

**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

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Contract #: 04-0120F4Cty: SF/ALA Rte: 80 PM: 13.2/13.9File #: 69.15**SOURCE INSPECTION REPORT****Resident Engineer:** Siegenthaler, Peter**Address:** 333 Burma Road**City:** Oakland, CA 94607**Report No:** SIR-003161**Date Inspected:** 01-Apr-2011**Project Name:** SAS Superstructure**OSM Arrival Time:** 1030**Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV**OSM Departure Time:** 1900**Contractor:** Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Changxing Dao, Shanghai**Quality Control Contact:** Don Walton**Quality Control Present:** Yes No**Material transfer:** Yes No N/A**Sampled Items:** Yes No N/A**Stock Transfer:** Yes No N/A**OK to Cut:** Yes No N/A**Rebar Test Witness:** Yes No N/A**Delayed/Cancelled:** Yes No N/A**Other:** Coatings Inspection**Bridge No:** 34-0006**Component:** Sub-Assemblies (OBG).**Bid Item:** 77,78,79**Lot No:****Summary of Items Observed:**

On this date Caltrans Office of Structural Materials (OSM) Quality Assurance (QA) NACE III coating inspector, Mr. Kenneth W. Cason Jr. arrived on site at the Zhenhua Port Machinery Company (ZPMC) facility at Changxing Island in Shanghai, China. The purpose of the coating inspections is to monitor the surface preparation and coating applications for the SAS Bay Bridge project. This QA NACE III coating inspector observed the following:

**Sub-Assemblies (OBG)**

Maintenance Traveler Rails 20TR2-36, 20TR2-37, 20TR2-38 and 20TR2-44, NOI Number 6078: In accordance with project specifications, ABF and ZPMC Quality Assurance/Control representatives observed the surface condition on Maintenance Traveler Rails 20TR2-36, 20TR2-37, 20TR2-38 and 20TR2-44 in preparation for blasting operations. No discrepancies noted and ABF Quality Assurance personnel instructed ZPMC to proceed with process to the next check point.

Anchor Bearing Blocks (36 Each), NOI Number 6079: In preparation for undercoat installation and in accordance with project specifications, this inspector along with ABF and ZPMC Quality Assurance/Control representatives observed the surface preparation on Anchor Bearing Blocks (36 Each). No discrepancies noted and ABF Quality Assurance personnel instructed ZPMC to proceed with process to the next check point.

Drainage Flumes (44 Each), NOI Number 6080: In preparation for finish coat Interfine 979 Polysiloxane installation and in accordance with project specifications and SSPC-SP 1, this inspector along with ABF and ZPMC Quality Assurance/Control representatives observed the surface preparation on Drainage Flumes (44 Each).

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ABF Quality Assurance personnel instructed ZPMC to re-submit for inspection due to uncured undercoat on surface.

Splices (146 Each), NOI Number 6080: In accordance with project specifications ABF and ZPMC Quality Assurance/Control representatives observed the surface condition on Splices (146 Each) for dry film thickness (DFT) compliance. ABF Quality Assurance personnel instructed ZPMC to re-work and re-submit for inspection prior to proceeding with process to the next check point due to high DFT readings.

L-Splices (106 Each) and Channels (14 Each), NOI Number 6081: In accordance with project specifications ABF and ZPMC Quality Assurance/Control representatives observed the surface condition on L-Splices (106 Each) and Channels (14 Each) for dry film thickness (DFT) compliance. ABF Quality Assurance personnel instructed ZPMC to re-work and re-submit for inspection prior to proceeding with process to the next check point due to high DFT readings.

Maintenance Traveler Rails 20TR2-36, 20TR2-37, 20TR2-38 and 20TR2-44, NOI Number 6082: In preparation for undercoat installation and in accordance with project specifications, this inspector along with ABF and ZPMC Quality Assurance/Control representatives observed the surface preparation on Maintenance Traveler Rails 20TR2-36, 20TR2-37, 20TR2-38 and 20TR2-44. Test results recorded x3 surface profile readings of 75 to 82  $\mu\text{m}$  and x1 soluble salts reading of 12.1 ( $\mu\text{s/cm}$ ). ABF Quality Assurance personnel instructed ZPMC to re-work and re-submit for inspection due to additional required grinding and blasting.

Maintenance Traveler Rails 20TR2-36, 20TR2-37, 20TR2-38 and 20TR2-44, NOI Number 6083: In preparation for undercoat installation and in accordance with project specifications, this inspector along with ABF and ZPMC Quality Assurance/Control representatives observed the surface preparation on Maintenance Traveler Rails 20TR2-36, 20TR2-37, 20TR2-38 and 20TR2-44. No discrepancies noted and ABF Quality Assurance personnel instructed ZPMC to proceed with process to the next check point.

Splices (146 Each), NOI Number 6084: In accordance with project specifications ABF and ZPMC Quality Assurance/Control representatives observed the surface condition on Splices (146 Each) for dry film thickness (DFT) compliance. ABF Quality Assurance personnel instructed ZPMC to re-work and re-submit for inspection prior to proceeding with process to the next check point due to high DFT readings.

L-Splices (60 Each), NOI Number 6085: In accordance with project specifications ABF and ZPMC Quality Assurance/Control representatives observed the surface condition on L-Splices (60 Each) for dry film thickness (DFT) compliance. No discrepancies noted and ABF Quality Assurance personnel instructed ZPMC to proceed with process to the next check point.

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This Quality Assurance Inspector (QA) reviewed, recorded and entered data from notice of inspection requests for the purpose of tracking and compliance to contract documents.

Note: Unless otherwise noted, all work observed on this date appeared to generally comply with applicable contract documents.

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## Summary of Conversations:

### Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact , who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

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<b>Reviewed By:</b>	Miller,Mark	QA Reviewer

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