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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-012015**Date Inspected:** 13-Feb-2010**Project Name:** SAS Superstructure**OSM Arrival Time:** 700**Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV**OSM Departure Time:** 1900**Contractor:** Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China**CWI Name:** Li Yang**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:** OBG Trial Assembly**Summary of Items Observed:**

On this date Caltrans OSM Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector, S. Manjunath Math was present during the time noted above for observations relative to the work being performed.

This QA Inspector randomly observed the following work in progress:

Orthotropic Box Girder (OBG) Trial Assembly Areas

6AW

This QA Inspector observed ZPMC welding personnel performing repair welding by Flux Cored Arc Welding (FCAW) for weld connecting Edge Panel vertical T-Stiffeners which were removed from location due to misaligned drilling during fabrication between Edge Panel T-Rib to Deck Panel I-Rib Cross Beam side. The welding was in progress against the B-WR9848 Rev.0. The welder is identified as 066673. In process FCAW appears to be progressing in compliance with Caltrans Engineer Approved welding procedure i.e., WPS-345-FCAW-3G (3F)-FCM-Repair-1. It was observed that the parameters noted down by ZPMC QC are in compliance with WPS.

7BW to 7CW

This QA Inspector observed ZPMC welding personnel performing repair welding by Submerged Arc Welding (SAW) for Transverse Splice Joint at Deck Panel. The weld joint was identified as OBW7-008. The welder is

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identified as 045270. In process SAW appears to be progressing in compliance with Caltrans Engineer Approved welding procedure i.e., WPS-B-T-223(2) T-2. It was observed that the parameters noted down by ZPMC QC are in compliance with WPS.

7BW to 7CW

This QA Inspector observed ZPMC welding personnel performing repair welding by Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) for Corner Assembly. The weld joint was identified as CA037-002. The welder is identified as 068917 and 069683. In process SMAW appears to be progressing in compliance with Caltrans Engineer Approved welding procedure i.e., WPS-B-P-2214-Tc-U4b-FCM-1. It was observed that the parameters noted down by ZPMC QC are in compliance with WPS.

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

**Summary of Conversations:**

No relevant 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 Eric T Sang 1500-0042-2372, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

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<b>Inspected By:</b>	Math,Manjunath	Quality Assurance Inspector
<b>Reviewed By:</b>	Miller,Mark	QA Reviewer

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