Ohio Department of Transportation Prebid Questions

Project No. 050387 Sale Date - 7/13/2005

Question Submitted: 6/20/2005

The completion date of 9/30/2005 is unreasonable for this project. With a 7/13 bid date there will not even be a signed contract until the middle of August which does not leave sufficient time for shop drawing preparation and department review much less actual wall construction. Also, we have indications from various noisewall suppliers that they can not take on more work which would need to be supplied prior to the middle of 2006. Please consider revising the completion date to 9/30/2006.

Question Submitted: 6/28/2005

Is the completion date correct at 9-30-05? This will not possibly leave time to get a contract, create drawings, and then receive material. All material is special order and cannot be acquired by this time.

Addendum #3 have revised the completion date to 7/31/2006.

Question Submitted: 7/11/2005

PLEASE VERIFY THE NOTE IN THE RIGHT HAND COLUMN OF SHEET 13/18 "PANELS SHALL BE SET FLUSH WITH POST ON THE FREEWAY SIDE". ARE THERE ANY DETAILS AS TO HOW THIS WILL BE ACCOMPLISHED? THANKS.

Please bid as per plan. As per notes in the plans the wall manufacturer that the contractor selects from the preapproved list in the plans must provide the specific construction details. This plan does not have the detail.

Question Submitted: 7/12/2005

DOES THE TIME LIMITATIONS AS SET FORTH IN ADDENDUM 3 OVERRIDE THOSE SET UP ON PLAN SHEET NO. 4. (25 DAYS TO COMPLETE EACH WALL)?

Per CMS 105.04 "order of precedence," addenda over ride the plans.

Question Submitted: 7/6/2005

Addendum No.1 has areas blacked out which we cannot read. I believe these blacked out spaces are meant to be italics. This happened on a job I was bidding at the last letting, which had to be postponed. This condition exists on another job we are working on for the 13 July letting: 050343, Addendum No.2. Please advise, Thank you.

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