Q809 - Counterfeit Part Prevention

Requirements

Seller is required to prevent the delivery of any Counterfeit parts to GD-OTS or its customers. Counterfeit part prevention should include training of personnel for awareness in the prevention of counterfeit parts; application of a parts obsolescence monitoring program; controls for acquiring externally provided product from original or authorized manufacturers, authorized distributors, or other approved sources; requirements for assuring traceability of parts to their original or authorized manufacturers; verification and test methodologies to detect counterfeit parts; monitoring of counterfeit parts reporting from external sources; quarantine and reporting of suspect or detected counterfeit parts.

Counterfeit definition: An unauthorized copy, imitation, substitute, or modified part (e.g., material, part, component), which is knowingly misrepresented as a specified genuine part of an original or authorized manufacturer. NOTE: Examples of a counterfeit part can include, but are not limited to, the false identification of marking or labeling, grade, serial number, date code, documentation, or performance characteristics.

Additional requirements for counterfeit part prevention of electrical parts, assemblies or electronic components are included in the terms and conditions.