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September 24, 2014

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11-080174
11-SD-76-R7.3/12.0
B.O. 09/11/2014

Dear Mr. Cowan:

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Marina failed to submit the DBE commitment form and written confirmation by 4:00 pm on the 4th business day after bid opening.

Based on the above, Caltrans will proceed to award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder.

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", written over a horizontal line.

Rz JOHN C. McMILLAN
Deputy Division Chief
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