



December 19, 2023

RESPONSE LETTER NO. 6 FOR CLARIFICATION

Project Title: **South Dade Transit Operations Center (SD TOC)**
Project No.: **CIP227A-DTPW22-CT**

Email from Mr. Sebastian De La Fuente Bornand, from OHLA; on December 18, 2023, at 11:52 AM (Email Attached).

QUESTION No.1: Per addendum No. 7 from December 1st of this year, we notice that the modification of the schedule of values (Document CIP227A-DTPW22-CT-Schedule of Values (Track Changes)) page 8 of 13 was modified incorrectly since the No applicable is the item "Special Construction" in lieu of "Fire Suppression," please advise how to proceed in this case.

ANSWER No.1: With respect to the comment regarding the Schedule of Values (page 8 of 13), you are correct. Please note the following clarification:

- For Bid Item 13 – Special Construction, write the following description "Not Applicable"
- For Bid Item 15 – Fire Suppression, cross-out the description "Not Applicable" and write the proposed total.

QUESTION No.1: We kindly request clarifying the following. According to Sub Article 8.F. in Volume I of the Standard Construction General Conditions, Liquidated Damages apply daily to each milestone. Does this mean that simultaneous delays in two milestones could result in double liquidated damages?" or is it capped to the total amount daily?

ANSWER No.1: The amount for Liquidated damages is capped at the total amount daily.

Email from Mr. Fabio Stöckeler, from Columbus McKinnon Engineered Products GmbH on December 18, 2023, at 10:44 AM (Email Attached).

QUESTION No.1: We got three requests from GC's for the Miami Bus Depot. Is it not possible to apply for a waiver for buy America clause?

ANSWER No.1: To the extent that the "retractable roof maintenance catwalk" component of the work cannot comply with the Buy American clause, the County will consider

waiving this particular component in awarding the construction contract to the responsive and responsible bidder.

END OF REQUEST FOR INFORMATION No. 6 FOR CLARIFICATION

Sincerely,



Alfredo E. Muñoz, P.E.
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Department of Transportation and Public Works (DTPW)

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Fernandez, Katherine (DTPW)

From: Sebastian De la Fuente <Sebastian.DeLaFuente@ohla-usa.com>
Sent: Monday, December 18, 2023 11:52 AM
To: Muñoz, Alfredo (DTPW)
Cc: Fernandez, Katherine (DTPW); Movilla, Marco (DTPW); Clerk of the Board (COC); Mark Hickein; Frank Chang; Carbonell, Patricia (DTPW)
Subject: CIP227A-DTPW22-CT - Construction Services for the South Dade Transit Operations Center (SD TOC) - OHLA Question - Bid Submittal

EMAIL RECEIVED FROM EXTERNAL SOURCE

Good morning, Mr. Muñoz,

I hope all is well with you. Per addendum No. 7 from December 1st of this year, we notice that the modification of the schedule of values (Document CIP227A-DTPW22-CT-Schedule of Values (Track Changes)) page 8 of 13 was modified incorrectly since the No applicable is the item “Special Construction” in lieu of “Fire Suppression,” please advise how to proceed in this case.

Additionally, we kindly request clarifying the following. According to Sub Article 8.F. in Volume I of the Standard Construction General Conditions, Liquidated Damages apply daily to each milestone. Does this mean that simultaneous delays in two milestones could result in double liquidated damages?” or is it capped to the total amount daily?

Thank you, and have an excellent day,

Best Regards,



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Fernandez, Katherine (DTPW)

From: Chavarria, Angel <Angel.Chavarria@wsp.com>
Sent: Tuesday, December 19, 2023 10:12 AM
To: Fernandez, Katherine (DTPW); Clerk of the Board (COC)
Subject: South Dade TOC - Question from Equipment Manufacturer

Importance: High

EMAIL RECEIVED FROM EXTERNAL SOURCE

Hi Katherine,

Please refer to the question below from manufacturer...

From: Stöckeler, Fabio <fabio.stoeckeler@cmco.com>
Sent: Monday, December 18, 2023 10:44 AM
To: Chavarria, Angel <Angel.Chavarria@wsp.com>
Subject: AW: [EXTERNAL] South Dade TOC - Questions

Dear Angel,

we got three requests from GC's for the Miami Bus Depot.

Is it not possible to apply for a waiver for buy America clause?

B. Buy American Requirements: All equipment and materials shall meet the requirements of the Buy American Act as Delineated by Section 2-8.2.6.1, Buy American Iron and Steel Product

It is mentioned in the tender and most likely a no go for us.

Thank you for your quick response.

Fabio

Mit freundlichen Grüßen / Best regards

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