

APPENDIX G

ELECTRONIC DATA INTERCHANGE (EDI) OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF THE COMMERCIAL BILL OF LADING (CBL) FOR SUBMISSION

A. GENERAL

The Defense Transportation Electronic Business (DTEB) web site is located at: <http://www.transcom.mil/dteb/>. After obtaining access to the DTEB Home Page go to the left-hand frame, then select DOD Transportation IC for the EDI information previously found in this Appendix.

B. BILLS OF LADING (BL)

The Department of Defense (DOD) is replacing the BL and other commonly used freight payment documents with electronic transfers of information using EDI techniques. References and points of contact are at Attachment G1. The use of electronically exchanged information will alter greatly the BL preparation and distribution procedures at all DOD freight shipping activities. DFAS-IN BL Data Requirements Code lists are at Attachment G3 and Commercial BLs Data Requirements Preparation Format is at Attachment G4.

C. EDI FORMATS

1. The following EDI CBI formats are available on the DTEB website:
 - a. EDI 858R: Freight Bill of Lading Shipment Information.
 - b. EDI 858D: Express Package Bill of Lading.
 - c. EDI 858DA: Commercial Air Transportation Notification (Bills of Lading).
 - d. EDI 8585E: Vendor Shipment Information (Air Freight Bills of Lading).

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