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FOREWORD

The purpose of this standard is to establish minimum requirements for the protective finishing systems of rockets, guided missiles, all support equipment, and related materials.

For convenience in referencing, all procedures, whether they merely clean a surface, deposit a film, or perform some other desirable function, are regarded as "Finishes".

Examples of use of this document are as follow: Assume a part is to be finished with chromated cadmium plate, 0.0003 inch thick. Turning to table III, Metallic Coatings, find the designation for this finish to be code 305. The instructions on the drawing would be: "Code 305 MIL-STD-186." It is unnecessary to mention any preliminary steps such as cleaning, because specification QQ-P-416, Plating, Cadmium (Electro-deposited), referenced in code 305, provides for this.

Assume that an aluminum item is to be finished with semigloss enamel. According to table IV, Organic Finishes, the appropriate code might be code 425. In order to designate the color, the drawing would reference code 425, black 27038, or whichever color might be desired. Assume the preparation for painting to be wash primer, code 401, and the primer to be code 402; therefore, the complete process would require cleaning, code 106 from table I, Cleaning Methods, with the drawing instructions reading: "Finish codes 106/401/402/425, black 27038, in accordance with MIL-STD-186."

If circumstances require that parts of an assembly be primed separately and be given final coats after assembly, the instruction might read:

"Finish Codes: 106/401/402/425, MIL-STD-186, prime before assembly."

Compliance with this standard will promote uniformity in the protective finishing of rockets, guided missiles, all support equipment, and related materials. Compliance with the standard does not relieve the supplier of his responsibility to assure satisfactory operation after storage as specified in his contract.

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