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Dear Mr. Skajem:

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Based on the above, this protest will have no bearing on the award of this contract.

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

Sincerely,

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JOHN C. McMILLAN  
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