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September 4, 2015

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03-2F6004
03-ED-49-15.0
B.O. 07/30/2015

Dear Mr. Singh:

The Department of Transportation (Caltrans) received the attached letter dated August 11, 2015 from Dreambuilder alleging that Quimu Construction, Inc. (Quimu) listed Bayshore Fence to perform bid item number 49 (Wrought Iron Fence), but failed to list a valid Contractor's License number and a Department of Industrial Relations Registration (DIR) number for the above mentioned subcontractor. Dreambuilder requests that Caltrans find Quimu bid nonresponsive for improperly completing the Subcontractor's List form.

Quimu was found nonresponsive for listing California Land Surveying and Bayshore Fence on its Subcontractor's List form without having a valid DIR number, at the time of bid.

Based on the above, Caltrans finds Dreambuilder's protest lacks merit and will award the contract to the lowest responsive bidder, provided that all requirements have been met.

If you have any questions, please contact Mulissa Smith, at (916) 227-6228.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John C. McMILLAN".

for JOHN C. McMILLAN
Deputy Division Chief
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Attachment

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Civil Engineering Construction

Bid Protest Letter

Department of Transportation
Office Engineer MS 43
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Attn: Office Engineer

Date: 08/11/2015

Sub: Bid protest for Caltrans Contract # 03-2F6004
Bid open on 8/5/2015 @ 2:00PM

Reference: Caltrans bid proposal for Contract # 03-2F6004

Dear Sir / Madam,

We bid this project and we were 2nd bidder on this project. We are submitting our formal bid protest for this project as follows.

Lowest bidder Quimu Construction Inc has listed subcontractor Bay Shore Fence to perform item # 49.

1. Listed subcontractor's Contractor Lic is not valid or correct license listed on Subcontractor List.
2. Listed Subcontractor's DIR # is not valid. They are not registered with DIR at time of bid.

As per special provision of this contract, this requirement must need to meet to be a responsive bid.

As per "Subcontractor list" section 2-1.10. This is required for non- Federal-aid contract and this is non federal project.

2-1.10 SUBCONTRACTOR LIST

On the Subcontractor List form, list each subcontractor to perform work in an amount in excess of 1/2 of 1 percent of the total bid or \$10,000, whichever is greater (Pub Cont Code § 4100 et seq.).

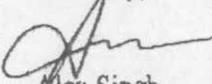
For each subcontractor listed, the Subcontractor List form must show:

- 1. Business name and the location of its place of business.**
- 2. California contractor license number for a non-federal-aid contract.**
- 3. Public works contractor registration number**

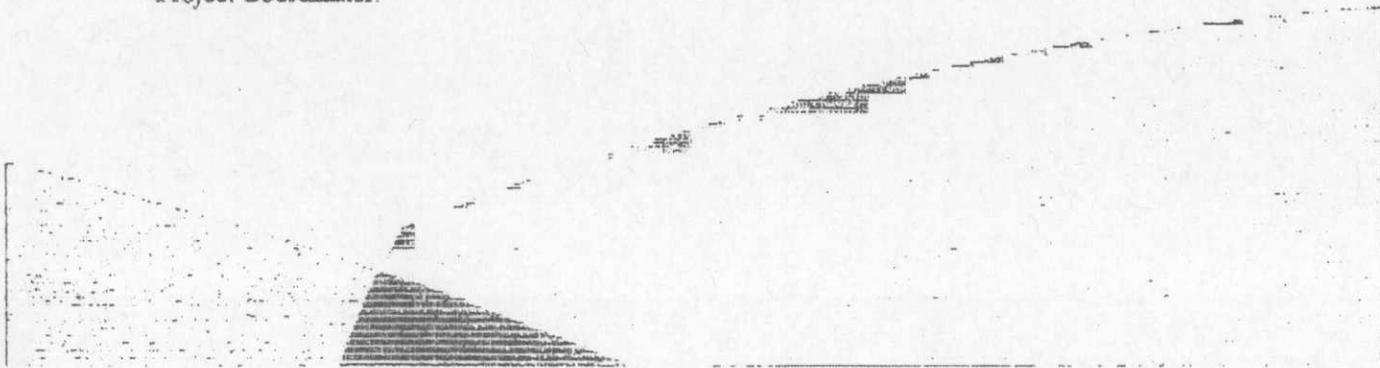
Since Lowest bid contractor Quimu Construction Inc has not meet this requirement, hence we are requesting to declare their bid non responsive bid.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Alex Singh
Project Coordinator.





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Department of Industrial Relations (DIR)

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Enter at least one search criteria to display active registered public works contractor(s) matching your selections.

Registration Year:

Registration Number:

Contractor Legal Name: [Contractor License Lookup](#)

License Number:

County:

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