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Contract #: 04-0120F4Cty: SF/ALA Rte: 80 PM: 13.2/13.9File #: 69.28**WELDING INSPECTION REPORT****Resident Engineer:** Pursell, Gary**Address:** 333 Burma Road**City:** Oakland, CA 94607**Report No:** WIR-000052**Date Inspected:** 23-Jan-2007**Project Name:** SAS Superstructure**OSM Arrival Time:** 800**Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV**OSM Departure Time:** 1730**Contractor:** Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China**CWI Name:** Liu Liu**CWI Present:** Yes No**Inspected CWI report:** Yes No N/A**Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No N/A**Electrode to specification:** Yes No N/A**Weld Procedures Followed:** Yes No N/A**Qualified Welders:** Yes No N/A**Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A**Approved Drawings:** Yes No N/A**Approved WPS:** Yes No N/A**Delayed / Cancelled:** Yes No N/A**Bridge No:** 34-0006**Component:** PQR Test plates**Summary of Items Observed:**

The Caltrans Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector witnessed welding of a Procedure Qualification (PQR) test plate using gas shielded flux cored arc welding (FCAW-G) using Supercored 71H electrode, in the 1G (horizontal) position. The welding was performed per the AWS D1.5, 2002 Section 5.13 requirements. The ZPMC QC inspector Mr. Huang Wei recorded the preheat and interpass temperatures, the average amperage and voltage and the travel speed for all weld passes. The QA inspector noted that the welding appeared to comply with the contract documents. Caltrans lot number B31-021-07 was assigned for tracking purposes.

Summary of Conversations:

At the completion of the welding of the test plate the ZPMC QC inspector Mr. Huang Wei reported that the test plate was found to be acceptable in accordance with the contract documents.

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 Mazen Wahbeh, (818) 292-0659, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

Inspected By: Lanz, Joe

Quality Assurance Inspector

Reviewed By: Wright, Mark

QA Reviewer