



Army's Forecasted Procurements for Aerial Delivery Equipment Parachute Industry Association Government Systems Meeting

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Forecasted Procurements



Within the next 12/24 months

Nomenclature	NSN
JPADS 2K	1670-01-609-0728
15 Foot Cargo Parachute Release System	1670-01-063-3715
RA-1 Personnel Parachute System	1670-01-606-1897
G-12 Cargo Parachute	1670-01-065-3755
ACPRS	1670-01-065-3755
Modular Airborne Weapons Case	1670-01-618-5645/5844
M1 / M2 Cargo Release	1670-01-097-8816,1670-01-097-8817
A7A Cargo Sling	1670-00-251-1153
Type V Rail 16,28,32 foot	1670-01-162-2369,1670-01-162-2367 ,1670-01-169-9154
Harness Parachutist	1670-01-227-7992



Awarded Since August 2017 PIA Meeting



Description	NSN
Fast Rope, 60'	4020-01-338-3307
Fast Rope, 90'	4020-01-338-3308
Fast Rope, 120'	4020-01-338-3309
Coupling Assembly, 24,16ft	1670-00-434-5782
Type V Rail	1670-01-628-5813



Purchasing Factors



Factors that must be considered prior to initiating a contract:

1. Valid Requirement:

- a. Required to have a valid requirement in place to justify a purchase.
- b. Requirement can be based on an actual requisition or by a forecast from the Program Manager or item manager.
- c. Forecasting is challenging due to spikes in requirements (changes in training environments, emerging conflicts or natural disasters).

2.Funding:

- a. Extremely limited and competitive.
- b. There are only a few sources of funding that can be used for our sustainment contracts (Army Working Capital Funds (AWCF) & Army (OPA).
- c. We do accept Reimbursable and Direct Cite funding from other services to support their requirements for aerial delivery equipment as well.

Note: Both funding and a valid requirement are necessary to obtain a contract.



Qualified Producers List



Qualified Producers List (QPL): For personnel parachute procurements, a qualified vendor must be on the QPL for consideration of that procurement. A qualified manufacturer is one who has met the requirements for qualification and whose Manufacturers Cage Code has been entered on the applicable QPL. QPL status must be in place prior to any award pursuant to a specific item solicitation,

For instructions and Guidelines on how to obtain QPL status, please request a data package from

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The request must contain: The part number, company address, plant address, your intention to be listed on the QPL, the point of contact for the request (including phone and fax numbers, e-mail address as available). Retain a copy of the request.