

GENERAL DYNAMICS

Ordnance and Tactical Systems

Weapons Systems Supplier Quality Requirements Site 21-Quality – Williston VT / Saco ME

Quality Clause	Revision	Phase In Date
Q216	1	11/02/2022

Q216–Min Quality Sys Req & FAR Clause 52.246-2

Requirements

The supplier is responsible for the quality and conformance of all products provided. As a minimum Quality Management System, the supplier shall perform contract review and maintain documented nonconforming material control and corrective action processes. The supplier shall also maintain an equipment calibration process, if any measuring or inspection equipment is utilized.

The supplier shall comply with all requirements of FAR clause 52.246-2, "Inspection of Supplies", to the extent required to ensure compliance by the Contractor, General Dynamics-OTS. FAR clause 52.246-2 partially states that the contractor shall provide and maintain an inspection system acceptable to the Government covering supplies under this contract and shall tender to the Government for acceptance only supplies that have been inspected in accordance with the inspection system and have been found by the Contractor to be in conformity with contract requirements. As part of the system, the Contractor shall prepare records evidencing all inspections made under the system and the outcome. These records shall be kept complete and made available to the Government during contract performance and for as long afterwards as the contract requires. The Government has the right to inspect and test all supplies called for by the contract, to the extent practicable, at all places and times, including the period of manufacture, and in any event before acceptance. If the Government performs inspection or test on the premises of the Contractor or a subcontractor, the Contractor shall furnish, and shall require subcontractors to furnish, at no increase in contract price, all reasonable facilities and assistance for the safe and convenient performance of these duties. Except as otherwise provided in the contract, the Government shall bear the expense of Government inspections or tests made at other than the Contractor's or subcontractor's premises; provided, that in case of rejection, the Government shall not be liable for any reduction in the value of inspection or test samples.