

**SECTION 01 45 00**  
**QUALITY CONTROL**

**PART 1 - GENERAL**

**1.01 STANDARD AND INDUSTRY SPECIFICATIONS**

- A. Material or operations specified by reference to the published specifications of a manufacturer, testing agency, society, association or other published standards shall comply with the requirements in the latest revision thereof and amendments or supplements thereto in effect thirty (30) days prior to execution of the Agreement.
- B. Discrepancies between referenced specifications and Contract Documents shall be governed by the latter unless written interpretation is obtained from the Designer. Discrepancies between referenced specifications or standards shall be governed by the more stringent.
- C. Material or work specified by reference to conform to a standard, code, law or regulation shall be governed by Contract Documents when they exceed the requirements of such references. Referenced standards shall govern when they exceed the Contract Documents.

**1.02 MANUFACTURER'S DIRECTIONS**

- A. Manufactured articles, materials and equipment shall be utilized as directed by the manufacturers unless herein specified to the contrary. Discrepancy between an installation required by the Contract Documents and the manufacturer's instructions and recommendations shall be resolved by the Designer before the work may proceed.
- B. The Contractor shall, if requested, furnish an affidavit from manufacturer certifying that materials or products being furnished meet specified requirements. Such certification, however, shall not relieve Contractor from responsibility of complying with other requirements of Contract Documents.

**1.03 APPLICABILITY**

Standards referred to, except as modified in Contract Documents, shall have full force and effect as though recited in full. These standards are not furnished to bidders for the reason that manufacturers and trades involved are assumed to be familiar with their requirements. Designer will furnish, upon request, information as to how copies of reference standards may be obtained.

**1.04 PAYMENT FOR TESTING**

- A. Unless otherwise provided, the Owner shall make arrangements with the Designer to provide for tests, inspections, and approvals required of independent testing laboratories and such testing shall be at the Owner's expense.
- B. All other testing shall be at the Contractor's expense.

**END OF SECTION**

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