The LPA should notify their MDOT District LPA Representative when the Contractor is ready for final inspection. After the final inspection is effected, MDOT will send a maintenance release letter to the LPA. The project engineer is responsible for tracking this action. This letter should be received within 14 days after all punch list items are completed and there are no other reasons for delay of this letter.

William R. "Bill" Minor Northern District Commissioner

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October 15, 2004

Jackson County Port Authority P. O. Box 70 Pascagoula, MS 39568-0070

PROJECT: NHS-0370-00 (19) / 104127

COUNTY: Jackson

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your contract with the Jackson County Port Authority and the Mississippi Department of Transportation for the construction of the captioned project.

An inspection of this project was made on October 13, 2004, by representatives of the Mississippi Department of Transportation, and the Jackson County Port Authority.

It was determined that all work has been satisfactorily completed in reasonable close conformity with the plans and specifications, and it was agreed that the contractor should be relieved of maintenance thereafter, effective October 13, 2004.

Final acceptance is being deferred until all obligations imposed under the contract as well as all necessary remaining measurements and computations essential to the final estimate for final payment have been fulfilled.

Attached is a sample copy of a letter to the contractor releasing him from maintenance on the project. You will note that this does not constitute final acceptance until all test results have been evaluated and approved.

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Secretary to Commission
Contract Administration Engineer
Maintenance Engineer
Planning Engineer
Right of Way Engineer
Director of Intermodal Planning
Financial Management Director
District Engineer (Lee)
Federal Highway Administration
Central File
Construction File
Compton Engineering, P.A.

Sincerely,

MS.DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

BY: William B. Lewis
WILLIAM B. LEWIS, P.E., P.L.S.

APPROVED:

Melinda McGrath

Melinda McGrath, P.E. CHIEF ENGINEER

Larry L. Brown

LARRY L. BROWN, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Attachment

