KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS: That we, «LOW_BIDDER», as principal, and the other undersigned, as surety, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Texas, in the penal sum of «WRITTEN » Dollars $ «AMOUNT», lawful money of the United States, well and truly to be paid to the State of Texas, and we bind ourselves, our heirs, successors, executors, and administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

Whereas, the above bounden principal has entered into the foregoing contract with the State of Texas attached hereto, and whereas, under the law said principal is required before commencing the work provided for in said contract to execute a bond in the amount of said contract.

Now, therefore, the condition of this obligation is such that if the above bounden principal, his or its heirs, successors, executors, and administrators shall well and faithfully do and perform each and every, all and singular, the work in accordance with the plans, specifications, and contract documents as provided in said contract aforesaid, and shall fully indemnify and save harmless the State of Texas from all costs and damage which the State of Texas may suffer by reason of the PRINCIPAL'S default or failure to do so and shall fully reimburse and repay the State of Texas all outlay and expense which the State of Texas may incur in making good any such default, then obligation shall be null and void, otherwise it shall remain in full force and effect.

Provided further, that the said surety(s) for value received, hereby stipulates and agrees that no change, extension of time, alteration or addition to the terms of the Contract, or to the work to be performed thereunder, or the Specifications accompanying the same, shall in anywise affect its obligation on this bond. The surety(s) does hereby waive notice of any such change, extension of time, alteration or addition, to the terms of the Contract or to the work or to the Specifications, unless otherwise specified in the contract.

WITNESS our hand this, __________ day of ____________________, 20____.

«LOW_BIDDER»

SURETY (Print Firm Name and Seal)

By: ____________________________ (Title)

*By: ____________________________ (Title)

SURETY (Print Firm Name and Seal)

By: ____________________________ (Title)

*SURETY (Print Firm Name and Seal)

*By: ____________________________ (Title)

*NOTE: A Power of Attorney, showing that the surety officer or Attorney-In-Fact has authority to sign such obligation, must be impressed with the corporate seal and attached behind the Payment Bond in each contract.

This form has been approved by the ATTORNEY GENERAL OF TEXAS & TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE.