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COMMERCIAL ITEM DESCRIPTION

SHOE, WALKING CAST, CURVED, ROCKER SOLE

The General Services Administration has authorized the use of this Commercial Item Description

This Commercial Item Description covers two sizes of curved rocker sole cast shoes with treads specifically designed for a natural gait when wearing a leg cast.

Salient characteristics:

The curved rocker sole cast shoe shall be of the following sizes:

Medium - 10-7/8 by 5 inches.

Large - 12-3/8 by 5-1/2 inches.

The bottom of the sole shall have treads for secure footing. The sole shall be composed of rubber or other suitable synthetic composition materials, and shall be curved. The sides and back of the upper shoe shall be cotton or polyester/cotton, blue denim, or natural (unbleached) duck. Two hook and pile contact fasteners shall be attached to the upper denim portion of the shoe to simplify application and adjustment. An additional hook and pile fastener shall be added to the heel.

Workmanship. The orthopedic shoe shall be free from defects which detract from its appearance or impair its serviceability.

Unit. Each (EA). One orthopedic shoe, as specified, constitutes one unit.

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DISTRIBUTION STATEMENT A. Approved for public release; distribution is unlimited.

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QUALITY ASSURANCE PROVISIONS.

Responsibility for inspection. Unless otherwise specified in the contract or purchase order, the contractor is responsible for the performance of all inspection requirements as specified herein. Except otherwise specified in the contract or purchase order, the contractor may use his own or any facilities suitable for the performance of the inspection requirements specified herein, unless disapproved by the Government. The Government reserves the right to perform any of the inspections set forth in the specification where such inspections are deemed necessary to assure supplies and services conform to prescribed requirements.

Records. Records of examinations and tests performed by or for the contractor shall be maintained by the contractor and made available to the Government upon request, at any time, or from time to time, during the performance of the contract and for a period of three years after delivery of the supplies to which such records relate.

Inspection. Inspection, as used herein, is defined as both examination (such as visual or auditory investigation without the use of special laboratory appliances or procedures) and testing (determination by technical means and chemical properties) of the item. Sample shoes shall be examined for consumer type defects; holes, cuts, tears, and loose or missing components.

Sampling for examination. Sampling for examination shall be conducted in accordance with MIL-STD-105, with an AQL 2.5 (percent defective) and an inspection level of II. The unit of product for examination purposes shall be one orthopedic shoe.

Contractor certification. The contractor shall certify that the product offered meets the salient characteristics of this description and conforms to the producers' own drawings, specifications, standards, and quality assurance practices. The Government reserves the right to require proof of such conformance prior to first delivery and thereafter as may be otherwise provided for under the provisions of the contract.

Metric products. Products manufactured to metric dimensions will be considered on an equal basis with those manufactured using inch-pound units, providing they fall within the tolerance specified using conversion tables contained in the latest revision of Federal Standard No. 376, and all other requirements of this document are met.

If a product is manufactured to metric dimensions and those dimensions exceed the tolerances specified in the inch/pound units, a request should be made to the contracting officer to determine if the product is acceptable.

The contracting officer has the option of accepting or rejecting the product.

Regulatory requirements.

Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act. If the product covered by this document has been determined by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration to be under its jurisdiction, the offeror/contractor shall comply, and be responsible for compliance by its subcontractors/suppliers, with the requirements of the Federal Food, Drug Cosmetic Act, as amended, and regulations promulgated thereunder. In addition, the offeror/contractor shall comply, and be responsible for compliance by its subcontractors/suppliers, with the requirements of all other applicable Federal State, and local statutes, ordinances, and regulations.

Recovered material. The offeror/contractor is encouraged to use recovered material in accordance with Federal Acquisition Regulation Subpart 23.4 to the maximum extent practical.

Preservation, packaging, packing, labeling, and marking. Unless otherwise specified, preservation, packaging, and packing shall be to a degree of protection to preclude damage to containers and/or contents thereof under normal shipping conditions, handling, etc., involving shipment from the supply source to the receiving activity, plus reshipment from receiving activity, and shall conform to applicable carrier's rules and regulations. Intermediate and exterior package quantities and labeling and marking shall be as specified in the contract and/or order.

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Ordering data. Intermediate/exterior package quantities and labeling and marking must be specified in the contract and/or order.

NOTE: The following National Stock Numbers are covered by this document:

<u>NSN</u>	<u>Item Identification</u>
6532-01-156-3559	SHOE, WALKING CAST, Curved Rocker Sole, Medium Size, 10-7/8 by 5 Inches.
6532-01-156-3560	SHOE, WALKING CAST, Curved Rocker Sole, Large Size, 12-3/8 by 5-1/2 Inches.

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