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September 29, 2011,

Carla Maynard
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Keithville, Louisiana 71047

CERTIFIED MAIL

Dear Ms. Maynard:

Congratulations! In accordance with the Department of Transportation Federal Rules and Regulations (49 CFR, Part 26); the Mississippi UCP Committee has approved Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) status for your firm to be effective immediately. Your firm's name will be added to Mississippi's UCP list of certified DBE firms and will be made available via our website and upon request from Prime Contractors in search of DBEs to meet DBE goals. This DBE Certification remains in effective as long as you continue to meet the requirements of the program and comply with all requests for information.

Your firm's certification description will read as follows:

NAICS Codes: 238990 – All Other Specialty Trade Contractors (Temporary Traffic Control, Highway Signage and Traffic control Devices)

The certifying entity may monitor the operation of your firm from time to time to ensure that it does operate as represented in your application for certification and within the Federal Regulations which govern this program. Upon a determination that your firm is not in compliance, proceedings will commence to remove your firm's eligibility as outlined in 49 CFR Part 26.87.

You must inform the certifying entity's DBE Program in writing of any change in circumstances affecting your company's ability to meet size, disadvantaged status, ownership or control requirements or any material changes in the information provided in your certification application. You must provide written notification within 30 days of the occurrence of the change. If you fail to make timely notification of change, you will be deemed to have failed to cooperate under Section 26.109 (c). If you are an out-of-state firm and loose your certification in your home state, you will be removed from the Mississippi UCP DBE Certification list as well.

The Mississippi UCP certifying entity reserves the right to withdraw this certification if at any time it is determined your certification was knowingly obtained by false, misleading will, or incorrect information. The Mississippi UCP certifying entity also reserves the right to request additional information and/or conduct an on site visit at any time during the certification period to verify any documentation submitted in the application for certification. By accepting certification your firm hereby consents to the examination of its books and documents by the certifying entity's DBE Program.

Sincerely,

Carolyn F. Bell

Civil Rights Director - MDOT

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Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Program

CNIFIED CERTIFICATION CERTIFICATE

This certificate acknowledges that

Acacia Industries, LLC

Work Area (s): 238990 - All Other Specialty Trades Contractors (Temporary Traffic Control, Highway Signage and Traffic Control Devices)

has been certified under the Mississippi unified certification process as a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise

In accordance with 49 CFR Part 26 as published in the Code of Federal Regulations.

Classification:

Date Issued:

September 29, 2011

Expiration Date September 29, 2014

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Mississippi UCP Committee Chairperson

