



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
AIR FORCE RESEARCH LABORATORY
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October 15, 2008

MEMORANDUM FOR Mr. Chris Howard
Opti-Blast, Inc.
4032 North Jackson Street
Jacksonville, Texas 75766-2079

FROM: AFRL/RXSSR
325 Richard Ray Blvd., Bldg. 165
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SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF OPTI-BLAST, INC., ACRYLIC (TYPE V) MESH SIZE: 20-30 PLASTIC
MEDIA (LOT NUMBER 824A)

1. Our office has the responsibility for maintaining the list of qualified products conforming to MIL-P-85891 under a joint Memorandum of Agreement with all federal organizations. First article testing is performed on a biannual basis according to the procedures described in MIL-P-85891. The latest round of testing was completed in Aug 2008. The authorized PMB media types for MIL-P-85891 in T.O. 1-1-8 will be updated based on the test results submitted to our office.
2. In the interim, this letter is provided to Opti-Blast, Inc., to indicate that its Type V media has passed the MIL-P-85891 first article testing (dated 28 March & 19 May 2008) and is **approved** for use **until Oct 2010**, if not removed earlier for non-conformance. At that time you will be required to supply our office with a new 3rd party, 1st article test report per the newest version of Mil-P-85891. To remain on this listing, manufacturers must **requalify their product every 2 years**, from the date of this letter. Failure to re-qualify will be sufficient cause for removal from T.O. 1-1-8 and /or the Mil-P-85891 qualified product list (QPL), qualified manufacturer list (QML) or the new Qualified Products Database (QPD) system.
3. Our office has forwarded your approval/qualification to the Mil-P-85891QPL by e-mail to Mr. Steve Hooper at the General Services Administration with the same date as your letter.
4. This qualification to Mil-P-85891 is binding upon the manufacturer or suppliers in accordance with Defense Standardization Manual 4120.24-M, and SD-6 document attached in electronic format.

5. Points of contact are Ms. Kimberly Andrews, Air Force Corrosion Prevention and Control Office, AFRL/RXSSR, 478-926-3284 or DSN 468-3284, Fax: 478-926-6619 or William P. Hoogsteden, AFRL/RXSSO, 937-656-4223 or DSN 986-4223.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Franklin L. Dement". The signature is stylized with a large initial "F" and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

FRANLIN L. DEMENT, LtCol, USAF
Chief, Air Force Corrosion Prevention and Control Office

Attachment:

SD-6, Provisions Governing QPL, QML and QPDs, dated 1 Aug 99 (Electronic Format)