

**UNITED STATES AIR FORCE ACADEMY
LETTER OF EXCEPTION
TO MILITARY SPECIFICATION MIL-C-44130
FLIGHT (GARRISON) CAP, CADET, WOMEN'S
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The following exceptions will apply when MIL-C-44130 is used to manufacture garrison caps to be worn by female cadets at the United States Air Force Academy.

1. Page 1, paragraph 1.2 Classification. Class 2 Officer, *shall be applicable for USAFA contracts.*
2. Page 2, Paragraph 2.1.1 Specifications, Standards and Handbooks. *Disregard, supplement or replace the following military specifications/standards:*

SPECIFICATION	REPLACEMENT	DOCUMENT TITLE
MIL-C-87215	MIL-C-44130C	CAP, GARRISON, WOMAN, AIR FORCE
A-A-50199	A-A-50199A	THREAD, POLYESTER CORE, COTTON OR POLYESTER-COVERED
CCC-C-476H	A-A-59709	CLOTH, BUNTING, NYLON, AND NYLON AND WOOL
DDD-L-20	MIL-DTL-32075	LABEL: FOR CLOTHING. EQUIPAGE AND TENTAGE, (GENERAL USE)
PPP-B-636	ASTM-D1974	BOXES, SHIPPING, FIBERBOARD
MIL-C-823	MIL-DTL-823L	CLOTH, SERGE, WOOL, WOOL AND NYLON, POLYESTER AND WOOL
MIL-B-1667	A-A-55264	BRAID, TEXTILE, CORD-EDGE
MIL-L-35078	DSCP FORM 3507	LOADS, UNIT: PREPARATION OF SEMI-PERISHABLE SUBSISTENCE ITEMS; CLOTHING, PERSONAL EQUIPMENT AND EQUIPAGE; GENERAL SPECIFICATION FOR
FED-STD-191	Inactive	NO S/S DOCUMENT
FED-STD-751	ASTM-D6193	STITCHES, SEAMS, AND STITCHINGS
MIL-STD-105	ANSI-Z1.4	SAMPLING PROCEDURES AND TABLES FOR INSPECTION BY ATTRIBUTES
MIL-STD-147	MIL-STD-147E	PALLETIZED UNIT LOADS
MIL-STD-731	ASTM-D6199	QUALITY OF WOOD MEMBERS FOR CONTAINERS AND PALLETS
MIL-C-3738K	Add	CLOTH, ELASTIQUE, WOOL, TYPE II, 18 OZ, CLASS 1

3. Page 3, Para. 3.1 First Article. *Disregard the entire paragraph and substitute the following:* "Before each production is commenced, the contractor shall submit to the contracting officer, for inspection, the following item: One finished cap, size 21 ½, conforming to the requirements of this specification.

Note: This requirement may be waived if a prior contractor receives the contract for this item.

4. Page 4, paragraph 3.3.1 Basic Material. *Disregard the entire paragraph and substitute with the following:* "The basic material for the cap shall conform to MIL-C-3738K, Cloth, Elastique, Wool, Type II, 18 ounce, Shade 500." This will be government furnished material (GFM).

5. Page 4, paragraph 3.3.4 Braid. *The braid for the cap shall conform to class 6 of A-A-55264.*
6. Page 4, Paragraph 3.4 Identification and size label. *Disregard the entire paragraph and substitute with the following:*

3.4 Identification and size label. "Each cap shall have a cloth, cotton, permanent-coated, combination identification, size and cleaning instruction label conforming to type VI, classes 1, 2, and 10 of specification MIL-DTL-32075. The label will finish not less than 1" long and 2 1/2" wide, and show the following information:

SIZE _____
CADET LAST NAME _____
SSN (Last Four) _____ SQ _____

OR

Applicable data may be stamped in by contractor using indelible ink.

3.4.1 Size/bar-code label. The label shall be approximately 2" x 3". The numbers for the size shall be at least 1/4" in height. The label will also be bar-coded using type 39 bar-code. The Bar-code will consist of the (10LRS/LGRCI) Cadet Issue Section stock number for each size. Label will be attached to the outside of each polyethylene film bag for convenience of wand reading.

7. Page 4, Paragraph 3.5 Design. *Disregard the entire paragraph and substitute with the following:* "The cap shall be for female USAFA cadets, envelope style, fully lined, and with USAF Officer silver and blue braid as depicted in figure 1."
8. Page 7, Operation 1. Cut parts. *Add the following:* "All elastique parts of the cap shall be cut out of one piece of material."
9. Page 18, paragraph 6.1 Intended Use. *Replace the words:* "Department of the Army" with "United States Air Force Academy."

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