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EPP-SPECIFIC LANGUAGE

SPECIFICATIONS

I. SCOPE

These specifications cover recycled and virgin cut size sheet paper for use in high speed xerographic machines for use by all state agencies and other political entities. The term of the contract shall be for two years with an option to extend for one additional year.

II. CLASSIFICATION

A. These specifications cover the following types of paper which must be stocked by the contractor.

1. Type I - No. 4 Recycled Dual Purpose Bond, 20 lb., White only.
2. Type II - No. 4 Virgin Bond Paper, 20 lb., White only.

III. ITEM REQUIREMENTS

A. Material

1. Type I, recycled paper specifications suitable for offset duplicating as well as Xerographic duplicating on high speed equipment, as follows:

a. Definitions

1. Recycled Paper: For purposes of this specification, recycled paper shall be waste paper as defined by the U.S. E.P.A.'s Guideline for Federal Procurement of Paper products Containing Recovered Materials, 40 CFR 250.

2. Waste Paper: Includes both post-consumer recovered materials and pre-consumer items as defined herein and as stipulated in RCRA Section 6002. Mill broke is specifically excluded from the definition of recovered materials because it is waste generated before completion of the paper making process.

3. Post-Consumer Recovered Materials: Items which have been recovered after passing through their end usage as a consumer item, such as old magazines, newspapers, used corrugated containers, and office waste.

4. Pre-Consumer Waste: These would include manufacturing wastes like paper and paperboard waste generated after completion of the paper making process (i.e. cutting and trimming) and other paper and paperboard waste, resulting from printing, cutting, forming, and other converting operations; box, bag, and carton manufacturing wastes; and butt rolls, mill wrappers, and rejected unused stock; and finished paper and paperboard from obsolete inventories of paper and paperboard manufacturers, merchants, wholesalers, dealers, printers, converters, and other.

2. Applicable Documents

a. The latest revisions of the following shall apply:

1. Resources Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Section 6002

2. U.S. E.P.A.'s Guideline for Federal Procurement of Paper and Paper Products Containing Recovered Materials

3. Requirements

a. Material: Material of construction shall contain recycled paper as defined herein, either with the combination of virgin sulfite bond and recycled content or exclusively made of recycled content.

b. Percentage of Recycled Paper Content: All types of paper stipulated herein, shall be manufactured with a recycled content of not less than 50% waste paper with a minimum of twenty (20) per cent post consumer waste. There must be no excessive dirt or lint (per CPO/JCP specifications).

c. Physical Properties: Opacity and brightness properties shall be as stipulated herein.