

**FEDERAL SPECIFICATION**

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This amendment, which forms a part of Federal Specification, UU-L-1644A, dated December 5, 1975, is approved by the Commissioner, Federal Supply Service, General Services Administration, for the use of all Federal agencies.

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After paragraph 2.2, Other publications., add the following:

"Copies of Executive Order 12873, dated October 20, 1993 may be obtained from:

The White House Publications Office  
New Executive Office Building  
White House  
Att: Publications  
Washington, DC. 20500

(202) 395-7332"

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After paragraph 3.2, add the following new paragraphs:

"3.2.2 **Certification.** The contractor shall certify that the minimum content standard shall be no less than 20% post consumer materials in accordance with Executive Order 12873, section 504 (a), dated October 20, 1993 (See definition of post consumer materials and recovered materials in sections 203 and 205). As an alternative to meeting the standards of section 504(b) for all printing and writing papers, the minimum content standard shall be no less than 50% recovered materials that are a waste material byproduct of a finished product other than a paper or textile product which would otherwise be disposed of in a landfill, as determined by the State in which the facility is located, in accordance with Executive Order 12873, section 504 (c), dated October 20, 1993. 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."

"3.2.4 **Bleaching.** To obtain an acceptable brightness, in accordance with the performance standards of this document, a chemical bleaching process may be used. When specified in the ordering data (See Ordering Data), the bleaching process shall not include the use of chlorine, chlorine dioxide, or other chlorine compounds. 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."

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Paragraph 6.2, add the following :

"i. Whether chlorine or chlorine compound bleaching is acceptable."

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