

METROPOLITAN WASHINGTON UNIFIED CERTIFICATION PROGRAM

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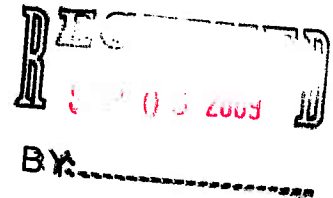


District Department of Transportation

October 20, 2009

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Mr. Arvin K. Maniktala
President
MA Engineering Consultants, Inc.
598 Chatham Street, Suite 137
Cary, NC 27511-6956



RE: Certification No. 288
Expiration Date: August 20, 2012

Dear Mr. Maniktala:

Your firm's Application for Certification as a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) with the Metropolitan Washington Unified Certification Program (MWUCP) has been approved. Your firm is subject to the requirements of the DBE program regulations, *Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 26, as amended* and all laws of this jurisdiction applicable to the transaction of business.

Your firm is eligible to participate as a DBE on MWUCP's¹ federally-assisted transportation projects for business activity described under the following list of approved NAICS Codes:

541330	\$4.5 million	Engineering Services
541620	\$7.0 million	Environmental Consulting Services

¹ MWUCP participants include the Metropolitan Washington Area Transit Authority (WMATA) and the District of Columbia Department of Transportation (DDOT).

541370	\$4.5 million	Surveying & Mapping (except Geophysical) Services
541340	\$7.0 million	Drafting Services
541690	\$7.0 million	Other Scientific and Technical Consulting Services
541360	\$4.5 million	Geophysical Surveying and Mapping Services

To remain certified as a DBE, "No Change" affidavits must be submitted annually from the date of this certification letter. Additionally, a complete Application for DBE Re-Certification with supporting documentation must be submitted no less than 30 days prior to the above Expiration Date.

Firms desiring to do business with WMATA must go online at www.wmata.com or www.metroopensdoors.com to register as vendors for bidding opportunities. To remain certified as a DBE in the MWUCP, "No Change" affidavits must be submitted annually from the date of this certification letter. Additionally, a complete Application for DBE Re-Certification with supporting documentation must be submitted no less than 30 days prior to the above expiration date.

In accordance with *Title 49 CFR, Part 26*, this certification remains valid until the certification expiration date, subject to the submission of the annual notarized "No Change" affidavits attesting to your continued status as a "socially and economically disadvantaged individual." If a change in ownership, control or management of this firm occurs during the certification period, you must complete and submit a Notice Regarding Change within 30 days of the change.

If you wish to add to your list of approved NAICS Codes, you must make a request in writing with supporting documentation to the MWUCP participant who received the original certification.

Additionally, please note that with proper notice and reason(s), the MWUCP reserves the right to amend, terminate or cancel this certification (or any aspect thereof) at any time prior to the Expiration Date.

Sincerely,



Jorge E. Nevares

Director, Community Relations

Office of Corporate Strategy and Communications

Enclosures: Notice Regarding Change No Change Statement