

APPENDIX III

**ARMY & AIR FORCE EXCHANGE SERVICE (AAFES)
SPECIFICATIONS FOR
TAGGING
(Updated 21 February 2003)**

1. All merchandise must be pre-ticketed with one gray photocomposed barcode label for items that retail for \$499.00 and less and a white barcode label for items that retail for \$500.00 and greater. This barcode shall be obtained from:

Data2, Inc.
1099 Essex
Richmond, CA 94801
Attn: AAFES Account Representative

Contact: Renee Zermeno

Phone: 510-232-6200
800-227-2121
Fax: 510-235-2176

2. Photocomposed barcode specifications are as follows:

- A. Size 2.5" x 0.45" barbell
- B. Color – gray or white
- C. Format - 40 labels per sheet
- D. Reduction - 52%

3. The supplier shall provide the following information to Data 2, Inc.:

- A. UPC Code - 12 digits
- B. AAFES CRC # - 7 digits
- C. Item Description; up to 26 digits

Example 1: Princess cut diamond solitaire
Example 2: Emerald/diamond pendant

D. Number and minimum total weight of diamonds and/or colored stone description; up to 17 digits

Example 1: 1/.25ct 25/.75ct

This item contains one (1) 0.25-carat center diamond and twenty-five (25) diamonds with a total weight of 0.75 carats. The total weight of the item is 1.00 carat.

Example 2: 25/.25ct

This item contains twenty-five (25) diamonds with a total weight of 0.25 carats.

Synthetic, simulated or imitation gemstones shall be identified as such. An example would be: "SYNTHETIC EMERALD" which would be stated on the tag under item description.

- E. Minimum clarity and color of diamonds in GIA grading terms; up to eight (8) digits
 - Example 1: SI2/G
 - F. Karat and color of gold; up to thirteen (13) digits
 - Example 1: 14kt YG
 - Example 2: 10kt WG
 - G. Minimum pennyweight (DWT) or gram weight (G) of the item; up to twelve (12) digits.
 - Example 1: 1.25 DWT
 - Example 2: 2.5 grams
 - H. AAFES or supplier style number up to twenty (20) digits. AAFES determines which style number is applied to the tag.
 - I. Country of origin; up to five (5) digits
 - J. Supplier's name; up to twenty (20) digits
 - K. AAFES sell price supplied on the purchase order; up to nine (9) digits
4. The supplier shall pay the cost of tagging to Data 2, Inc.