52.211-5 Material Requirements.

As prescribed in 11.302 , insert the following clause:

Material Requirements (Aug 2000)

(a) *Definitions*.

As used in this clause-

New means composed of previously unused *components*, whether manufactured from *virgin material*, *recovered material* in the form of raw material, or materials and by-*products* generated from, and reused within, an original manufacturing process; *provided* that the *supplies* meet contract requirements, including but not limited to, performance, reliability, and life expectancy.

Reconditioned means restored to the original normal operating condition by readjustments and material replacement.

Recovered material means waste materials and by-*products* recovered or diverted from solid waste, but the term does not include those materials and by-*products* generated from, and commonly reused within, an original manufacturing process.

Remanufactured means factory rebuilt to original specifications.

Virgin material means-

(1) Previously unused raw material, including previously unused copper, aluminum, lead, zinc, iron, other metal or metal ore; or

(2) Any undeveloped resource that is, or with new technology will become, a source of raw materials.

(b) Unless this contract otherwise requires *virgin material* or *supplies* composed of or manufactured from *virgin material*, the Contractor *shall* provide *supplies* that are new, *reconditioned*, or *remanufactured*, as defined in this clause.

(c) A proposal to provide unused former Government *surplus property shall* include a complete description of the material, the quantity, the name of the Government agency from which acquired, and the date of *acquisition*.

(d) A proposal to provide used, *reconditioned*, or *remanufactured supplies shall* include a detailed description of such *supplies* and *shall* be submitted to the *Contracting Officer* for approval.

(e) Used, *reconditioned*, or *remanufactured supplies*, or unused former Government *surplus property*, *may* be used in contract performance if the Contractor has proposed the use of such *supplies*, and the *Contracting Officer* has authorized their use.

(End of clause)

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