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02-4E8114  
02-Plu,Sis,Tri-5, 3 ,70-VAR  
B.O. 08/27/14

Dear Mr. Taylor:

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Based on the above, Caltrans will proceed to award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder, provided that all requirements are met.

Your attention is directed to Section 3-1.04 of the 2010 Standard Specifications. Caltrans is not obligated to offer an extension of the award period for a nonresponsive bid. Should you wish to extend your bid while resolving a nonresponsive finding, you must send your request to the Office Engineer no later than 4:00 pm, two business days prior to the expiration of your bid.

If you have any questions, please contact Mulissa Smith, Contract Awards Branch Chief, at (916) 227-6228.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John C. McMILLAN".

JOHN C. McMILLAN  
Deputy Division Chief  
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