APPENDIX 3

DEMILITARIZATION CODES TO BE ASSIGNED TO FEDERAL SUPPLY ITEMS AND CODING GUIDANCE

DEMILITARIZATION CODES

CODE	EXPLANATION
A	Non-MLI/*Non-SLI* -- Demilitarization not required.
B	MLI *(Non-SME)*-- Demilitarization not required. ***Trade Security Controls (TSCs) required at disposition.***
C	MLI *(SME)* -- Remove and/or demilitarize installed key point(s), as prescribed in this manual, or lethal parts, components and accessories.
D	MLI *(SME)* -- Total destruction of item and components so as to preclude restoration or repair to a usable condition by melting, cutting, tearing, scratching, crushing, breaking, punching, neutralizing, etc. (As an alternate, burial ***or deep water dumping*** may be used when ***coordinated with by the DoD Demilitarization Program Office.***)
E	MLI *(Non-SME)* -- ***Additional critical items/materiel determined to require demilitarization, either key point or total destruction. Demilitarization instructions to be furnished by the DoD Demilitarization Program Office.***
F	MLI *(SME)* -- Demilitarization instructions to be furnished by the Item/Technical Manager.
G	MLI *(SME)*-- Demilitarization required - AEDA. Demilitarization, and if required, declassification and/or removal of sensitive markings or information, will be accomplished prior to physical transfer to a DRMO. This code will be used for all AEDA items, including those which also require declassification and/or removal of sensitive markings or information.
P	MLI *(SME)* -- Security Classified Item -- Declassification ***and*** any additional demilitarization and removal of any sensitive markings or information will be accomplished prior to accountability or physical transfer to a DRMO. This code will not be assigned to AEDA items.

Q SLI -- Strategic List Item -- Demilitarization not Required. SLI are non-MLI and are controlled by the U.S. Department of Commerce through the Export Administration Regulations (EAR) and indicated on the ***Commerce Control List*** (CCL). Each CCL entry is preceded by a four-digit ***Export Control Classification Number*** (ECCN) and those ECCNs ending in the letter "A" or "B" are defined as Strategic List Items. These items are subject to Import Certification and Delivery Verification (IC/DV) control and other Trade Security Controls.

ASSIGNMENT OF DEMILITARIZATION CODES

TO ITEMS IN THE FEDERAL INVENTORY

A. GENERAL DECISION PROCESS FOR ASSIGNMENT OF DEMILITARIZATION CODES: The following is a decision processing tool, using question and answer, to assist in the assignment of demilitarization codes to supply items. This tool is not intended to be all inclusive, but rather a general guide to code assignment. While general in nature, most supply system items can be properly coded using this tool. Questions regarding the assignment of demilitarization codes should be forwarded to DRMS, ATTN: DRMS-***MD***, 74 N. Washington Ave., Battle Creek, MI, (DSN)932-7032/7387/***7321.***

1. Is the item commercially available and not been ***specifically designed,*** modified ***or configured*** for military use?

   a. If YES: Does item appear on the Commodity Control List with an ECCN ending in A or B?

      (1) If YES - ASSIGN DEMIL CODE "Q."

      (2) If NO - ASSIGN DEMIL CODE "A."

   b. If NO: Continue to paragraph 2.

2. Is the item on the U.S. Munitions List (USML), Appendix 1, or; is the item a part, repair part, component, subassembly, key point, etc., of an item appearing on the USML or; does the item have an offensive or defensive capability or contribute to that capability?

   a. If YES:

      (1) Is the item classified? If YES - ASSIGN DEMIL CODE "P."
      If NO - Continue to (2) below.

      (2) Does item fit the definition of AEDA?
      If YES - ASSIGN DEMIL CODE "G."
      If NO - Continue to (3) below.

      (3) If item does not meet criteria of 2a and 2b above, continue to paragraph 3.

   b. If NO: Return to paragraph 1 above or call DRMS for additional assistance.

3. Is the item mentioned in the corresponding **category** of Appendix 4, this manual?

   a. If YES: Review ***paragraphs a, b, and c, of the corresponding category and determine if item(s) are listed.***

(1) If item requires DEMIL by other than DRMO personnel as outlined in Chapter II or because of the nature of the property or because of other service directive- ASSIGN DEMIL CODE "F" and prepare specific instructions for DEMIL accomplishment.

(2) If item ***is listed in Appendix IV, paragraph A or as a key point in paragraph B.*** - ASSIGN DEMIL CODE "D."

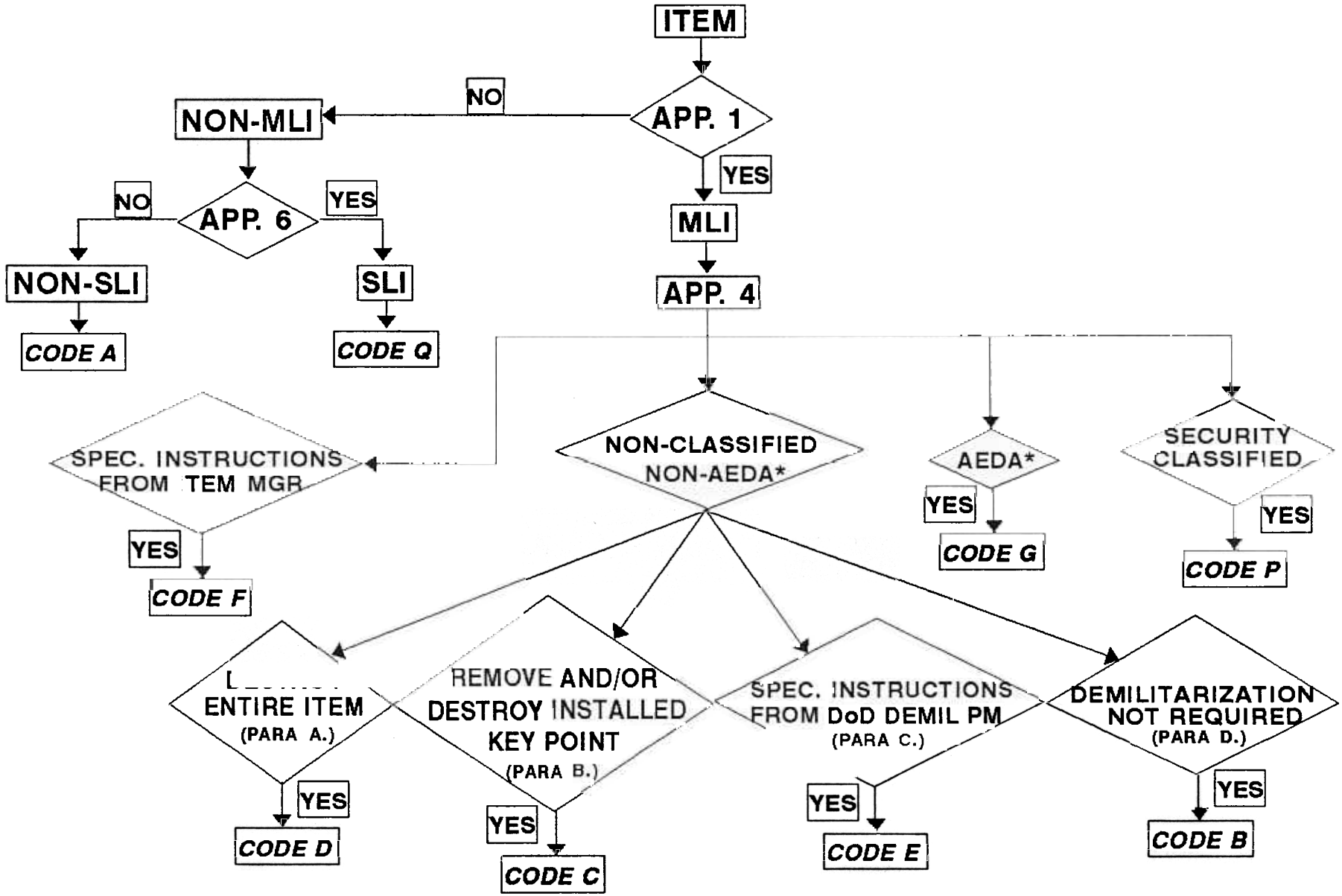
(3) If the item ***is listed in Appendix IV, paragraph B*** - ASSIGN DEMIL CODE "C".

(4) ***If the item is listed in Appendix IV, paragraph C - ASSIGN DEMIL CODE "E."***

b. If NO: ***ASSIGN DEMIL CODE B.***

B. DEMILITARIZATION CODE ASSIGNMENT FLOW CHART. See following page.

DECISION TABLE FOR ASSIGNING DEMILITARIZATION CODES



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