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April 22, 2009

Mr. Steven Wald  
Material Testing Services, LLC  
PO Box 634  
Minot, ND 58702-0634

**RE: Notice of Intent to Award a Contract for material testing services at the 2009 Williams County Rd 9 Phase 4 abandoned mine land site in Williams County**

Dear Mr. Wald:

The North Dakota Public Service Commission, by motion April 22, 2009, authorized issuance of the enclosed Intent to Award a contract in the amount of \$52,150.00 for material testing services at the Williams County Rd 9 Phase 4 abandoned mine land site in Williams County to Material Testing Services, LLC of Minot, North Dakota. Since you are the low responsive bidder, your bid security is being held until a contract is successfully executed.

Please complete the enclosed AML Contractor Information Form and return to the Commission as soon as possible. This information is run through a federal database to ensure you are eligible to perform work on a federally funded project. The Commission hopes to award a contract for this project on May 5, 2009.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact Tim Oswald or me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Jim Deutsch".

James R. Deutsch  
Director  
AML Division

Enclosures



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Mr. Robert Temme  
American Engineering Testing, Inc.  
1745 Samco Rd  
Rapid City, SD 57702

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As a bidder, you have seven (7) days from receipt of this Notice to protest the Commission's Intent to Award. Only protests for cause will be entertained. To protest, you must submit a written protest to the Procurement Officer that clearly identifies the details of the protest. The written protest must be received by the Procurement Officer within seven (7) days from your receipt of the notice.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact Tim Oswald or me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James R. Deutsch".

James R. Deutsch  
Director  
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Enclosure