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Subject: Department of the Navy Item Unique Identification (IUID) Marking Guide:
Applying Data Matrix Identification Symbols to Legacy Parts

- References:
- (a) DoD Instruction 8320.04, Item Unique Identification (IUID) Standards for Tangible Personal Property
 - (b) DFARS 211.274, Item Identification and Valuation Requirements
 - (c) DoD Instruction 4151.19, Serialized Item Management (SIM) for Material Maintenance
 - (d) SECNAV Instruction 4440.34, Implementation of Item Unique Identification within the Department of the Navy

In support of References (a-d), the Department of the Navy (DON) Item Unique Identification (IUID) Marking Guide is issued to provide technical information for applying IUID data matrix symbols to legacy items owned by the DON. This guide will assist requirements activities and technical authorities in supporting the marking process for items qualifying for IUID. The DON Marking Guide does not establish or impose any requirement that is not otherwise found in existing regulations and policy.

The DON IUID Marking Guide is available at the DON IUID website, at https://acquisition.navy.mil/iuid_don_marking_manual. Questions related to the guide can be directed to Mindy Rash-Gehres, DASN (ELM) at (703) 614-8000 or email: mindy.rash-gehres@navy.mil.

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