

**STATE OF ALASKA ITB NUMBER 2524H040  
AMENDMENT NUMBER Two (2)**

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**THIS IS NOT AN ORDER**

**DATE AMENDMENT ISSUED: April 9, 2024**

**ITB TITLE: Bulk Sodium Chloride**

**OPENING DATE:** April 12, 2024 at 2:00PM. Alaska Time

**This is not a mandatory return Amendment.**

The purpose of Amendment #2 is to:

- Provide answers to questions received

**Questions and answers**

**Question #1:**

Is sand classified as a contaminant? If not, would you permit a bidder to blend sand with salt, whether intentionally for economic gain or inadvertently during standard handling on a sand bed in the stockpile area, provided they adhere to the 95% purity threshold?

**Answer # 1:**

Yes, sand would be considered a contaminant. Sodium Chloride may be contaminated with other soluble salts but not with insoluble materials like sand. It is an evaporate deposit, not a sediment. See excerpt from the annex below.  
"Typical rock salt and solar salt sometimes contains small amounts of CaCl<sub>2</sub>, MgCl<sub>2</sub>, and KCl, depending on the source of the material."

**End of questions and answers.**

Signature:

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4-9-24

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