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October 20, 2014

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Grover Lee, Vice President  
F.D. Thomas  
217 Bateman Drive  
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07-275704  
07-LA-103-0.1  
B.O. 10/9/14

Dear Mr. Lee:

The Department of Transportation (Caltrans) received a bid submitted by F.D. Thomas (F.D. Thomas) for Contract No. 07-275704 on October 9, 2014. By this letter, Caltrans notifies F.D. Thomas that its bid is nonresponsive since F.D. Thomas did not comply with Contract Special Provisions, Section 2-1.12B (2) of the 2010 Standard Specifications which states in part:

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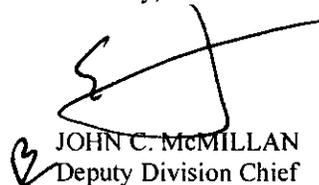
F.D. Thomas submitted an incomplete DBE Commitment form and failed to submit written confirmation from each DBE shown on DBE Commitment form by 4:00 p.m. on the 4th business day after bid opening.

Based on the above, Caltrans will proceed to award this contract to the lowest responsible bidder, provided that all requirements have been met.

Your attention is directed to Section 3-1.04 of the 2010 Standard Specifications. Caltrans is not obligated to offer an extension of the award period for a nonresponsive bid. Should you wish to extend your bid while resolving a nonresponsive finding, you must send your request to the Office Engineer no later than 4:00 p.m., two business days prior to the expiration of your bid.

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

Sincerely,

  
JOHN C. McMILLAN  
Deputy Division Chief  
Office Engineer  
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