

W6399-20LC64/A Questions and Answers #7

Question #1

Annex B9, Shirt, Hot Weather, Hybrid, please clarify if fusible interlining is needed on collar and front closure facing. There is no mention to apply with fusible interlining on spec. However, patterns and viewing sample both have interlining. If fusible interlining is needed, please advise which layer needs fusible interlining.

Answer #1

The requirement for fusible interlining is as per the paper patterns. If additional fusible interlining is used to facilitate sewing, it must not be visible from the outside of the shirt.

Question #2

Annex B4 Trousers, Cold Weather, please clarify Front Fly slide faster needs water resistant. Para. 3.2 (h) Slide Fasteners (i) Front Fly, spec mentioned it is Non Water Resistant, but para. 3.10- a-ii-b showed it have a two way "water resistant slider fastener". According to our supplier, this Front fly Plastic zipper with PU coating is not available, not workable to put a coating on a plastic zipper, because the coating would only go up to the teeth and not cover the teeth, then making the area where the teeth are not waterproof.

Answer #2

Non water resistant slide fastener is to be used.

Section 3.10- a-ii-b:

Delete: "Have a two-way water resistant slide fastener:

Insert: "Have a two-way slide fastener"

Question #3

According to Q&A #6 was posted on buy & sell yesterday, Answer #1 & #2, the materials of Annex C5 Defender M600SST with Multicam & C11 GL-PD 10-13 A2CU Cloth (Class 10) has been amended to alternative materials. We are requesting fabric supplier 1947 for the alternative information, but we are still awaiting for the information from them. And some of Slide fasteners from YKK, they are not ready yet. In my email previously, we still need more information to clarify, therefore, we should not be able to produce the Pre-Award Samples and submit on time. We would like to request a closing date extension of two weeks which will be July 30, 2020.

Answer #3

Fabric Supplier 1947 has been contacted, and they will have an acceptable alternate material and pricing available next week. A one week extension to the closing date is granted, and this solicitation will close on 23 July, 2020.

Question #4

On spec, para. 3.7 (d) Semi-Bellows Pocket, it requested "constructed from two (2) plies of shell material", but seal sample have one layer of material on semi-bellow pockets. Would you please clarify, it should have one or two layers of material in order that we will follow the update information to make Pre-award sample and costing.

Answer #4

Assuming this is the Hybrid Shirt, a single ply for the pocket is acceptable.

At Annex B9, Section 3.7(d):

Delete: "Constructed from two (2) plies of shell material as follows"

Insert: "Constructed from shell material as follows"

ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN UNCHANGED