

STATE OF CALIFORNIA - DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
INITIAL NOTICE OF POTENTIAL CLAIM
CESM-021A (REV 02/02)



TO <i>Pedro Sanchez</i> <small>(Contractor's engineer)</small>	CONTRACT NUMBER <i>0A0120E4</i>	DATE <i>12-10-04</i>	IDENTIFICATION NUMBER <i>X23</i>
<small>This is an Initial Notice of Potential Claim for additional compensation submitted as required under the provisions of Section 9-1.04, "Notice of Potential Claim," of the Standard Specifications. The act of the engineer, or his/her failure to act, or the event, thing, occurrence, or other cause giving rise to the potential claim covered are:</small>			
			DATE <i>12-10-04</i>

Melo Sanchez

Based upon conversations OIW and Caltrans has had to date, OIW is filing a potential claim for the UT examination of PJP welds.

Caltrans position as stated during these conversations, that all required information are provided in the contract documents is in dispute.

OIW's position is that no information is provided in contract documents to comply with the requirements to develop and rely on such a procedure. The contract refers to AWS D1.5 for criteria, however D1.5 does not address the UT of PJP welds for depth or quality.

The undersigned originator (Contractor or Subcontractor as appropriate) certifies that the above statements and attached documents were made in full cognizance of the California False Claims Act, Government Code sections 12068-12098. The undersigned further understands and agrees that this potential claim to be further considered, unless resolved, must fully conform to the requirements in Section 9-1.04 of the Standard Specifications and must be recorded as a claim in the Contractor's written statement of claims in conformance with Section 9-1.07B of the Standard Specifications.

Oregon Iron Work, INC
SUBCONTRACTOR or CONTRACTOR
(Circle One)
Walt [Signature]
(Authorized Representative)

For a subcontractor potential claim

This notice of potential claim is acknowledged, certified and forwarded by

Kiewit-FCI-Manson ASV
PRIME CONTRACTOR

Cyrus H. Affernum Jr
(Authorized Representative)

Christopher J. Villa

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