



**Q706 Calibration System Requirements \*\*Flowdown to Subcontractors Required\*\* (Rev 06/12/20)**

The Seller shall maintain a calibration system IAW ISO 10012:2003 or equivalent. Equivalent systems must be approved by GD-OTS. All calibrated equipment shall be traceable to the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) or equivalent international standards. The Seller and all subcontractors shall maintain and ensure all production and manufacturing related equipment, including inspection and test equipment; tools; fixtures; jigs are appropriate and capable of the required accuracy and precision for determining conformance to all technical and contractual requirements, design, performance, and process characteristics.

Compliance with the provisions of this clause in no way relieves the Seller of the final responsibility to furnish acceptable supplies or services as specified herein.

This provision shall be applicable to all inspection, test and measuring equipment supplied by the buyer for the use of the Seller, as well as the Seller's own equipment.

**Seller shall flow the substance of this clause to its subcontractors, including this sentence, changing the relationship of the parties as appropriate to preserve the intent of the words.**