

Policy For DFARS Compliance

Regarding Precision Fittings' policy for compliance with Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS) 252.225-7014, Preference for Domestic Specialty Metals.

In agreement with the intention of these regulations, whenever possible Precision Fittings purchases materials falling under the Specialty Metals category from distributors who represent domestic U. S. mills or who procure from qualifying countries under "Alternate I" (Apr 2003 or subsequent issues.)

When Manufacturing orders are initiated to fill requirements for a specific customer who has requested DFARS compliance, only compliant materials are used in accordance with contract requirements.

Precision Fittings also manufactures military and commercial standard pipe plugs for stock and distribution, and qualifying materials are not always available in the necessary alloys and sizes when schedules allow production. In these cases, Precision Fittings offers some items made of materials that originate from countries not included in the qualifying countries list in DFAR 225.872-1. When manufactured this way, products can be sold if DFARS 252.225-7104 is not a requirement or when the requirement can be waived.

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