

MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

SECTION 904 - NOTICE TO BIDDERS NO. 4

CODE: (IS)

DATE: 06/04/2004

SUBJECT: Asbestos National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP)

Relative to the Federal Clean Air Act requirements concerning emission standards for hazardous air pollutants, the Contractor is reminded of the asbestos National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP), 40 CFR Part 61.

The Mississippi Department of Transportation has surveyed the buildings on this project for asbestos containing materials, conducted laboratory testing as required and issued asbestos inspection reports intended to identify the absence or presence of asbestos in building components on this project. Copies of the asbestos inspection reports, including those for the buildings to be removed by the Contractor, are on file with the Department.

The Department has properly disposed of all buildings on the project except for those listed in a notice to bidders entitled "Removal of Obstructions". The disposition of the buildings so listed becomes the responsibility of the Contractor

All identified asbestos containing materials have been removed from these buildings by the Department under separate contract.

The Contractor will be advised of the absence or presence of remaining asbestos containing materials in these buildings along with other pertinent information in a notice to bidders entitled, "Status of Right-of-Way, Utility Adjustments and Potentially Contaminated Sites".

The demolition, handling, loading, transporting and disposal of materials from these buildings shall be in accordance with applicable codes, regulations and standards, including but not limited to asbestos NESHAP regulations. Questions or problems concerning applicable regulations should be directed to the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality, Office of Pollution Control, Air Toxics Branch, Jackson, Mississippi.

All applicable codes, regulations and standards have the same force and effect and are made a part of the contract documents by reference as if copied directly into the contract documents, or as if published copies were contained herein.

The successful bidder will be furnished a copy of an asbestos inspection report and a partially completed Mississippi Office of Pollution Control Demolition/Renovation Notification Form for each building to be removed. The Contractor must complete and submit the forms to Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ), Bureau of Pollution Control, Air Toxics Branch,

P.O. Box 10385, Jackson, Mississippi, 39289-0385, Telephone No. (601) 961-5171, from whom blank forms can also be obtained, at least ten (10) working days (where working days are Monday through Friday) prior to commencement of demolition activity. Copies of the completed demolition/renovation notification forms and letters of transmittal shall be furnished the Project Engineer as proof of the required notification to the Office of Pollution Control. The Contractor must have copies of the asbestos inspection reports on site during the asbestos abatement and/or demolition activities.

Copies of any and all other documents required to be furnished by the Contractor or obtained by the Contractor from other agencies in complying with applicable local, State and Federal regulations, including but not limited to asbestos NESHAP regulations, shall also be furnished the Project Engineer.