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DATA ITEM DESCRIPTION - DESCRIPTION DE DONNÉES			
1. TITLE – TITRE		2. IDENTIFICATION NUMBER - NUMÉRO D'IDENTIFICATION	
Project Specifications		DID 15.9.8.1	
3. DESCRIPTION / PURPOSE – DESCRIPTION / OBJET			
The purpose of project specifications is to define requirements for construction project specifications.			
4. APPROVAL DATE DATE D'APPROBATION	5. OFFICE OF PRIMARY INTEREST (OPI) BUREAU DE PREMIERE RESPONSABILITÉ (BPR)	6. GIDEP APPLICABLE D'ÉCHANGE DE DONNÉES PERTINENT	
TBD	NWSO Technical Authority (TA)	N/A	
7. APPLICATION / INTERRELATIONSHIP – APPLICATION / INTERDÉPENDANCE			
Related CDRL 15.9.8.1 and SOW paragraph 15.9.8.1 refer. This DID contains the format and content preparation instructions for preparation and submission of specifications as described in the NWS O&M SOW.			
8. ORIGINATOR - AUTEUR		9. APPLICABLE FORMS - FORMULES PERTINENTES	
NWSO TA		NIL	
10. PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS – INSTRUCTIONS SUR LA PRÉSENTATION DES DONNÉES			
10.1 Prepare specifications for construction projects applying accepted industry best practices, including the use of CCDC Documents, National Master Specification (NMS) Templates or other accepted industry sources as appropriate. Ensure that specifications are free of conflict and ambiguity.			
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10.3 Organize scope sections so that they are limited to describing single units of Work for complex Work. Broad scope sections may be used for less complex Work. Use the NMS 1/3 page format, the NMS 2/3-page format or the Construction Specifications Canada (CSC) full-page format consistently for the entire specification. Start each section on a new right hand page indicating the DND project number, section title, section number, page number, and specification date on each page. The project title, and Contractor's name are not to be indicated.			
10.4 Ensure that code and standard references are up to date and use the current applicable edition of all references quoted.			
10.5 In specifying materials, use generic names for referencing construction materials.			