



Unique Identifier Must Appear On The Proper U.S. Postal Service Mailing Statement

The contractor must submit this Certification of Conformance with their billing for each jacket or print order under which mailing is performed with the use of official penalty permits imprint. The unique identifier shall be created in accordance with the contract specifications. This certificate is subject to the clause entitled "Certificate of Conformance Terms and Conditions." This certificate must be accompanied with the proper U.S. Postal Service mailing statement when presented to the Postmaster of Post Office Clerk. Failure to submit this certificate will delay payment.

Jacket Program and Print Order No. Title of Material Mailed

Contractor

Requesting Department and Requisition No.

Postal Permit No.

Table with columns: Mailing Unit, Number of Pieces Mailed, Number of Copies Mailed, Postal Service Postmark. Rows include Single Copy, Multiple Copies, Package and/or Containers (14 lbs. or less), Package and/or Containers (over 14 up to 25 lbs.), Containers (over 25 up to 40 lbs.), and Total. Postmark section includes Location of Post Office, Signature of Postmaster/Clerk, Date, and Class of mail presented (1st Inc. Priority, Periodical, Standard).

I hereby certify that, in accordance with the mailing instructions, as requisitioned from the Government Publishing Office. I have made the above mailing and that the supplies mailed were in the quantities and of the quality specified, and that such supplies were in all respects in accordance with the terms and specifications of the Program, Print Order and / or the Jacket as listed above.

Signature of Person Authorized to Sign this Certificate

Date

The penalty for making false statements to the Government is prescribed in 18 USC 1001

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CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMANCE— TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- 1. Payment of any invoice for which a completed certificate of conformance has been submitted shall not be deemed to be final acceptance by the Government.
2. Notwithstanding any provision of the contract to the contrary, the contractor must furnish as evidence of shipment to support payment pursuant to the articles entitled "Payments on Purchase Order" in GPO Contract Terms, a properly executed "Certificate of Conformance" (GPO Form 712) in lieu of any documentation issued by the Postal Service, provided, that the certificate bears the Postal Service postmark, showing the date of mailing and location of the Post Office.
3. The material mailed shall be subject to inspection and acceptance by the Government at the destination(s) within a reasonable time after its receipt, to determine compliance with the specifications and to verify the number of mailing units (envelopes, packages, or containers) received.

- 4. Notwithstanding any provision of the contract to the contrary, acceptance by the Government shall not be conclusive as regard to shortages in the quantity of supplies contained in any mailing unit (envelope, package, or container), and in the event payment has been made by the Government, the Government, at its option may require the contractor to (i) furnish such additional quantities as may be necessary or (ii) reimburse the Government on a pro-rata basis for any shortages discovered.
5. In the event the contractor fails or refuses to furnish such additional quantities as may be required pursuant to 4(i) above, the Government may produce or procure such additional quantities of supplies under such terms and conditions as the Contracting Officer deems appropriate and charge the contractor all costs occasioned the Government thereby.

The rights and remedies of the Government provided in this clause are not exclusive, and do not limit the rights afforded to the Government by any other clause of the contract.

Note: GPO Form 712 "Certificate of Conformance", is available on gpo.gov.