PICKSANDERSON, INC

Number: 29

Date Issued: 09/13/11

RFI 29

Project: COOLEY LABORATORY RENOVATION

Cost Impact: No Schedule Impact: No

POTENTIAL IMPACTS

Job:

3146 STOFMT COOLEY LAB, PPA# 10-0023

Customer:

TOFMT MSU BOZEMAN

CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT SERV. P.O. BOX 7274 BOZEMAN, MT 59715

Attention:

DONALD J. PLATISHA

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Variable Frequency Drives

Type: MECH

Reference:

Item:

Spec. Section:

Attachments:

Description of Request

QUESTION:

When procuring this project it was decided to break up the mechanical bid package into two seperate bid packages based on wet side and dry side, this was done so the owner would not incure pass through mark-up of subcontractors in the mechanical bid package. The variable frequency drives got split between the two bid packages with the two low bids of their respective bid packages having different variable frequency drive suppliers. We have ABB and Danfoss-Graham variable frequency drives which are both acceptable manufacturers per specification 15180, but specification 15180 calls for all variable frequency drives to be supplied by one manufacturer. Is it agreeable to MSU to have two variable frequency drive manufacturers on this project as MSU currently has both manufacturers around campus?

Respond By:

09/20/11

Ву:

TIM THOLT

Response

MSU has requested that only one manufacturer of the VFD's be provided in the project.

| Signed: Cecilia R. Vaniman | Date: | 15 September, 2011 |
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| Proceed as Indicated: | Date: | |