Local Agency DBE Annual Submittal Form

TO: CALTRANS DISTRICT 3

Mr. Ben Bramer, Chief, DLAE

The amount of the Annual Anticipated DBE Participation Level (AADPL) and methodology are presented herein in accordance with Title 49 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 26, and the State of California, Department of Transportation Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Program Plan.

The County of <u>El Dorado</u> submits our AADPL information. We have established an AADPL of 3% for the Federal Fiscal Year 2008 / 2009, beginning on October 1, 2008 and ending on September 30, 2009.

Methodology

See Attachment A attached.

Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Liaison Officer (DBELO)

Robert S. Slater, 2850 Fairlane Court, Placerville, CA 95667, Phone 530-621-5918, Fax 530-626-0387, bslater@co.el-dorado.ca.us is designated as the DBELO for the coming Federal Fiscal Year.

Prompt Pay

Federal regulation (49 CFR 26.29) requires one of three methods be used in federal-aid contracts to ensure prompt and full payment of any retainage, kept by the prime contractor or subcontractor, to a subcontractor. (Attached hereto as Attachment B is a listing of the three methods with the selected provision designated by a check mark.)

Local Agency Contract Administrator

The County Officer or employee with responsibility for administering this Agreement is Robert S. Slater, Deputy Director, Engineering, Department of Transportation, or successor.

Submitted by:

COUNTY OF ELDORADO

By:_____

Dated:_____

Board of Supervisors "County"

Attest: Cindy Keck Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By:___

Dated:_____

Deputy Clerk

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION Reviewed by Caltrans:

By:_

Dated:_____

Distribution: (1) Original –DLAE (2) Copy-local agency after signing by DLAE

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Attachment B

Prompt Payment of Withheld Funds to Subcontractors

Federal regulation (49 CFR 26.29) requires one of the following three methods be used in federal-aid contracts to ensure prompt and full payment of any retainage kept by the prime contractor or subcontractor to a subcontractor.

Please check the box of the method chosen by the local agency to ensure prompt and full payment of any retainage.

- No retainage will be held by the agency from progress payments due to the prime contractor. Prime contractors and subcontractors are prohibited from holding retainage from subcontractors. Any delay or postponement of payment may take place only for good cause and with the agency's prior written approval. Any violation of these provisions shall subject the violating contractor or subcontractor to the penalties, sanctions, and other remedies specified in Section 7108.5 of the California Business and Professions Code. This requirement shall not be construed to limit or impair any contractual, administrative, or judicial remedies, otherwise available to the contractor or subcontractor in the event of a dispute involving late payment or nonpayment by the contractor, deficient subcontractor performance, and/or noncompliance by a subcontractor. This clause applies to both DBE and non-DBE subcontractors
 - No retainage will be held by the agency from progress payments due the prime contractor. Any retainage kept by the prime contractor or by a subcontractor must be paid in full to the earning subcontractor in 30-days after the subcontractor's work is satisfactorily completed. Any delay or postponement of payment may take place only for good cause and with the agency's prior written approval. Any violation of these provisions shall subject the violating contractor or subcontractor to the penalties, sanctions, and remedies specified in Section 7108.5 of the California Business and Professions Code. This requirement shall not be construed to limit or impair any contractual, administrative, or judicial remedies, otherwise available to the contractor, deficient subcontractor performance, and/or noncompliance by a subcontractor. This clause applies to both DBE and non-DBE subcontractors.

The agency shall hold retainage from the prime contractor and shall make prompt and regular incremental acceptances of portions, as determined by the agency of the contract work and pay retainage to the prime contractor based on these acceptances. The prime contractor or subcontractor shall return all monies withheld in retention from all subcontractors within 30 days after receiving payment for work satisfactorily completed and accepted including incremental acceptances of portions of the contract work by the agency. Any delay or postponement of payment may take place only for good cause and with the agency's prior written approval. Any violation of these provisions shall subject the violating contractor or subcontractor to the penalties, sanctions, and remedies specified in Section 7108.5 of the California Business and Professions Code. This requirement shall not be construed to limit or impair any contractual, administrative, or judicial remedies, otherwise available to the contractor or subcontractor performance, and/or noncompliance by a subcontractor. This clause applies to both DBE and non-DBE subcontractors.

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