

**SECTION 01 42 19  
REFERENCE STANDARDS**

**PART 1 - GENERAL****1.1 DESCRIPTION**

This section specifies the availability and source of references and standards specified in the project manual under paragraphs APPLICABLE PUBLICATIONS and/or shown on the drawings.

**1.2 AVAILABILITY OF SPECIFICATIONS LISTED IN THE GSA INDEX OF FEDERAL SPECIFICATIONS, STANDARDS AND COMMERCIAL ITEM DESCRIPTIONS FPMR PART 101-29 (FAR 52.211-1) (AUG 1998)**

- A. The GSA Index of Federal Specifications, Standards and Commercial Item Descriptions, FPMR Part 101-29 and copies of specifications, standards, and commercial item descriptions cited in the solicitation may be obtained for a fee by submitting a request to - GSA Federal Supply Service, Specifications Section, Suite 8100, 470 East L'Enfant Plaza, SW, Washington, DC 20407, Telephone (202) 619-8925, Facsimile (202) 619-8978.
- B. If the General Services Administration, Department of Agriculture, or Department of Veterans Affairs issued this solicitation, a single copy of specifications, standards, and commercial item descriptions cited in this solicitation may be obtained free of charge by submitting a request to the addressee in paragraph (a) of this provision. Additional copies will be issued for a fee.

**1.3 AVAILABILITY FOR EXAMINATION OF SPECIFICATIONS NOT LISTED IN THE GSA INDEX OF FEDERAL SPECIFICATIONS, STANDARDS AND COMMERCIAL ITEM DESCRIPTIONS (FAR 52.211-4) (JUN 1988)**

The specifications and standards cited in this solicitation can be examined at the following location:

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS  
Office of Construction & Facilities Management  
Facilities Quality Service (00CFM1A)  
425 Eye Street N.W, (sixth floor)  
Washington, DC 20001  
Telephone Numbers: (202) 632-5249 or (202) 632-5178  
Between 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

**1.4 AVAILABILITY OF SPECIFICATIONS NOT LISTED IN THE GSA INDEX OF FEDERAL SPECIFICATIONS, STANDARDS AND COMMERCIAL ITEM DESCRIPTIONS (FAR 52.211-3) (JUN 1988)**

The specifications cited in this solicitation may be obtained from the associations or organizations listed below.

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| AA     | Aluminum Association Inc.<br><a href="http://www.aluminum.org">http://www.aluminum.org</a>   |
| AABC   | Associated Air Balance Council<br><a href="http://www.aabchg.com">http://www.aabchg.com</a>  |
| AAMA   | American Architectural Manufacturer's Association<br><a href="http://www.aamanet.org">http://www.aamanet.org</a>                   |
| AAN    | American Nursery and Landscape Association<br><a href="http://www.anla.org">http://www.anla.org</a>                                |
| AASHTO | American Association of State Highway and Transportation<br>Officials<br><a href="http://www.aashto.org">http://www.aashto.org</a> |
| AATCC  | American Association of Textile Chemists and Colorists<br><a href="http://www.aatcc.org">http://www.aatcc.org</a>                  |
| ACGIH  | American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists<br><a href="http://www.acgih.org">http://www.acgih.org</a>               |
| ACI    | American Concrete Institute<br><a href="http://www.aci-int.net">http://www.aci-int.net</a>   |
| ACPA   | American Concrete Pipe Association<br><a href="http://www.concrete-pipe.org">http://www.concrete-pipe.org</a>                      |
| ACPPA  | American Concrete Pressure Pipe Association<br><a href="http://www.acppa.org">http://www.acppa.org</a>                             |
| ADC    | Air Diffusion Council<br><a href="http://flexibleduct.org">http://flexibleduct.org</a>   |
| AGA    | American Gas Association<br><a href="http://www.aga.org">http://www.aga.org</a>  |

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| AGC  | Associated General Contractors of America<br><a href="http://www.agc.org">http://www.agc.org</a>                 |
| AGMA | American Gear Manufacturers Association, Inc.<br><a href="http://www.agma.org">http://www.agma.org</a>           |
| AHAM | Association of Home Appliance Manufacturers<br><a href="http://www.aham.org">http://www.aham.org</a>             |
| AIA  | American Institute of Architects<br><a href="http://www.aia.org">http://www.aia.org</a>                          |
| AISC | American Institute of Steel Construction<br><a href="http://www.aisc.org">http://www.aisc.org</a>                |
| AISI | American Iron and Steel Institute<br><a href="http://www.steel.org">http://www.steel.org</a>                     |
| AITC | American Institute of Timber Construction<br><a href="http://www.aitc-glulam.org">http://www.aitc-glulam.org</a> |
| AMCA | Air Movement and Control Association, Inc.<br><a href="http://www.amca.org">http://www.amca.org</a>              |
| ANLA | American Nursery & Landscape Association<br><a href="http://www.anla.org">http://www.anla.org</a>                |
| ANSI | American National Standards Institute, Inc.<br><a href="http://www.ansi.org">http://www.ansi.org</a>             |
| APA  | The Engineered Wood Association<br><a href="http://www.apawood.org">http://www.apawood.org</a>                   |
| ARI  | Air-Conditioning and Refrigeration Institute<br><a href="http://www.ari.org">http://www.ari.org</a>              |
| ASAE | American Society of Agricultural Engineers<br><a href="http://www.asae.org">http://www.asae.org</a>              |
| ASCE | American Society of Civil Engineers<br><a href="http://www.asce.org">http://www.asce.org</a>                     |

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| ASHRAE | American Society of Heating, Refrigerating, and<br>Air-Conditioning Engineers<br><a href="http://www.ashrae.org">http://www.ashrae.org</a> |
| ASME   | American Society of Mechanical Engineers<br><a href="http://www.asme.org">http://www.asme.org</a>  |
| ASSE   | American Society of Sanitary Engineering<br><a href="http://www.asse-plumbing.org">http://www.asse-plumbing.org</a>                        |
| ASTM   | American Society for Testing and Materials<br><a href="http://www.astm.org">http://www.astm.org</a>  |
| AWI    | Architectural Woodwork Institute<br><a href="http://www.awinet.org">http://www.awinet.org</a>  |
| AWS    | American Welding Society<br><a href="http://www.aws.org">http://www.aws.org</a>  |
| AWWA   | American Water Works Association<br><a href="http://www.awwa.org">http://www.awwa.org</a>  |
| BHMA   | Builders Hardware Manufacturers Association<br><a href="http://www.buildershardware.com">http://www.buildershardware.com</a>               |
| BIA    | Brick Institute of America<br><a href="http://www.bia.org">http://www.bia.org</a>  |
| CAGI   | Compressed Air and Gas Institute<br><a href="http://www.cagi.org">http://www.cagi.org</a>  |
| CGA    | Compressed Gas Association, Inc.<br><a href="http://www.cganet.com">http://www.cganet.com</a>  |
| CI     | The Chlorine Institute, Inc.<br><a href="http://www.chlorineinstitute.org">http://www.chlorineinstitute.org</a>                            |
| CISCA  | Ceilings and Interior Systems Construction Association<br><a href="http://www.cisca.org">http://www.cisca.org</a>                          |
| CISPI  | Cast Iron Soil Pipe Institute<br><a href="http://www.cispi.org">http://www.cispi.org</a>   |

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| CLFMI | Chain Link Fence Manufacturers Institute<br><a href="http://www.chainlinkinfo.org">http://www.chainlinkinfo.org</a>               |
| CPMB  | Concrete Plant Manufacturers Bureau<br><a href="http://www.cpmc.org">http://www.cpmc.org</a>                                      |
| CRA   | California Redwood Association<br><a href="http://www.calredwood.org">http://www.calredwood.org</a>                               |
| CRSI  | Concrete Reinforcing Steel Institute<br><a href="http://www.crsi.org">http://www.crsi.org</a>                                     |
| CTI   | Cooling Technology Institute<br><a href="http://www.cti.org">http://www.cti.org</a>   |
| DHI   | Door and Hardware Institute<br><a href="http://www.dhi.org">http://www.dhi.org</a>  |
| EGSA  | Electrical Generating Systems Association<br><a href="http://www.egsa.org">http://www.egsa.org</a>                                |
| EEI   | Edison Electric Institute<br><a href="http://www.eei.org">http://www.eei.org</a>  |
| EPA   | Environmental Protection Agency<br><a href="http://www.epa.gov">http://www.epa.gov</a>  |
| ETL   | ETL Testing Laboratories, Inc.<br><a href="http://www.etl.com">http://www.etl.com</a>   |
| FAA   | Federal Aviation Administration<br><a href="http://www.faa.gov">http://www.faa.gov</a>  |
| FCC   | Federal Communications Commission<br><a href="http://www.fcc.gov">http://www.fcc.gov</a>  |
| FPS   | The Forest Products Society<br><a href="http://www.forestprod.org">http://www.forestprod.org</a>                                  |
| GANA  | Glass Association of North America<br><a href="http://www.cssinfo.com/info/gana.html/">http://www.cssinfo.com/info/gana.html/</a> |

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| FM    | Factory Mutual Insurance<br><a href="http://www.fmglobal.com">http://www.fmglobal.com</a>  |
| GA    | Gypsum Association<br><a href="http://www.gypsum.org">http://www.gypsum.org</a>  |
| GSA   | General Services Administration<br><a href="http://www.gsa.gov">http://www.gsa.gov</a>   |
| HI    | Hydraulic Institute<br><a href="http://www.pumps.org">http://www.pumps.org</a>   |
| HPVA  | Hardwood Plywood & Veneer Association<br><a href="http://www.hpva.org">http://www.hpva.org</a>   |
| ICBO  | International Conference of Building Officials<br><a href="http://www.icbo.org">http://www.icbo.org</a>                                    |
| ICEA  | Insulated Cable Engineers Association Inc.<br><a href="http://www.icea.net">http://www.icea.net</a>  |
| \ICAC | Institute of Clean Air Companies<br><a href="http://www.icac.com">http://www.icac.com</a>  |
| IEEE  | Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers<br><a href="http://www.ieee.org">http://www.ieee.org</a>                                 |
| IMSA  | International Municipal Signal Association<br><a href="http://www.imsasafety.org">http://www.imsasafety.org</a>                            |
| IPCEA | Insulated Power Cable Engineers Association  |
| NBMA  | Metal Buildings Manufacturers Association<br><a href="http://www.mbma.com">http://www.mbma.com</a>   |
| MSS   | Manufacturers Standardization Society of the Valve and Fittings Industry Inc.<br><a href="http://www.mss-hq.com">http://www.mss-hq.com</a> |
| NAAMM | National Association of Architectural Metal Manufacturers<br><a href="http://www.naamm.org">http://www.naamm.org</a>                       |

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| NAPHCC | Plumbing-Heating-Cooling Contractors Association<br><a href="http://www.phccweb.org.org">http://www.phccweb.org.org</a>        |
| NBS    | National Bureau of Standards<br>See - NIST   |
| NBBPVI | National Board of Boiler and Pressure Vessel Inspectors<br><a href="http://www.nationboard.org">http://www.nationboard.org</a> |
| NEC    | National Electric Code<br>See - NFPA National Fire Protection Association  |
| NEMA   | National Electrical Manufacturers Association<br><a href="http://www.nema.org">http://www.nema.org</a>                         |
| NFPA   | National Fire Protection Association<br><a href="http://www.nfpa.org">http://www.nfpa.org</a>                                  |
| NHLA   | National Hardwood Lumber Association<br><a href="http://www.natlhardwood.org">http://www.natlhardwood.org</a>                  |
| NIH    | National Institute of Health<br><a href="http://www.nih.gov">http://www.nih.gov</a>  |
| NIST   | National Institute of Standards and Technology<br><a href="http://www.nist.gov">http://www.nist.gov</a>                        |
| NLMA   | Northeastern Lumber Manufacturers Association, Inc.<br><a href="http://www.nelma.org">http://www.nelma.org</a>                 |
| NPA    | National Particleboard Association<br>18928 Premiere Court<br>Gaithersburg, MD 20879<br>(301) 670-0604                         |
| NSF    | National Sanitation Foundation<br><a href="http://www.nsf.org">http://www.nsf.org</a>  |
| NWWDA  | Window and Door Manufacturers Association<br><a href="http://www.nwwda.org">http://www.nwwda.org</a>                           |

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| OSHA | Occupational Safety and Health Administration<br>Department of Labor<br><a href="http://www.osha.gov">http://www.osha.gov</a> |
| PCA  | Portland Cement Association<br><a href="http://www.portcement.org">http://www.portcement.org</a>                              |
| PCI  | Precast Prestressed Concrete Institute<br><a href="http://www.pci.org">http://www.pci.org</a>                                 |
| PPI  | The Plastic Pipe Institute<br><a href="http://www.plasticpipe.org">http://www.plasticpipe.org</a>                             |
| PEI  | Porcelain Enamel Institute, Inc.<br><a href="http://www.porcelainenamel.com">http://www.porcelainenamel.com</a>               |
| PTI  | Post-Tensioning Institute<br><a href="http://www.post-tensioning.org">http://www.post-tensioning.org</a>                      |
| RFCI | The Resilient Floor Covering Institute<br><a href="http://www.rfci.com">http://www.rfci.com</a>                               |
| RIS  | Redwood Inspection Service<br>See - CRA   |
| RMA  | Rubber Manufacturers Association, Inc.<br><a href="http://www.rma.org">http://www.rma.org</a>                                 |
| SCMA | Southern Cypress Manufacturers Association<br><a href="http://www.cypressinfo.org">http://www.cypressinfo.org</a>             |
| SDI  | Steel Door Institute<br><a href="http://www.steeldoor.org">http://www.steeldoor.org</a>                                       |
| IGMA | Insulating Glass Manufacturers Alliance<br><a href="http://www.igmaonline.org">http://www.igmaonline.org</a>                  |
| SJI  | Steel Joist Institute<br><a href="http://www.steeljoist.org">http://www.steeljoist.org</a>                                    |



SMACNA Sheet Metal and Air-Conditioning Contractors  
National Association, Inc.  
<http://www.smacna.org>

SSPC The Society for Protective Coatings  
<http://www.sspc.org>

STI Steel Tank Institute  
<http://www.steeltank.com>

SWI Steel Window Institute  
<http://www.steelwindows.com>

TCA Tile Council of America, Inc.  
<http://www.tileusa.com>

TEMA Tubular Exchange Manufacturers Association  
<http://www.tema.org>

TPI Truss Plate Institute, Inc.  
583 D'Onofrio Drive; Suite 200  
Madison, WI 53719  
(608) 833-5900

UBC The Uniform Building Code  
See ICBO

UL Underwriters' Laboratories Incorporated  
<http://www.ul.com>

ULC Underwriters' Laboratories of Canada  
<http://www.ulc.ca>

WCLIB West Coast Lumber Inspection Bureau  
6980 SW Varns Road, P.O. Box 23145  
Portland, OR 97223  
(503) 639-0651

WRCLA Western Red Cedar Lumber Association  
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