

THE REQUIREMENTS CONTAINED HEREIN SHALL APPLY TO THE SELLER AND ANY SUB-TIER SUPPLIER USED IN FULFILLING THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS PURCHASE ORDER. FOR CASES IN WHICH THIS STANDARD CLAUSE CONFLICTS WITH APPLICABLE MANUFACTURING SPECIFICATIONS, THE MORE STRINGENT SHALL APPLY.

A. PLATE IS A PROHIBITED STARTING MATERIAL FORM FOR FITTINGS.

EXCEPTIONS:

1. PLATE MAY BE USED FOR CAPS AND REDUCERS IF THEY ARE FORMED (EXCLUDING MACHINING) SEAMLESS.
2. BLIND FLANGES, SLIP ON REDUCING FLANGES WITHOUT HUBS, FORMED SEAMLESS REDUCERS (EXCLUDING MACHINING), ORIFICE PLATES AND SPECTACLE FLANGES, ONLY MAY BE MACHINED FROM PLATE.