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04-SF-80-13.4, 13.8
SAS T1 & E2 Foundations
SFOBB-ESSSP

Letter No. 05.003.01-002955

Subject: Response to KFM Letter No. 214 (CCO #39 – Welder Trainee Plan)

Dear Lee,

Fabrication at Trans Bay Steel (TBS) has been carried as an open discussion item in the Agenda for the Weekly Meeting held between Kiewit-FCI-Manson (KFM) and the Department. KFM has indicated that this item is held open with respect to additional costs associated with work performed at TBS dating to December 6, 2005.

The Department notes that fabrication work on permanent steel casings and steel piling at TBS for Piers T1 and E2, respectively, was completed by December 14, 2006, and that the last permanent steel casing for Pier T1 was shipped from the TBS facility on December 18, 2006. No contract item work was performed at the TBS facility subsequent to December 18, 2006.

Attention is directed to the Department's Letter No. 2147 dated October 4, 2006, in which KFM was reminded of the requirements of Section 9-1.04, "Notice of Potential Claim," of the amended Standard Specifications, pertaining to timely notice of disputes arising under the contract. The Department has not received an Initial Notice of Potential Claim for any dispute related to contract work performed at TBS, which has been completed for a period of 85 days.

The Department notified KFM during the Weekly Meeting on January 2, 2007, that CCO No. 39 would not be issued. Per the conversation between KFM and the Department on March 8, 2007, the Department considers the discussion item pertaining to TBS that appears in the Agenda of the Weekly Meeting to be closed with no further discussion warranted for work performed under the contract at TBS.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Mark Vilcheck at (510) 286-0526.

Sincerely,

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