

Q229 INSPECTION RECORD RETENTION (SSME PROGRAM)

When Seller is contracted to ASQR-01 under this contract, Seller and its Subcontractors shall maintain verifiable objective evidence of all inspections and tests performed, results obtained and dispositions of non-conforming articles. These records shall be identified to associated articles, including heat and lot numbers of materials, unit or lot serialization when applicable.

These records shall be made available to Buyer and/or Government Representatives upon request, and shall be retained in a safe, accessible location for a period of thirty (30) years from prime contract final payment to PWR.

Records held for the required retention period shall not be destroyed without Buyer's written concurrence. Contact Buyer for concurrence.

Seller's records associated with the manufacture of serialized or lot controlled articles will provide for continued traceability of serial numbers or lot number identification through all phases of manufacture, commencing with the raw material and continuing through final acceptance of the end item *.