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Contract #: 04-0120F4Cty: SF/ALA Rte: 80 PM: 13.2/13.9File #: 69.28**WELDING INSPECTION REPORT****Resident Engineer:** Siegenthaler, Peter**Address:** 333 Burma Road**City:** Oakland, CA 94607**Report No:** WIR-022458**Date Inspected:** 03-Apr-2011**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:** Gang Wei**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**Summary of Items Observed:**

On this day CALTRANS OSM Quality Assurance(QA) Inspector Mr. Shrikant Utekar was present during the times noted above for observations relative to the fabrication of the SAS Superstructure being performed by Zhenhua Port Machinery Company (ZPMC) at Changxing Island in Shanghai, China. The QA Inspector observed and/or found the following:

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**ULTRASONIC TESTING**

ZPMC NWIT No: 08720

This QA Inspector performed Ultrasonic Testing (UT) of approximately 10% of the length previously tested and accepted by ZPMC Quality Control personnel. This QA Inspector generated an (UT) report on this date. The members are identified as OBG 13BE. The weld designations are as follows:

SEG3009F-001, SEG3009G-001

SEG3009H-001, SEG3009J-001

This QA Inspector randomly observed the following work in progress.

OBG 14EAST

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### SHIELDED METAL ARC WELDING PROCESS.

This Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector observed ZPMC qualified welder 067571 performing the Shielded Metal Arc Welding process on weld 067 located at PCMK SEG3019BB. ZPMC QC Mr. Zhu Yuan Yuan was monitoring this welding operation. The welding variables recorded by QC appeared to comply with WPS-B-P-2214-Tc-u4b-Fcm-1.

This Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector observed ZPMC qualified welders 058102 and 044772 performing the Shielded Metal Arc Welding process on weld 001 located at PCMK SEG3019U. ZPMC QC Mr. Zhu Yuan Yuan was monitoring this welding operation. The welding variables recorded by QC appeared to comply with WPS-B-P-2214-Tc-u4b-Fcm-1.

This Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector observed ZPMC qualified welder 037723 performing the Shielded Metal Arc Welding process on weld 008 located at PCMK SEG3019B. ZPMC QC Mr. Zhu Yuan Yuan was monitoring this welding operation. The welding variables recorded by QC appeared to comply with WPS-B-P-2214-Tc-u4b-Fcm-1.

This Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector observed ZPMC qualified welder 068764 performing the Shielded Metal Arc Welding process on weld 008 located at PCMK SEG3019C. ZPMC QC Mr. Zhu Yuan Yuan was monitoring this welding operation. The welding variables recorded by QC appeared to comply with WPS-B-P-2214-Tc-u4b-Fcm-1.

This Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector observed ZPMC qualified welder 066418 performing the Shielded Metal Arc Welding process on weld 001 located at PCMK SEG3019B. ZPMC QC Mr. Zhu Yuan Yuan was monitoring this welding operation. The welding variables recorded by QC appeared to comply with WPS-B-P-2214-Tc-u4b-Fcm-1.

### WELD REPAIR

This Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector observed ZPMC qualified welder 044779 performing the Shielded Metal Arc Welding process on weld 035 located at PCMK SEG3019AG. ZPMC QC Mr. Zhu Yuan Yuan was monitoring this welding operation. The welding variables recorded by QC appeared to comply with WPS-345-SMAW-3G (3F)-Fcm-Repair-1. Weld repair report identified as B-WR20469.

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

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## Summary of Conversations:

No significant conversations were reported on this date.

## 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, +(86) 1500 042 2372, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

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| <b>Reviewed By:</b>  | Patterson,Rodney | QA Reviewer                 |

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