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05-1C9404
05-Mon-1-11.7/43.1
B.O. 03/12/2015

Dear Mr. Lee:

The Department of Transportation (Caltrans) received the attached letter dated April 10, 2015, from F. D. Thomas, Inc. (F.D. Thomas), protesting bid documents submitted by Peterson-Chase General Engineering Construction, Inc. (Peterson-Chase) for Contract 05-1C9404 on March 12, 2015. The protest alleges that Peterson-Chase listed Mallard Construction, Inc. to perform 13% of work described as Traffic Control System (bid item 3) but failed to list a subcontractor to perform the remaining 87% of the required Traffic Control. F.D. Thomas claims Peterson-Chase does not appear to have the required C-31 Construction Zone Traffic Control license to perform its own Traffic Control. F.D. Thomas requests that Caltrans find Peterson-Chase nonresponsive and award the contract to F.D. Thomas.

Caltrans has conducted a review of the bid documents submitted by Peterson-Chase and has determined that Peterson-Chase does hold the required Class A License as called for in the Notice to Bidders Specifications. Therefore, Caltrans finds F.D. Thomas' protest does not have merit and will proceed to award the contract to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, provided all requirements are met.

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

Sincerely,

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

for
JOHN C. McMILLAN
Deputy Division Chief
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