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MEMORANDUM FOR Mr. Kent N. Martin
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FROM: AFRL/RXSSR
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SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF MAC'ANTS ABRASIVE LIMITED ACRYLIC (Type V) Mesh
Size: 20-30 PLASTIC MEDIA (Lot/Charge Number – A102017D)

1. Our office has the responsibility for maintaining the list of qualified products conforming to MIL-P-85891 under a joint Memorandum of Agreement with all federal organizations. First article testing is performed on a no more than biannual basis according to the procedures described in MIL-P-85891. The latest round of testing for all suppliers was completed in April 2011. The authorized/approved PMB media types for MIL-P-85891 called out within T.O. 1-1-8 will be updated based on the test results submitted to our office.
2. In the interim, this letter is provided to Mac'Ants Abrasive Limited to indicate that their Type V media has passed the MIL-P-85891 first article testing (dated 1 April 2011), and is **approved** for use **until Apr 2014** or until our next round of testing is completed, if not removed earlier for non-conformance. At that time, Mac'Ants Abrasive Limited will be required to supply our office with a new 3rd party, 1st article test report per the newest version of Mil-P-85891. To remain on this Mil-P-85891 qualified product list (QPL), manufacturers must **requalify their product every 3 years, a change from last round of testing, unless required earlier** from the date of this approval letter. Failure to re-qualify will be sufficient cause for removal from T.O. 1-1-8 and / or the Mil-P-85891 QPL, qualified manufacturer list (QML) or the new Qualified Products Database (QPD).
3. Our office has forwarded your approval/qualification to the Mil-P-85891 QPL by e-mail to Mr. Mark Giesbrecht at the General Services Administration with the same date as your letter.
4. This qualification to Mil-P-85891 is binding upon the manufacturer or suppliers in accordance with Defense Standardization Manual 4120.24-M and SD-6 document attached in electronic format.
5. Points of contact are Mr. David Ellicks, Air Force Corrosion Prevention and Control Office, AFRL/RXSSR, 478-926-3284 or DSN 468-3284, Fax: 478-926-6619 or William P. Hoogsteden, AFRL/RXSSO, 937-656-4223 or DSN 986-4223.



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Chief, Air Force Corrosion Prevention & Control Office

Attachment:

SD-6, Provisions Governing QPL, QML and QPDs, dated Feb 09 (Electronic Format)