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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-011789**Date Inspected:** 05-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:** Wu Zhi Cheng**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:** Trial Assembly**Summary of Items Observed:**

On this day Caltrans OSM Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector Christopher D'souza was present during the times noted above for observations relative to the fabrication of the SAS Superstructure being performed by Zhen Hua Port Machinery Company (ZPMC) at Chang Xing Island in Shanghai, China. QA Inspector observed and/or found the following:

Trial Assembly

ABF Inspection Request 02042010-1

This QA Inspector Witnessed ABF personal performing Magnetic particle Testing (MT) on CA020-002, 004, 006

No Indications were observed during MT

This QA Inspector performed Ultrasonic Testing (UT) on approximately 10% of OBG components previously accepted by ZPMC ultrasonic technicians in accordance with AWS D1.5-2002, section 6, table 6.3 and Detection of Transverse Planar Discontinuities with Significant Flaw Height Dimension Procedure. The QA Inspector observed rejectable indications at the time of testing. Weld identification numbers were

CA020-002, 004, 006

This QA Inspector performed conventional UT (Ultrasonic Testing) in conjunction with ABF UT department for

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detection of planar transverse indication.

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CA030-002, 004, 006

ABF Inspection Request 02032010-1

This QA Inspector performed Ultrasonic Testing (UT) on approximately 10% of OBG components previously accepted by ZPMC ultrasonic technicians in accordance with AWS D1.5-2002, section 6, table 6.3 and Detection of Transverse Planar Discontinuities with Significant Flaw Height Dimension Procedure. The QA Inspector observed rejectable indications at the time of testing. Weld identification numbers were

CA030-002, 004, 006

See Caltrans Ultrasonic Transverse Indication Evaluation sheet dated February 5th, 2010 for further information on inspection.

This QA Inspector observed Shield Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) repair welding was performed on CA028-002, 004, 006. Repairs were being performed on locations rejected by Ultrasonic testing (UT). ZPMC QC is identified as Xu Tao was monitoring these repairs and had the following documents available for review.

CWR 1137 R1

UT-6E-020R1

The welding variables monitored and recorded by the QC appeared to comply with WPS-345-SMAW-2G (2F)-Repair-1.

Welders are identified as 049339, 048047, 058087 and 216086

Unless otherwise noted, all work observed on this date appeared to be in general compliance with the applicable contract documents.

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## 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 Tsang 15000422372, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

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**Inspected By:** Dsouza,Christopher

Quality Assurance Inspector

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**Reviewed By:** Carreon,Albert

QA Reviewer