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### 2. Applicability of Commercial Derivative Military Articles (CDMA) to Specialty Metals

When a program office concludes that an item to be delivered under a prime contract is a commercial derivative military article (as defined at DFARS 252.225-7009) and the prime contractor provides the certification required at DFARS 252.225-7010, the contracting officer must prepare a [CDMA D&F](https://usaf.dps.mil/sites/AFCC/KnowledgeCenter/contracting_templates/determination_and_findings_01.pdf) and coordinate the effort through the SCO and [SAF/AQC](mailto:SAF.AQ.SAF-AQC.Workflow@us.af.mil) for submission to the Secretary of the Air Force (SecAF) for approval. This approval authority is not delegable.