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Supplier Notice 05-002

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Supplier Notice 05-002 – Pending Revision to Supplier Quality Assurance Requirements (SQAR) clause flow-down document (Form 1002)

Valued Supply-Chain Partners -

Watch for an upcoming revision (Rev. D), effective 2005 November 14, to L-3 EDI's Supplier Quality Assurance Requirements (SQAR) clauses (Form 1002) incorporating:

- 1. A new SQAR Clause 21 requiring attesting compliance to DFARS 252.225-7014 (Alternate I) Preference for Domestic Specialty Metals. This clause requires Specialty Metals, which includes many stainless steel alloys and titanium alloys, if not all, and other metal alloys as defined therein, to be melted in the United States, its possessions, or Puerto Rico, or in a qualifying country. The supplier (i.e., Seller) needs to consult SQAR 21 and DFARs 252.225-7014 for specifics and further definition. This new clause will be selectively referenced on applicable Purchase Orders and the Seller shall reference DFARS 252.225-7014 (Alternate I) on all sub-tier orders.
- 2. A revision to SQAR Clause 1 Seller Quality System (that is typically referenced on all of our production material Purchase Orders) will include L-3 EDI's Workmanship Manual 6310034 as a requirement. Suppliers are recommended to periodically check 6310034 (e.g., every quarter) to ensure that they are using the latest revision. Note: Supplier's quality systems may need to be revised incorporating L-3 EDI's workmanship requirements and the periodic checking thereof for the latest revision.

Upon release of our revised SQAR's, the latest revision of L-3 EDI's Form 1002 (Rev. D) and of our Workmanship Manual will be available either via our website at http://www.l-3com.com/EDI/supplier_info.htm or from our purchasing buyer.

L-3 EDI's objective is to promote and improve the communications with our supply-base partners. Hopefully, you will find that we are accomplishing our objective. To this end, if you have any suggestions on how we may further improve communications or if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at 847.660.1850 or louis.s.pacini@l-3com.com.

Best Regards,

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Manager of Supplier Quality