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IN ADDITION TO THE MARKING SPECIFIED BY THE DRAWING OR SPECIFICATION, MARK EACH PART WITH THE LETTER F BELOW THE DESIGNATED MARKING AREA. IF SPACE DOES NOT PERMIT, THEN MARK ADJACENT TO, BUT SEPARATE FROM, THE PART NUMBER/SERIAL NUMBER MARKING. WHERE IT IS IMPRACTICAL TO APPLY THE F WITH THE SAME MARKING METHOD, CONTACT THE PURCHASER FOR DIRECTION CONCERNING WHAT METHOD TO USE. WHERE THE PART IS TOO SMALL OR FRAGILE, MARK THE CONTAINER WITH THE LETTER F. WHEN THE PART DRAWING/SPECIFICATION REQUIRES INDIVIDUAL PACKAGE MARKING (PART NUMBER, SERIAL NUMBER, ETC.), THE PACKAGE MARKING SHALL ALSO INCLUDE THE THE LETTER F. THE SHIPPING CARTON THAT CONTAINS THESE PARTS SHALL ALSO SHOW THE LETTER F AFTER THE PART NUMBER.

USE OF GEAE APPROVED SPECIAL PROCESS SUPPLIERS IS REQUIRED FOR CLASS F HARDWARE WHEN SSE IS ON THE DRAWING. USE OF GEAE APPROVED SUPPLIERS IS NOT REQUIRED FOR SPECIAL PROCESSES ON NON-SSE PARTS. TECHNICAL PLANS AND/OR APPROVED PROCESS SHEETS AND TECHNICAL PLAN VERIFICATION IS REQUIRED WHEN IMPOSED BY GEAE SPECIFICATION(S) FOR BOTH SSE AND NON-SSE PARTS.