: 2840-00-858-4863

5. FIRST ARTICLE QUANTITY

THE FIRST ARTICLE IS 3 UNIT(S) OF LOT/ITEM Item

AND WILL BE [X] PART OF PRODUCTION QUANTITY [ ] IN ADDITION TO PRODUCTION QUANTITY

6. ARTICLES

WILL [X] WILL NOT SERVE AS A MANUFACTURING STANDARD

7. LONG LEAD TIME ITEMS

[X] REQUIRED [ ] 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)*

[X] REQUIRED [ ] 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. [ ] CONTRACTOR TESTING [X] GOVERNMENT TESTING

Performance or other characteristics which the First Articles must meet are engineering drawings and instructions

B. The detailed technical requirements for First Article approval tests are contained in See block 9A.

(Cite Spec and Para number)

C. [ ] ST PLAN REQUIRED

(1) DD Form 1423 LIN

(2) Delivery due _____ days from date of contract

(3) Number of days for government approval/disapproval _____ days

D. Contractor's notification to ACO and _____ *(Requesting Activity)* of test time and location due _____ days _____ of testing.

E. [ ] DT REPORT REQUIRED

(1) DD Form 1423 E.IN

(2) Due _____ days 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 180 calendar days from date contract

(2) Notify _____ calendar days prior to shipment

(3) Delivered to government at See block 12

(Set Forth Changes and Address)

(4) Government written notice of approval/disapproval within 90 days after receipt of first article package

G. Estimated cost of government testing/inspection/evaluation

~~$ 31,500.00~~

$2,000.00

10. DISPOSITION OF FIRST ARTICLES

[X] Approved First Articles will be forwarded to USAF

[X] 1 unit(s) first articles will be expended in testing. Residual components of disproved first articles [ ] will be returned to the contractor [X] will be retained by USAF pending disposition instructions from the contractor

[ ] 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.

[X] Disapproved first articles will be returned to the contractor

[ ] will be retained by _____ pending disposition instructions from the contractor

[ ] 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

[ ] Other Disposition: _____

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

a. [X] Offerors who have previously furnished production quantities of the same or similar article to the prime contractor for delivery to the ____ Government, ____ DoD, X Air Force

b. [X] Offerors currently in production of the same or similar article for a ____ Government contract, ____ DoD contract, X Air Force contract

c. [X] Offerors who have previously furnished production quantities of the same or similar articles for a ____ Government, ____ DoD, X Air Force contract, provided articles thus furnished have exhibited satisfactory performance in service, in the opinion of the Air Force

d. [X] Provided not more than 36 mo elapsed since completion of the contract

e. [ ] First Article testing will not be waived

f. [ ] See Remarks in block 12 below

g. **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

9.F. (3) DDOO-SFC (FIRST ARTICLE)

BLDG 18 DOOR 4 (EXT 97902)
8080 PERIMETER RD
TINKER AFB, OK 73145-8000
DODAAC: FY2033
MARK FOR: FIRST ARTICLES
ATTN: DDOO-SFC
DO NOT POST, NON-ACCOUNTABLE
DO NOT PUT INTO SUPPLY

Please insure the words "FIRST ARTICLE" are marked on the outside of box in large red conspicuous letters.

FIRST ARTICLE JUSTIFICATION

THIS ITEM IS CRITICLE TO THE SAFE OPERATION AND USE OF THE END ITEM. THE ENGINEERING DATA (BLUEPRINTS, ENGINEERING INSTRUCTIONS, ETC...) CONTAIN CLOSE TOLERANCES AND COMPLEX PROCESSES AND/OR OPERATIONS WHICH REQUIRE VERIFICATION OF A CONTRACTOR'S ABILITY TO MEET THESE REQUIREMENTS. CONDITIONS OF FIRST ARTICLE WAVER ARE OUTLINED IN BLOCK 11 ABOVE

13. COGNIZANT ENG ORGANIZATION RESPONSIBLE FOR CONDUCTING AND/OR APPROVING TEST *(Name, Organization, Phone)*	14. PR INITIATOR *(Name, Organization, Phone)*
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