

SECTION 01 25 00 - PRODUCT-SUBSTITUTION REQUIREMENTS

- 1.01** ^{A16}**SCOPE:** This section **establishes** the Employer's general requirements related to suppliers, Plant and Materials as well as the substitution of such Plant and Materials. ^{A16}
- 1.02** **CHARACTER OF WORK:** The Contractor shall provide Plant and Materials that conform to the requirements of the Contract, are the most suitable grade for their intended uses, and are current products from manufacturers regularly engaged in the production of such Plant or Materials.
- 1.03** **SUGGESTED SUPPLIERS:**
- A. ^{A16}References to manufacturers listed in the Employer's Requirements and Volume VI, Reference Documents of the **Contract**, are intended to **indicate** the type, style, and quality of **the Plant and Materials** to be used or furnished, and are not intended to represent a preference of the Employer for any particular manufacturer's product. However, in selecting any given manufacturer, full responsibility shall be assumed by the Contractor for furnishing **Plant and Materials** equivalent to those that are referred to and compliant with the Contract. The quality and capacity of the **Plant and Materials** supplied shall in no way be inferior to those referred to. Sufficient information shall be submitted by the Contractor to allow the Employer's Representative to determine that the proposed **Plant and Materials** are equivalent to those named. ^{A16}
 - B. ^{A16}The names of manufacturers and addresses listed in these Employer's Requirements are furnished only as possible sources for **Plant and Materials** named. The Contractor is not relieved of his responsibilities because these names or addresses may have changed. The Contractor shall have no right to additional payment or extension of time that may subsequently become necessary in the event the **Plant and Materials** fail to perform adequately. ^{A16}
- 1.04** **"OR EQUAL" OR "OR APPROVED EQUAL":** Where the Employer's Requirements refer to **Plant and/or Materials** by name accompanied by the term "or equal" or "or approved equal", the Contractor shall provide the following information to obtain approval for use of an unnamed product:
- A. Coordination information, including a list of changes or modifications needed to other parts of the Works and to construction performed by the Employer and separate contractors that will be necessary to accommodate the proposed product.
 - B. A detailed comparison of significant qualities of the proposed product to those required by the work specified. Significant qualities may include factors such as performance, weight, size, durability, and visual effect.
 - C. Product data, including drawings and descriptions of products and fabrication and installation procedures.
 - D. Samples, where applicable or requested.
 - E. ^{A16}A statement indicating any effect on the Accepted Baseline Programme. ^{A16}
 - F. **The Contractor's certification that the proposed product conforms to the requirements in the Contract in every respect and is appropriate for the applications indicated.**

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