



Illinois Department of Transportation

2300 South Dirksen Parkway / Springfield, Illinois / 62764

November 8, 2005

SUBJECT:

Project SBIL-9805(002)
Section 99-00013-00-HP (Grafton)
Jersey County
Contract No. 97262
Item 74
November 18, 2005 Letting
Addendum (A)

TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS:

Due to clarify information necessary to revise the following:

Proposal – Revised “Product Substitutions”, page 13 of Special Provisions

Prime contractors must utilize the enclosed material when preparing their bid and must include any Schedule of Prices changes in their bidding proposal. Bidders using computer-generated bids are cautioned to reflect any and all Schedule of Prices changes, if involved, into their computer programs.

Since the proposal sheets are displayed back to back, bidders are cautioned to exercise care when inserting revised and/or added special provisions into their proposals.

Please call 217-782-7806 if any of the above-described material is not included in this transmittal.

Very truly yours,

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Engineer of Design and Environment

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By: Ted B. Walschleger
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SECTION 01631

PRODUCT SUBSTITUTIONS

CONDITIONS OF THE CONTRACT AND DIVISION 1, as applicable, apply to this Section.

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- Revised
11-8-05*
- A. This Section specifies administrative and procedural requirements for handling requests for substitutions before award of the Contract.

1.2 SUBSTITUTIONS OF MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT

- Revised
11-8-05*
- A. The materials, products and equipment described in the Bid Documents establish a standard of required function, dimension, appearance and quality to be met by any proposed substitution. The materials and equipment named in, and the procedures covered by these specifications have been selected as a standard because of quality, particular suitability or record of satisfactory performance. It is not intended to preclude the use of equal or better materials or equipment provided that same meets the requirements of the particular project.

- Revised
11-8-05*
- B. Substitution of materials, products and equipment will be considered by the Architect/Engineer based on the submittal of shop drawings and material submittals after award of the project.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

Not Used

PART 3 - EXECUTION

Not Used

END OF SECTION